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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Council met.

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, January 6, 1919.

Present—Messrs.

Burke.....McArdle
Dailey.....Rauh
English.....Robertson
Garland.....Winters
Herron (President)

The Chair stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meetings of December 23 and 30, 1918, would be approved.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the minutes of the meetings of Council for December 23 and 30, 1918, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 1958. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 3.79	1130
St. Joseph's Hospital.....	58.00	1147
Frank Kaffka	67.00	1150

A. Witzel	16.50	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros. Type-writer Co.	2.65	1150
Penn Storage Battery Co..	2.00	1150
Bertram G. Case.....	8.25	1150
The Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.	15.70	1150
Pittsburgh Steel Stamp Co.	.75	1150
American Typewriter Inspection Co.	1.00	1150
Barnes Safe & Lock Co.....	30.00	1150
American Multigraph Sales Co.....	47.45	1150
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh, Inc.	805.88	1160

Also

No. 1959. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to allow all hospitals of the City of Pittsburgh, supported by public charity, to receive free of charge four hundred (400) gallons of water per patient per day, and providing for exoneration to that extent and the method of determining the same.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 1960. An Ordinance providing for the licensing and regulating of second-hand dealers in the City of Pittsburgh, and providing penalties for violation thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 1961. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule	Amount	No.
Allis-Chalmers Co.	\$660.00	1656

The American City.....	3.00	1018
Brahm, Albert L.....	201.64	1232
Brahm, Albert L.....	4.20	1663
Bauer Brothers Bakery Co.	26.37	1148
Bauer Brothers Bakery Co.	97.88	1232
Campbell-Neidringhaus Co.	107.50	1028
Carter Co., H.	1.50	1320
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	2.20	1004
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	1.10	1191
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	4.90	1409
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	5.50	1430
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	4.40	1655
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	5.40	1672
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	5.50	1811
Doverspike, William J.	.40	1808
Doverspike, William J.	.95	1809
Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.	1.75	1164
Heeren Brothers Co.	3.95	1174
Heeren Brothers Co.	5.05	1177
McKown Carnes Co.	3.85	1808
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.	4.32	1808
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.	7.50	1809
Pittsburgh Printing Co.	1770.52	1016
Rising & Radcliffe.....	13.00	1329
Shipley-Massingham Co.	351.75	1320
Sauter Co., John.....	200.00	1762
Stewart Co., Jesse C.	957.25	1320
Stewart Co., Jesse C.	997.50	1034
Tate, Jones & Co., Inc.	717.43	187-A
Thomas Co., Arthur H.	126.70	1647
Young, Elsie	3.00	1808

Also

No. 1962. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following firms for repairs furnished the Division of Motor Vehicles, and charging same to Code Account No. 1029, Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles:

Iron City Spring Co.	\$ 62.10
Liberty Brazing & Welding Co.	114.50
Otis Elevator Co.	17.75

Also

No. 1963. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
B. W. Lemmon Co.	\$ 44.96	1417
B. K. Elliott Co.	3.20	1474
Walter Bowman	2.25	1657
F. P. Gerstner.....	152.80	1657
The Lange Motor Truck Co.	51.78	1657
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Mach. Co.	3.50	1657
The White Co.	46.85	1657
Painter Dunn Co.	102.55	1665
H. W. Swisshelm.....	50.00	1701
John G. Miles.....	114.00	1722
Pittsburgh Erie Saw Co.	7.80	1747

H. W. Swisshelm.....	24.00	1747
Metz & Miller.....	44.05	1767
Samuel Ward.....	12.50	1777
N. J. Boots.....	36.00	1783
V. D. Nirella.....	210.00	1783
Miss Sarah Hudson.....	3.50	1807
Marine Band of Pittsburgh	12.00	1807
Center Avenue Garage Co.	28.00	1810
Craig Electric Co.	6.30	1810
Miller & Woodward.....	5.33	1810
Frank McComb.....	277.00	1810
Michael W. Sheehan.....	.75	1810
Singer Sewing Machine Co.	12.00	1810
Terheyden Co.	2.50	1810
Underwood Typewriter Co.	3.50	1810
L. E. Pastorius.....	481.00	1810
Jas. H. McQuaide & Sons..	325.00	1877

Also

No. 1964. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Dr. Mary B. Newell in the sum of \$283.50 for overtime services covering the period from October 16 to November 30, 1918, inclusive, in the Department of Public Health, in order to cope with the epidemic of Spanish influenza, and charging same to Code Account No. 1198½.

Also

No. 1965. Resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Health to pay Francis T. Porter his salary as a Sanitary Inspector for the months of December, 1918, and January and February, 1919, as the same becomes due, on account of absence from his duty due to an injury he received when in the employ of the City, and charging same to "Salaries, Regular," Division of Housing and Sanitary Inspection, Bureau of Sanitation, and authorizing the Controller to pass said payroll.

Also

No. 1966. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,200.00 from Appropriation No. 1553, Wages, Temporary Employees, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1529, Repairing Highways, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 1967. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to carry the \$4,323.99 remaining to the credit of Appropriation Item 1359, Salaries and Wages, Carnegie Free Library, to the credit of Appropriation Item 1359 for the year 1919.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 1968. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Misses Beatty for the sum of \$385.00 for reporting verbatim and fur-

publishing four copies of the proceedings in the case of the City Firemen vs. the Municipal Government of the City of Pittsburgh (Docket No. 236) before the National War Labor Board, August 28 and 29, 1918, and charging same to to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 1969. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of the United States Asphalt Refining Company for \$918.25, in place of Warrant No. 23226, dated October 21, 1918, which has been lost, stolen or mislaid.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 1970. Report of the Committee on Finance for December 31, 1918, transmitting an ordinance and sundry resolutions to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1944. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance setting aside and appropriating from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series 'A', 1918, the sum of \$6,123.00 for the payment of Engineering, Mechanical and other services in the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1925. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following for expenses incurred in the reception of the Scandinavian journalists on December 12, 1918, and charging said amounts to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund:

A. Mamaux & Son.....	\$ 4.00
Nirella Orchestra.....	20.00
William Penn Hotel.....	237.75

Total\$361.75

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1926. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Charles Johnston.....	\$ 5.05	42
Drs. Goldsmith & Gorkinell	20.00	1163
N. C. Davison Gas Burner & Welding Co.....	12.00	1163
University of Pittsburgh....	12.47	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co....	16.13	1166
Campbell-Niedringhaus	6.00	1166
Bertram G. Case.....	26.69	1166
Pittsburg Water Heater Co.	13.53	1166

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1929. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule	Amount	No.
Allegheny County Workhouse, Supplies.....	\$ 32.50	1811
Beckert Seed Store, Supplies	631.86	1707
Beckert Seed Store, Supplies	75.56	1716
Fabra, B. A., Supplies.....	5.00	1702
Hiland Auto Company, Supplies	7.36	1809
Junker, J. A. H., Supplies..	219.70	1321
Junker, J. A. H., Supplies..	1.40	1320
Kaufmann's, "The Big Store," Supplies.....	329.00	1320
Kelly, Jones & Co., Supplies	1.13	1724
Lawyers' Co-operative Publ. Co., Supplies.....	5.00	1078
Lippincott & McNeal Company, Supplies.....	56.30	1811
McKnight Hdwe. Company, Sam., Supplies.....	52.80	1658
McKenna Brass & Mfg. Company, Supplies.....	42.15	1656
McKown-Carnes Company, Supplies.....	1.84	1808
Miller & Woodward, Supplies	36.50	1028
Pittsburgh Printing Company, Supplies.....	12.00	1411
Rising & Radcliffe, Supplies	9.00	1808
Robbins Electric Company, Supplies	1.50	1164
Samson Motor Company, Supplies	35.00	1426
Scobie & Parker Company, Supplies.....	5.45	1760

Smith Mfg. Company, A. P., Supplies.....	103.50	1664
Smith Brothers Company, Inc., Supplies.....	9.00	1076
Stout & Crookston, Supplies	41.80	1811
Taylor & Dean, Supplies..	80.00	1556
Valley Supply Company, Supplies	30.00	1524
Woodwell Company, Joseph, Supplies	.60	1175

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.,

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1930. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Pittsburgh Printing Company in the sum of \$1,770.52, for the printing of contracts B, C, D and E, of the Budget Estimates, also overtime and extra pages, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1016.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also Bill No. 1931. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the firms and persons in payment of the claims for repairs as scheduled below, and charging the amount to the appropriation items as shown in said schedule:

Schedule	Amount	No. Appropriation
George P. Helt.....	\$ 98.04	1674
L. M. Gray Co.....	118.50	1674
Chas. G. Hanny Co.....	18.25	1674
Geo. A. Cochrane, Jr.....	355.00	1674

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1942. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the B. A. Groah Construction Company in the amount of \$1,500.00 for general repairs at the Public Safety Building for Soldiers and Sailors' Club, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42-L.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1943. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the A. W. Miller Company in the amount of \$350.00, for plumbing work at the Public Safety Building for Soldiers and Sailors' Club, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42-L.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1409. Resolution exonerating the First Christian Church of Banksville, Pa., from payment of assessment of \$285.00, for sewerage on Broadway avenue, and of \$53.00 for sewerage on Olcott way.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1932. Resolution repealing and declaring null and void Resolution No. 606, recorded in Resolution Book, Vol. 4, page 188, authorizing the transfer of \$2,553.77 from Code Account No. 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, to another code account.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Bailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1936. Whereas. It is necessary to transfer funds in the various code accounts to others in the Bureau of City Property in order to have sufficient balances to carry the different code accounts, which are short, to pay outstanding bills; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the following amounts from various code accounts to others in the Bureau of City Property in order to meet expenditures for the balance of the year:

FROM

Code Acct. 1565—Equipment, General Office	\$ 24.40
Code Acct. 1570—Materials, City-County Bldg	80.00
Code Acct. 1572—Equipment, City-County Bldg	800.00
Code Acct. 1582—Materials, Diamond Market	300.00
Code Acct. 1584—Equipment, Diamond Market	130.60
Code Acct. 1589—Supplies, North Side Market	90.00
Code Acct. 1592—Equipment, North Side Market	40.00
Code Acct. 1596—Supplies, South Side Market	185.00
Code Acct. 1599—Equipment, South Side Market	25.00

Code Acct. 1601—Supplies, Duquesne Market	260.00
Code Acct. 1610—Repairs, Scales	75.00
Code Acct. 1622—Repairs, Comfort Stations	30.00
Code Acct. 1402—Misc. Serv. Employees, Gen. Office, Dept. P. W.	65.00
Code Acct. 1404—Misc. Serv. Gen. Office, Dept. Public Works	82.2.
Code Acct. 1405—Salaries, Reg. Employees, Div. Acc't'g, Dept. P. W.	138.75
Code Acct. 1407—Salaries, Reg. Employees, Photo Div., Dept. P. W.	14.00
Code Acct. 1408—Misc. Serv. Photographic Division, Dept. P. W.	25.00
Code Acct. 1502—Salaries, Reg. Employees, Gen. Office, Dept. H. & S.	160.00
Code Acct. 1798—Salaries, Reg. Employees, Bureau of Tests	170.00
Code Acct. 1491—General Repairing, Bureau of Engineering	350.00
	\$3,045.00

TO

Code Acct. 1561—Miscellaneous Services, General Office	\$1,050.00
Code Acct. 1564—Repairs, General Office	70.00
Code Acct. 1568—Miscellaneous Services, City-County Bldg	126.00
Code Acct. 1569—Supplies, City-County Bldg	140.00
Code Acct. 1571—Repairs, City-County Bldg	125.00
Code Acct. 1575—Repairs, North Side City Hall	80.00
Code Acct. 1580—Supplies, Diamond Market	869.00
Code Acct. 1583—Repairs, Diamond Market	70.00
Code Acct. 1588—Miscellaneous Services, North Side Market	175.00
Code Acct. 1591—Repairs, North Side Market	100.00
Code Acct. 1598—Repairs, South Side Market	205.00
Code Acct. 1623—Supplies, Foster Homestead	35.00
	\$3,045.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1937. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$250.00 from Code Account 1491-E, "General Repaving," Bureau of Engineering, to Code Account 1415-C, "Supplies," Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1938. Resolution directing the City Controller to carry over any balance remaining to the credit of Appropriation Nos. 1062, 1063, 1065 and 1066 for the use of the City Treasurer for the year 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1939. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to carry over the balance remaining on the 31st day of December, 1918, in appropriation item No. 1080, Department of Law, Preparing and Prosecuting Litigation against Public Service Corporations, to the credit of the same appropriation for the year 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1945. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,000.00 from Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to contract No. 766, Howard Street Repaving.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also
Bill No. 1946. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,000.00 from Appropriation Account No. 1666, "Equipment," and \$11,000.00 from Appropriation Account No. 1665, "Supplies," to Appropriation Account No. 1645, "Wages, Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also
Bill No. 1947. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Appropriation Account No. 1642, "Salaries, Regular Employees," to Appropriation Account No. 1646, "Miscellaneous Services," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1950. Resolution ap-

propriating the sum of \$600.00 for the payment of extraordinary expenses incurred in the Bureau of Fire by reason of the strike or walkout by firemen, same to be charged to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1951. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to carry over any remaining balance in Appropriation No. 1094, Salaries, Temporary Employees, Department of Assessors, to the same appropriation Salaries, Temporary Employees, for the year 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1927. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of

\$1,500.00 from Code Account No. 1126, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, General Office, Department of Public Safety, to Code Account No. 1164, Item C, Supplies, Bureau of Fire.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1933. Resolution repealing and declaring null and void Resolution No. 222, recorded in Resolution Book No. 3, page 343, transferring \$7,000.00 for the purpose of providing funds for certain work.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1934. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,553.77 from Code Account 1456½, Tuxedo

Street Foot Bridge, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, to Code Account 1491-B, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, Contract No. 771, "Repaving of Penn Avenue," for the purpose of paying the cost of the final estimate.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1935. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,435.00 from Code Account 1456½, Tuxedo Street Foot Bridge, Department of Public Works, To Code Acct. 1580, Supplies,

Diamond Market.....	\$1,000.00
To Code Acct. 1620, Supplies.....	
Comfort Stations.....	300.00
To Code Acct. 1621, Repairs.....	
Comfort Stations.....	135.00
	\$1,435.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. **Burke** presented

No. 1971. Report of the Committee on Public Works for December 31, 1918, transmitting a resolution to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1924. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of S. R. Carse for \$19.50, for expenses incurred in inspecting materials required for the contract for repairs to the floor system of the California Avenue Bridge, and charging same to Code Account 1414-B, Miscellaneous Service.

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. **Dailey** presented

No. 1972. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for December 31, 1918, transmitting an ordinance to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1928. An Ordinance, entitled, "An Ordinance amending an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract for repairing heating system at Penn Avenue Police Station, Bureau of Police,' approved

October 3, 1918, and recorded in O. B. Volume 30, page 12."

Which was read.

Mr. **Dailey** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. **Garland** moved

That the regular committee meetings be held on Wednesday, January 8, 1919, instead of on Tuesday, January 7, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

That the following telegram be sent to Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, at Oyster Bay:

"Council of the City of Pittsburgh, in meeting assembled, desires to express its deepest sympathy to you and your family upon the death of your illustrious husband.

"JOHN S. HERRON,

"President."

And that Council adjourn out of respect to the memory of Colonel Roosevelt.

Which motion prevailed by a unanimous rising vote.

And Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Wednesday, January 8, 1919.

Council met pursuant to the following call:

Pittsburgh,

January 6, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,

Clerk of Council.

Dear Sir—Please call a special meeting of Council for Wednesday, January 8, 1919, at 4:30 o'clock P. M., for the consideration of such business as may come before the meeting.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN S. HERRON,

President.

Which was read, received and filed.

Present—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Bailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 1973. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Miss Ida B. Burns for the sum of \$112.03 being the difference between the amount asked for and the amount allowed by Resolution No. 485, Series 1918, for repairing sewer connection alleged to have been damaged by em-

ployees of the City, and charging same to Code Account No. 42. Contingent Fund.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 1974. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Miss Madeline McCarr for twenty (20) days at the rate of \$2.50 per day for stenographic services rendered the Department of Supplies, and charging same to Code Account B-1328.

Also

No. 1975. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Louis Weil, Dog License Collector, for the sum of \$288.50, being 10 per cent. of the money collected for dog licenses in excess of \$10,000.00, which amount is allowed him under Ordinance No. 11, Series 1914, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42. Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 1976. Communication from Lieutenants and Sergeants in the Bureau of Police asking for an increase in salary.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 1977.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Pittsburgh, January 8, 1919.

To the Honorable the Council of the City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen:

Knowing your extreme interest in the wharf case, which has just been decided by the Supreme Court, I have caused to be copied the opinion rendered by Mr. Justice Walling, and hand sufficient copies of the opinion to you herewith so that each and every member of Council will have one.

In regard to the question of rentals on this property, please be advised that there is quite a good deal of work to be

done in the matter before taking the problem up further with the Council for its consideration. We shall report to you on this particular problem just as soon as we possibly can.

Yours very truly,

STEPHEN STONE

City Solicitor.

No. 1978.
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF
PENNSYLVANIA
Western District.
CITY OF PITTSBURGH
vs.

PITTSBURGH AND LAKE ERIE
RAILROAD CO., et al.,
Appellants.

Nov. 134, 135, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144,
153, 158 and 173 October Term, 1918.

Appeal from Common Pleas Court of
Allegheny County.

Filed January 4, 1919.

WALLING, J.

This bill in equity was filed to secure the removal of encroachments upon an alleged public street. The case was heard upon bill, answer, replication and testimony. The main question was the existence of the street known as South Water street, between Seventeenth and Twenty-sixth streets, Pittsburgh, and that depended largely upon documentary evidence. Many years ago Oliver Ormsby owned the eastern part and John Ormsby the western part of a tract of some 350 acres of land situate on the south bank of the Monongahela river in what is now the city of Pittsburgh. By proceedings in the orphan's court the Oliver Ormsby land was partitioned in 1841, and that of John Ormsby in 1844, and a piece lying between the two, about which there had been some controversy as to the title, was also partitioned later in 1844, as land of the Oliver Ormsby estate. Numerous streets are referred to in the partition proceedings and shown on plots accompanying the same, including Water street represented as of the width of one hundred feet, more or less, and extending to the river. Subsequently much of the property was subdivided and passed by sundry conveyances wherein Water street is referred to and called for as a boundary, and some buildings were erected abutting upon the south line thereof.

At the time of the partitions, and for many years thereafter, there was an open coal mine located back from the river on this original tract, from which a railroad extended to the river, where the coal was transferred to boats by means of a coal tippie. This railroad was located in what is now Twenty-first street. There was then a block of lots

extending south from the river on the west side of Twenty-first street of the width (east and west) of 147½ feet, known as "the railroad lots," across which Water street was not extended in the first or second partitions above mentioned. The third partition did not include the railroad lots, but it was between parties who owned all the land embraced in the three partitions and they there stipulated that, "The streets and alleys laid out in the plan of the partition of that part of John Ormsby's estate which lies above and adjoining Birmingham, and in the plan of the partition of the two-hundred acre tract belonging to the Oliver Ormsby Estate, have been extended through the piece of land belonging to Oliver Ormsby's heirs, which is included in this partition, and lies between the two pieces above mentioned." The map accompanying that partition seems to show Water street extending across the railroad lots. In 1836, a small piece of this tract abutting on the river had been conveyed to Elias Phillips, a son-in-law of Oliver Ormsby, and that was excluded from the partitions. However, Phillips was a party to the third partition and joined in said stipulation, and in a later conveyance of the Phillips' land Water street is called for as its northern boundary. In 1865 a petition was presented to the borough council signed by the owners of that lot and by other property owners praying that the south line of Water street be removed fifty feet northward, which was not granted.

The borough of East Birmingham, which included this original 350-acre tract, was incorporated in 1849 by an act of the Legislature, section 15 of which is: "That the owners of the property known as the railroad lots in said borough at the terminus of the railroad, and their heirs and assigns, shall and may hold and occupy the same to low water mark in the Monongahela river, and in case any lots of ground situate on the river fronts of said borough are or may hereafter be occupied for manufacturing purposes, the owners or occupants of such lot or lots shall have the like right of holding and occupying the same to low water mark of said river: Provided, That in all such cases there shall be secured to the public a right of way along the river bank across such lot or lots." Thereafter Water street is referred to in numerous borough ordinances. One order earth deposited thereon and others fix the grade of that street. In 1849, at the request of council, R. E. McGowan, a civil engineer, made a complete map of the borough, whereon Water street is shown extending from Seventeenth street to Twenty-sixth street, of the width of 100 feet, more or less, to low water line. However, this map, which was not recorded but found among Mr.

Metcowan's papers, shows the lines of the railroad lots extending across that street to the river. In 1872, the borough became a part of the City of Pittsburgh and Water street is thereafter referred to in City ordinances. The City in 1878 granted a franchise to the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie Railroad Company to construct a line of railway upon and along said street, and later granted additional franchises to railroad companies to construct tracks therein, which was done, and the tracks so constructed have been in constant use upon the street here in question for over thirty years.

That side of the river has been a busy place practically ever since the land was partitioned as above mentioned. Wharves, shops, mills, factories, etc., have been and still are located there, many of which have long encroached upon and still occupy portions of Water street so called. About 1872 the municipality, pursuant to statutory authority, established wharfage charges, which in 1874 it attempted unsuccessfully to collect from certain parties occupying the wharves. The borough and later the City made some expenditures in the construction and care of those wharves, but Water street was never formally opened as such nor improved upon the ground as a street. However, it has been used more or less by pedestrians since 1847, and some parts of it also by vehicles, largely in transportation to and from the wharves and other establishments above mentioned. A washout near Eighteenth street has for many years prevented the use of that part of Water street, and further east (up the river) it has always been to some extent obstructed by fences and other obstacles; the part most used for teaming being between Nineteenth and Twenty-second streets. The railroads in Water street are constructed largely upon trestles and so far as they occupy space prevent traffic by other vehicles.

Since about 1880, deeds made of property along the line of Water street so called have included the lands embraced therein as a private property; and, such deeds having been placed of record in the office of the recorder of said county, the lands were assessed and taxes thereon, since about 1885, has been paid to the City.

This bill was brought against defendants, for separate encroachments upon the alleged street. The chancellor and court below found that Water street was a public highway and entered a final decree for the removal of the buildings and other encroachments thereon (except the railroad tracks placed there by municipal consent); from which defendants brought ten separate appeals which we will consider together. The case was exhaustively presented and we have given it careful

consideration, but find no substantial error.

An encroachment upon a public highway is a nuisance which equity has jurisdiction to abate; *Pittsburgh vs. Epling-Carpenter Co.*, 194 Pa. 318; and see *Piro vs. Shipley*, 211 Pa. 36. Where the question of an invasion of public rights depends upon matters of law, like the construction of documentary evidence, equity has undoubted jurisdiction. See *Richmond vs. Bennett*, 205 Pa., 470; *Wilson vs. Cather*, 214 Pa. 3. When the evidence is such that plaintiff would be entitled to binding instructions in an action at law, equity has jurisdiction; *Richmond vs. Bennett*, supra. Here practically the only controverted question of fact is as to the public use of the alleged street, and in our opinion the dispute as to that is not of controlling importance.

The bill was for the removal of obstructions from a single street, and supported by evidence as to each defendant largely but not in all respects the same, and all were embraced in one decree. So there is no just ground of complaint because each was not sued separately; and the demurrer raising that question was properly overruled. Where a public highway is obstructed by similar acts of neighboring property owners, it is not error to abate the same in one suit. If there are general features common to all and no party is prejudiced thereby, although there may be special features as to some defendants; for example as to the railroad lots in the present case. See *Cumberland Valley Railroad Company's Appeal*, 62 Pa. 218; *Lovejoy vs. Bailey*, 214 Mass. 134. In *Illinois Cent. R. Co. vs. Caffrey*, 128 Fed. Rep. 770, the rule is well stated that, "A bill will not be held demurrable for multifariousness because a large number of persons, having no connection with each other, are joined as defendants, where the cause of action against each is the same, and the joinder will save a multiplicity of suits and promote the convenience of the court and of all parties." See also *Louisville & N. R. Co. vs. Smith*, 128 Fed. Rep. 1; *Coram vs. Davis*, 209 Mass. 229, 249; *Lenz vs. Prescott*, 144 Mass. 505; *Warren vs. Parkhurst*, 186 N. Y. 45; *Riley vs. Pennsylvania Co.*, 32 Pa. Superior Ct. 579. To save a multiplicity of suits is one ground for equity assuming jurisdiction; and where the chancellor can give each defendant a full hearing there is less reason for separate suits than in jury trials. The question of multifariousness is one of convenience and rests largely in the discretion of the court.

The several partitions showing blocks and streets, including Water street, constituted a dedication of the latter to public use, especially when followed by the many conveyances

made with reference thereto. While Water street was not extended across the railroad lots by the first or second partition, we agree with the chancellor that it was by the third. The purpose of the stipulation seems to have been to extend the street across and beyond those lots; and, having been made by all the parties in interest, it should be given effect. In the general plotting of the tract, it is not probable that they would desire to make a permanent break in the broad street along the river front, and no such break appears in the plot accompanying the third partition. McGowan in preparing his plan may have overlooked the stipulation, or misconstrued its effect.

While the chancellor finds that there was an extensive public traffic upon some parts of Water street from 1847 to 1880, yet the City's claim does not rest upon prescription but upon dedication, which to be valid must have been accepted: *Phila. Museum vs. University of Pa.*, 251 Pa. 125, 132; *Commonwealth vs. Shoemaker*, 14 Pa. Superior Ct. 194. In our opinion the acts of the borough and City, including reference to Water street in numerous ordinances, establishing the grade thereof, dumping of earth thereon, building and repairing wharves within its lines and granting franchises to railroad companies to lay and operate tracks therein, constituted an acceptance of the dedication. And we are still of the opinion expressed in *McKee vs. Penna. R. R. Co.*, 255 Pa. 560, that the City's granting permission to the railway companies to construct and operate tracks in Water street constituted an acceptance of the dedication. See *Phila. vs. Thomas Heirs*, 152 Pa. 494. Of course public use alone will constitute an acceptance of a dedicated street, but we do not base the decision upon that ground because of the question as to the extent of such use.

The long existence of encroachments upon a public highway is no defense, as the statute of limitations does not run against the public: *Commonwealth vs. Moorehead*, 118 Pa. 345; *Kopf vs. Utter*, 101 Pa. 27, 31; *Sharon Boro. vs. Pennsylvania Co.*, 44 Pa. Superior Ct. 526. An obstruction in a public highway does not gain a legal residence by lapse of time nor by inaction of the authorities with reference thereto. In such case laches will not be imputed to the commonwealth or to the municipality. Laches, however, may be imputed to a municipality that has stood by and permitted large expenditures to be made upon the faith of an irregular order of court, or of municipal consent informally or tacitly given, where formal consent would have been effective, but this is not such a case.

The Act of May 9th, 1889, P. L. 173, "Relating to unused streets, lanes and alleys," does not apply here as it has no retroactive effect: *State Road*, 236

Pa. 141; *Osterheldt vs. Philadelphia*, 195 Pa. 355; *Hileman vs. Hollidaysburg Boro.*, 47 Pa. Superior Ct. 41; and the act applies only to unused streets: *Sturges' Appeal*, 240 Pa. 44; while Water street had been accepted by the municipality and was in use at least by the railroad companies, which was a public use, before the passage of the act. An acceptance and use of part of a dedicated street is effective as to the whole, while a street by prescription includes only so much as the public has used for the required time. Prior to that act there was no limit to the time for acceptance of a dedicated street.

As the proviso to the above quoted section of the Act of 1849 secures to the public a right of way along the river bank across such lots, in our opinion the City may now open the street to its dedicated width, for there is nothing in the proviso fixing a less width. The legislative intent may have been to give the abutting owners the right to use land embraced within the lines of the street for manufacturing purposes until such time as the municipality desired to open the same to its full width; if so, that would give effect both to the grant and the reservation without legalizing permanent obstructions in the street as dedicated. A statute should not be so construed as to destroy or impair the right it expressly conserves. The act does not purport to vacate the street or any part thereof.

The existence of Water street was not necessarily involved in the suits for wharfage brought in 1874; nor is the City here concluded by the adverse verdicts there rendered. The stipulation in those cases, that the defendants had been in continuous possession of their respective lots as manufacturing plants for thirty years, was consistent with their rights under the above quoted section of the act of 1849, but does not preclude the City from ultimately opening the street.

Assessment and payment of taxes do not prove title but are circumstances tending to support a claim of possession; *James vs. Bream*, 00 Pa. 00, filed herewith. And the rights of the public in an unimproved street are not lost because taxes are assessed upon land embraced therein and paid to the municipality by abutting owners. Such circumstances might be considered with other evidence in support of a claim of abandonment; but an encroachment upon a highway cannot be legalized by payment of taxes upon the land so encroached upon.

Appellants should be given ample time and opportunity to remove the obstructions complained of.

The assignments of error in the several appeals are all overruled and the appeals are dismissed at the costs of the respective appellants.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania }
County of Allegheny } ss:

I, George Pearson, Prothonotary, of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, in and for the Western District thereof, the said court being a Court of Record, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the whole and entire opinion in the case of City of Pittsburgh vs. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie R. R. Co. et al, Apts., at No. 134, 135, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 153, 158 and 173 October Term, 1918, as full, entire and complete as the same remains on file in the said Supreme Court, in the case there stated; and I do hereby further certify that the foregoing has been compared by me with the original record in said cause in my keeping and custody as the Prothonotary of said Court, and that the foregoing is a correct transcript from said record and of the whole of the original thereof.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, in the County of Allegheny, in the said Western District of Pennsylvania, this 6th day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nineteen.

GEORGE PEARSON,
Prothonotary.

Which were read.

Mr. English moved

That the communication and the opinion of Judge Walling be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 1979. Report of the Division of Investigation for the last nine months of the year 1918.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

No. 1980. Communication from Jas. C. Harris complaining of the ill treatment accorded the colored people in the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 1981. Report of the Committee on Finance for January 4, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1913. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance levying and assessing taxes and water rent for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1919, and ending December 31, 1919, upon all property subject to taxation within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

And, on motion of Mr. Garland,

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, January 13, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Raub
English Robertson
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 1982. An Ordinance granting permission to the Entress Brick Company, a Pennsylvania Corporation, to grade Marohn street, from Bedford avenue to a point 395.53 feet northwardly from the northerly line of Bedford avenue, and Tomahawk street from Marohn street to the easterly line of Robert Woods Plan of Lots, at their own cost and expense.

Also

No. 1983. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading and paving of Colville street, from Pike street to Mulberry way, and providing that the costs damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 1984. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading and paving

ing of Mulberry way, from Seventeenth street to the easterly terminus thereof, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 1985. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Year 1918
		Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 80.91	1147
Keystone Laundry Co.....	165.68	1163
Bertram G. Case.....	18.88	1166
The Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.....	23.49	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.....	159.38	1166
A. H. Johnson.....	140.19	1166

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 1986. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts of the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Anchor Sanitary Co.....	\$ 7.20	1321
Canton Art Metal Co.....	120.00	1066

Consumers Auto Supply Co.	21.00	1809
Diebold Lumber Co., E. M.	2.50	1224
Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co., The	4.80	1165
Feick Brothers Co.	57.50	1236
Garland, J. C.	10.70	1808
Happ, Charles	9.00	1675
Heeren Brothers Co.	6.00	1156
Heisley, S. B.	4.85	1808
Jenkins, T. C.	235.65	1320
Kurtz, Langbein & Swartz	9.06	1320
Liberty Show Print Co.	9.20	1808
Logan Gregg Hdwe. Co.	4.50	1227
McKenna Brass Mfg. Co.	46.00	1650
McKown-Carnes Co.	9.60	1808
McLaughlin, Charles R.	2.75	1148
May-Keleher Co.	69.06	1027
Mulford Co., H. K.	37.76	1206
Packard Motor Car Co.	14.71	1556
Stewart, Jesse C. Co.	636.00	1320
Stout, B. F.	3.25	1700
Strain, James D.	1.00	1556
Tabulating Machine Co.	1.92	1201
Thomas Co., Arthur H.	19.88	1650
Troy Laundry Machine Co.	244.30	1321
United States Rubber Co.	45.26	1655
Woodwell Co., Joseph	6.50	1330

Also

No. 1987. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriations shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
J. K. Davison & Brother	\$ 10.30	1654
John Eichleay, Jr., Co.	115.00	1654
W. J. Tener & Co.	1,609.84	1654
H. W. Johns-Manville Co.	28.50	1657
Oakland Hand Laundry	12.80	1682
W. J. Tener & Co.	79.00	1744
Eclipse Laundry Co.	3.00	1800
Burtoughs Adding Machine Co.	4.67	1810
The Empire Laundry Co.	8.30	1807
Hollis Smith Co.	9.70	1810
Frank McComb	193.00	1810
John Eichleay, Jr., Co.	100.00	127
James McNeil & Brother Co.	1,668.00	127
John Eichleay, Jr., Co.	72.00	187-A
The Empire Laundry Co.	21.15	Oliver Bath Trust Fund

Also

No. 1988. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of J. S. Clapper Company for \$7.25 for repairs contracted for by the office of the Mayor, and charging same to Code Account No. 1017, and a warrant in favor of The Security Company for \$16.75 for repairs contracted for by the Division of Motor Vehicles, and charging same to Code Account No. 1029.

Also

No. 1989. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of the Firestone Rubber Company for \$346.27, on Appropriation Item 1556 in place of warrant No. 19370, lost or miscarried in the mail.

Also

No. 1990. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of George McCague for water rents assessed against building in the First Ward occupied by the Workshop for the Blind.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 1991. An Ordinance granting unto the McConway and Torley Company, its successors and assigns the right to construct, maintain and use a ten-inch (10") cast iron pipe 13 feet below street grade for the purpose of conveying water from pumps to turbine engines in the building of the McConway and Torley Company. Pumps situated on the east side of Forty-eighth street at approximately 455 feet northwardly from the north right of way of the Allegheny Valley Railroad; then at right angles from the building on the east side of Forty-eighth street for a distance of 10½ feet to a point in street; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left in a southerly direction for a distance of 62 feet parallel with McConway and Torley Company Building to a point; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left for a distance of 10½ feet to the building of the McConway and Torley Company.

Also

No. 1992. Petition for the vacation of Johnston avenue between Glenwood avenue and the first angle in Johnston avenue southwestwardly from Glenwood avenue.

Also

No. 1993. An Ordinance vacating Johnston avenue, in the Fifteenth Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Glenwood avenue to the first angle in Johnston avenue southwestwardly from Glenwood avenue.

Also

No. 1994. Petition for the vacation of Montezuma street between Brainerd street and Oliviant street.

Also

No. 1995. An Ordinance vacating Montezuma street, in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh as dedicated by Thomas F. Hartmann, Frank W. Hartmann, Christ W. Hartmann and George J. Hartmann and accepted by Ordinance No. 599, approved February 1,

1910, between Brainard street and Oliviant street.

Also

No. 1996. An Ordinance accepting the dedication of certain property in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes for the widening of the intersection at Johnston and Glenwood avenues.

Also

No. 1997. Hartmann Bros. Plan of Lots situate in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh and the dedication of Beggs way, Easton way, Montezuma street and Verdun way shown thereon.

Also

No. 1998. An Ordinance accepting the "Hartmann Brothers Plan of Lots" in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh laid out by Thomas F. Hartmann, Frank W. Hartmann, George J. Hartmann and Christ W. Hartmann. accepting the dedication of Beggs way, Easton way, Montezuma street and Verdun way as shown thereon for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades on Brainard street, Beggs way, Easton way, Montezuma street, Oliviant street and Verdun way.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 1999. Resolution requesting the Civil Service Commission to immediately adopt suitable rules which shall provide that all honorably discharged soldiers and sailors who are physically qualified and apply for examination for appointment in public departments, including the police and fire divisions shall receive an additional percentage in marking because of their military service, and that in cases where Civil Service employees left the public service to enter either the army or navy, they shall, in all future examinations for promotion, receive an additional percentage in marking as a recognition of their military service.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2000. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a Warrant in favor of Mrs. Catherine Kleine for \$200.00 in full for injuries received by reason of falling on the Schimmer street steps, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2001. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to

transfer the sum of \$4,866.52 from Appropriation Account No. 1644, "Wages, Regular," to Appropriation Account No. 1645, "Wages, Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, to provide for the payment of 1918 labor charges at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2002. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for the furnishing and constructing of sheet metal work in connection with new heating system at the North Side Market, and setting aside \$6,000.00 from Code Account 1592½. Structural and Non-structural Improvements to the North Side Market, Bureau of City Property, for the payment of the costs thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2003. Whereas, It was found necessary, due to the fact that vacancies existed at Brilliant and Ross Pumping Stations, Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works; and,

Whereas, It was expedient to fill these vacancies temporarily by lower-rated men already employed at these stations; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the following mentioned employees to cover the difference in pay between their rated positions and the higher-grade positions to which they were assigned:

	Difference in Rate	Amount
Scott Crooks, from oiler to second assistant engineer, 266½ days.....	60c	\$159.90
George Redinger, from laborer to oiler, 11 days.....	90c	9.90
Jos. W. Gibbs, from laborer to oiler, 11 days.....	90c	9.90
Edw. J. Bender, from laborer to oiler, 4 days.....	90c	3.60
Jos. Zirhut, from repairman to oiler, 202 days.....	90c	181.80
Benj. Fulton, from second assistant engineer to first assistant engineer, 217½ days.....	75c	163.22
Jno. McNally, from oiler to second assistant engineer, 218½ days.....	60c	131.18
Jno. Corbett, second assistant engineer, primary station to first assistant engineer, primary station, 156¼ days.....	75c	117.19

Jno. Corbett, first assistant engineer, secondary station, to first assistant engineer, primary station, 104 days..... 50c 52.00

\$828.69

Same to be charged to Appropriation 1653, "Wages, Temporary," Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water.

Also

No. 2004. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John F. Casey Company for \$3,624.06 for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at Pumping Stations during the month of December, 1918, and charging same to Account No. 1653, "Wages, Temporary," Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water.

Also

No. 2005. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuade & Sons Company for \$1,718.91 for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa., during the month of August, 1918, and charging same to Account No. 1645 "Wages, Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Also

No. 2006. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuade & Sons Company for \$7,295.41 for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa., during the month of October, 1918, and charging same to Account No. 1645, "Wages, Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Also

No. 2007. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuade & Sons Company for \$8,635.32 for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa., during the month of November, 1918, and charging same to Account No. 1645, "Wages, Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Filtration and Water.

Also

No. 2008. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to place insurance on the automobile assigned for service in his department, and authorizing the issuing of a warrant in payment of said insurance premium, and charging same to Appropriation No. 43.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2009. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to John Milka and

Angela Milka, his wife, for a lot of ground located on Stromberg street, Sixteenth ward, upon the payment of \$100.00.

Also

No. 2010. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Robert B. Neely for Lots Nos. 129, 130, 131 and 132 Bigelow boulevard, Second ward, upon the payment of \$105.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 2011. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Pittsburgh, in the aggregate principal amount of one million one hundred sixty-one thousand (\$1,161,000.00) dollars for the purpose of funding existing unfunded indebtedness of the City, consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets and the construction of sewers, and other floating indebtedness, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Also

No. 2012. Resolution exonerating the Board of Public Education of the School District of Pittsburgh from the payment of all city taxes for the period from December 31, 1918 to December 31, 1919, on property known as the Phipps Gymnasium at the corner of Reedsdale and Scotland streets, North Side.

Also

No. 2013. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. A. Fraracci in the sum of \$76.00 in full settlement of all claims against the City of Pittsburgh for damages to personal property by reason of the flooded condition of her cellar at No. 731 1/2 Tioga street caused by water backing from the main sewer on Tioga street, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2014. Communication from H. F. Kress asking that the bill of William H. Firlie for \$68.50 for plumbing work at 7213 Race street, caused by the collapsing of the main sewer, be paid by the City.

Also

2015. Communication from William H. Davis, Director of the Department of Public Health, transmitting report showing the removal of garbage and rubbish during the month of December, 1918, and the month of December, 1917.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2016.

PUBLIC UTILITIES LITIGATION.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

January 11, 1919.

Hon. John S. Herron, Pres.,

Council, City of Pittsburgh,

City-County Building,

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—I beg to report that the Public Service Commission, on the 6th of January, 1919, approved the contract between the South Pittsburgh Water Company and the City of Pittsburgh, and on that date issued its certificate of public convenience.

I am also informed by the South Pittsburgh Water Company, that they have made preparation for the carrying out of this contract and that it will apply to the quarterly payments beginning on the first of January.

In accordance with the previous resolution of Council, I have already notified the Pennsylvania Water Company of the terms of this contract and of the fact that this contract has been approved by the Commission; and have asked them to report promptly whether such a contract could be made between their company and the City of Pittsburgh, covering their consumers within the present limits of the City of Pittsburgh.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES K. ROBINSON.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2017.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

January 8, 1919.

Mr. John S. Herron, President,

And Members of Council

of the City of Pittsburgh.

Dear Sirs—I herewith return, without my approval, Bill No. 1409, A Resolution exonerating the First Christian Church of Banksville from payment of assessments for sewer improvements.

Accompanying this resolution is a statement from the City Solicitor that there is no legal reason why they should be exonerated from their assessments. Another letter in the file by the City Clerk states that the assessments are a lawful and legal claim against the church.

Exonerating an assessment of this kind opens a door so wide to many other

cases and establishes such a very bad precedent that even though the circumstances might be extenuating I cannot give my approval.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK

Mayor.

Which was read.

And

Bill No. 1409. Resolution exonerating the First Christian Church of Banksville, Pa., from assessment at No. 2425 January Term, 1918; of \$285.00, for sewerage on Broadway avenue, and from assessment at No. 1457 April Term, 191 of \$53.00 for sewerage on Olcott way.

In Council, January 6, 1919. Rule suspended. read three times and finally passed.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication and resolution be laid over for one week and that a copy of the communication be furnished each member of Council.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2018. Report of the Committee on Finance for January 8, 1919, transmitting several resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1958. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 3.79	1130
St. Joseph's Hospital.....	58.00	1147
Frank Kafka.....	67.00	1150
A. Witzel.....	16.50	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros. Type-		
writer Co.....	2.65	1150
Penn Storage Battery Co..	2.00	1150
Bertram G. Case.....	8.25	1150
The Draeger Oxygen Ap-		
paratus Co.....	15.70	1150
Pittsburgh Steel Stamp Co.	.75	1150
American Typewriter In-		
spection Co.....	1.00	1150
Barnes Safe & Lock Co....	30.00	1150
American Multigraph Sales		
Co.	47.45	1150

American Rescue League of
Pittsburgh, Inc. 805.88 1160

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1961. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Allis-Chalmers Co.	\$660.00	1656
The American City	3.00	1018
Brahm, Albert L.	201.64	1232
Brahm, Albert L.	4.20	1663
Bauer Brothers Bakery Co.	26.37	1148
Bauer Brothers Bakery Co.	97.88	1232
Campbell-Neidringhaus Co.	107.50	1028
Carter Co., H.	1.50	1320
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	2.20	1004
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	1.10	1191
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	4.90	1409
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	5.50	1430
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	4.40	1655
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	5.40	1672
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	5.50	1811
Doverspike, William J.	.40	1808
Doverspike, William J.	.95	1809
Dräger Oxygen Apparatus Co.	1.75	1164
Heeren Brothers Co.	3.95	1174
Heeren Brothers Co.	5.05	1177
McKown-Carnes Co.	3.85	1808
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	4.32	1808
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.	7.50	1809
Pittsburgh Printing Co.	1770.52	1016

Rising & Radcliffe	13.00	1329
Shipley-Massingham Co.	351.75	1320
Sauter Co., John	200.00	1762
Stewart Co., Jesse C.	957.25	1320
Stewart Co., Jesse C.	997.50	1037
Tate, Jones & Co., Inc.	717.43	1877
Thomas Co., Arthur H.	126.70	164
Young, Elsie	3.00	180

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1962. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following firms and individuals in payment of the several claims as scheduled below, and charging the amounts to Code Account No. 1029, Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles:

Iron City Spring Co.	\$ 62.10
Liberty Brazing & Welding Co.	114.50
Otis Elevator Co.	17.75

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1963. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	\$ 44.96	1417
B. K. Elliott Co.....	3.20	1474
Walter Bowman.....	2.25	1657
F. P. Gerstner.....	152.80	1657
The Lange Motor Truck Co.....	51.78	1657
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Mach. Co.....	3.50	1657
The White Co.....	46.85	1657
Painter Dunn Co.....	102.55	1665
H. W. Swisshelm.....	50.00	1701
John G. Miles.....	114.00	1722
Pittsburgh Erie Saw Co.....	7.80	1747
H. W. Swisshelm.....	24.00	1747
Metz & Miller.....	44.05	1767
Samuel Ward.....	12.50	1775
N. J. Boots.....	36.00	1783
V. D. Nirella.....	210.00	1783
Miss Sarah Hudson.....	3.50	1807
Marine Band of Pittsburgh	12.00	1807
Center Avenue Garage Co.	28.00	1810
Craig Electric Co.....	6.30	1810
Miller & Woodward.....	5.33	1810
Frank McComb.....	277.00	1810
Michael W. Sheehan.....	.75	1810
Singer Sewing Machine Co.	12.00	1810
Terheyden Co.....	2.50	1810
Underwood Typewriter Co.	3.50	1810
L. E. Pastorius.....	481.00	1812
Jas. H. McQuade & Sons.	325.00	187-A

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1964. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in

favor of Dr. Mary V. Nowell in the sum of \$283.50, for overtime services in the Department of Public Health during the epidemic of influenza, from October 16 to November 30, 1918, inclusive, and charging the same to Code Account No. 1198½.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1968. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Misses Beatty for the sum of \$385.00, for four copies of the proceedings furnished the City of Pittsburgh in the case of the City Firemen vs. the Municipal Government of the City of Pittsburgh before the National War Labor Board and charging the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1969. Resolution au-

thorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in place of a Warrant No. 23226, dated October 21, 1918, for \$918.25, to the order of the United States Asphalt Refining Company, and by it endorsed and placed with the Commercial Trust Company of New Jersey for collection, which warrant has been lost or stolen.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1861. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to John F. Sweeney for a certain strip of ground, which is a part of a lot located on Kearse street, Nineteenth ward, upon the payment of \$100.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings, and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1902. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to

execute and deliver a deed to Michael A. Guthrie for 25x100 feet of Lot No. 12 in the John E. Williams Plan, Twelfth ward, upon the payment of the sum of \$50.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1966. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,200.00 from Appropriation No. 1553, Wages, Temporary Employees, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1529, Repairing Highways, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2019. Report of the Committee on Public Works for January 8, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1052. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Cowan street, from Dilworth street to Southern Avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 1053. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 38 feet, paving and curbing of Dilworth street, from Gray street to Cowan street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 1781. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Fredonia street, from Lorenz avenue to the City line, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also, with a negative recommendation.

Bill No. 1708. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance opening and naming Larned street, in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Greenfield avenue to Murray avenue, and pro-

viding that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

That further action on the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **McArdle** presented

No. 2020. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for January 8, 1919, transmitting two ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1145. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Cowan street, from Southern avenue to Prospect street."

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1146. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the widths and positions of the sidewalks and roadway and re-establishing the grade of Dilworth street, from Cowan street to Gray street.

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. **Robertson** presented

No. 2021. Report of the Committee on Filtration and Water for January 8, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1907. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of H. S. Anderson in the sum of \$689.77, for storage and repairs to automobile truck as follows:

To towing car to repair shop.....	\$ 3.75
To labor of repairs.....	504.00
To material of repairs.....	122.02
To six months' storage, pending return of parts.....	60.00

Total\$689.77

The same to be payable from Code Account 1665, "Repairs," Bureau of Water, Distribution Division.

Which was read.

Mr. **Robertson** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the law having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the

votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. **English** presented

No. 2022. Whereas, The Supreme Court of Pennsylvania has decided that old Water street on the South Side, is public property under control of the City; and

Whereas, The Act of Assembly, No. 392, approved July 20, 1917, empowers cities of the second class to lease streets and highways such as Water street, South Side, for a period not exceeding ten years; therefore, be it

Resolved, That His Honor, the Mayor, be informed that the Council wishes to confer with him and the City Solicitor regarding leases for Water street, South Side, and other similar streets on Thursday morning January 16, 1919, at the hour of 10 o'clock.

Which was read.

Mr. **English** moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Winters** presented

No. 2023. Whereas, In the budget for 1919, Council has set up the sum of sixty-six thousand dollars (\$66,000.00) to provide for readjustments which are to be made when salary standardization is applied; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That Council in session assembled, hereby commits itself to salary standardization and to the enactment of a salary schedule that will carry out the terms of Resolution No. 200, approved May 21, 1915, and be it further

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to make a survey and report to Council at as early a date as possible the result of its findings and to present a schedule of standard salary grades and rates which will carry out the purposes of Resolution No. 200, and be it further

Resolved, That the said committee be composed as follows: One member to be appointed by the Mayor, one member to be appointed by the President of Council, one member to be appointed by the City Controller; and one member to be appointed by the Civil Service Commission; be it further

Resolved, That within five days from the passage and approval of this resolution, the officials above designated shall make their appointments to this committee and shall notify the Mayor and President of Council, either of whom are hereby authorized to call a meeting of the committee and begin work.

Which was read.

Mr. **Winters** moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

At this time Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 2024. Report of the Committee on Finance for January 13, 1919, transmitting two ordinances to Council.
Which was read, received and filed.

Also

No. 2025.
CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PENNA.,
DEPARTMENT OF CITY
CONTROLLER.

January 13, 1919.

To the Council,

City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—We hereby certify that the salary and appropriation ordinances transmitted herewith, to the best of our knowledge and belief, are in exact accordance with the actions of the Finance Committee on the estimates for the fiscal year 1919, and carry into effect the actions of the said Committee.

Very respectfully,

CHAS. F. WEIBLE,
Clerk Finance Committee.

H. S. BREITENSTEIN,
Chief Accountant,
Bureau of Accounting Revision.

Which was read, received and filed.

Mr. **Garland** moved

A suspension of Rule VIII, providing that all bills, ordinances and resolutions, when returned from committee, shall be printed and a copy of each bill mailed to each member at least 48 hours previous to a meeting of Council.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Garland** also presented, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 1914. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance making appropriations to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City of Pittsburgh and for meeting the debt charges thereof for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1919, and ending December 31, 1919."

In Finance Committee, January 13, 1919, read and amended in Sections 1 and 5 by striking out and inserting as shown in red, and as amended ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. **Garland** moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were;

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. McArdle moved

That Council take a recess until 4:30 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

AFTER RECESS.

The hour of 4:30 o'clock P. M. having arrived, and the time of the recess having expired, Council reconvened, and there were

Present—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Mr. Garland also presented with an affirmative recommendation

Bill No. 1915. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof."

In Finance Committee, January 13, 1918, read and amended in Sections 23, 29 and 75 by striking out and inserting as shown in red, and as amended ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were;

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

And on motion of Mr. Burke,

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, January 20, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke.....McArdle
Dailey.....Rauh
English.....Robertson
Garland.....Winters

Absent—Mr.

Herron (President)

In the absence of President **Herron**,
Mr. **Burke** moved

That Mr. **Rauh** act as President
pro tem.

Which motion prevailed.

The **Chair** stated that, if there were no
objections, the minutes of the meetings
of January 6, 8 and 13, 1919, would be
approved.

Mr. **Dailey** moved

That the minutes of the meet-
ings of January 6, 8 and 13, 1919, be
approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. **English** presented

No. 2026. Communication from
R. W. Hannan, relative to metered water
rent on his property at 1750 Beechwood
boulevard.

Also

No. 2027. Resolved, That the
Mayor be and he is hereby authorized
and directed to issue and the City Con-
troller to countersign warrants in favor
of the following firms and persons in
payment of claims for supplies con-
tracted for without competitive bids by
the Department of Supplies, and charge
the amounts to the appropriation items
as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
B. F. Stout.....	\$ 6.15	1709

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON- COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Atlantic Refining Co.....	\$ 77.63	1027
Atlantic Refining Co.....	25.88	1663
Atlantic Refining Co.....	2.88	1699
Albert's Son, M. E.....	168.00	1236
Averman & Lynn Co., Inc.....	8.80	1028
Baur Brothers Co.....	97.88	1232
Baur Brothers Co.....	19.20	1745
Braun, Harry.....	31.47	1320
Babcock & Wilcox Co.....	31.08	1323
Donnelly, James.....	17.06	1232
Gillespie & Co., J. J.....	9.40	1426
Hewitt Rubber Co.....	57.40	1776
Hill Top Lumber Co.....	1,112.94	1034
Houston Brothers Co.....	1.84	1533
Jacobson Co., S.....	1.75	1332
Journal of Infectious Dis- eases, The.....	5.00	1218
Johnston Co., Wm. G.....	21.00	1206
Lange Motor Truck Co.....	17.70	1656
Lawyers' Co-operative Pub. Co.....	53.00	1080
Liberty Flag & Decorating Co.....	19.00	1584
McKnight Hardware Co., Samuel.....	5.60	1570
New York Belting & Pack- ing Co.....	17.28	185-A
Painter-Dunn Co.....	1.00	1028
Pittsburgh Brass Manu- facturing Co.....	159.53	1656
Reed & Witting.....	4.00	1048
Robbins Electric Co.....	10.30	185-A
Sauter Co., John.....	228.75	1811
Seven Baker Brothers.....	161.43	1224
Schenck China Co.....	26.78	1811

Scientific Materials Co.....	9.90	1218
Scientific Materials Co.....	10.77	1298
Smith Brothers Co., Inc.....	98.60	1080
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.	225.92	185-A
Weldin & Co., J. R.....	2.12	1016
Woodwell Co., Jos.....	5.70	1175

Also

No. 2028. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Dr. H. J. Carten in the sum of \$204.83, in full settlement of his claim against the City of Pittsburgh by reason of running his automobile into a hole on the Twenty-second street bridge, and damaging same, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2029. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the Burroughs Adding Machine Co. for \$6.50 and the Remington Typewriter Co. for \$55.00, for repairs furnished the City Treasurer's office, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1065.

Also

No. 2030. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Chas. S. Hubbard, City Treasurer, for \$320.00, to reimburse him for a check drawn by him and sent to Wm. A. Reed & Company, New York, for 16 coupons dated January 1, 1919, Nos. 193 to 208, inclusive, of the 1906 Water Extension Loan, for \$20.00 each, which were lost, stolen or mislaid, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1.

Also

No. 2031. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Western Lines for \$6.93 in place of warrant No. 13551, dated July 5, 1918, which was lost (being charges on carload of shavings for the Bureau of Horses), and charging same to Appropriation No. 1033.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2032. An Ordinance widening and straightening Webster avenue, from Fullerton street to Roberts street, in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The Chair (for Mr. Herron) presented

No. 2033. Communication from the Oakland Board of Trade, transmitting copy of resolution adopted by said organization asking the City to provide \$350,000.00 for the completion of

the Armory Building in the Oakland district.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2034.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Pittsburgh, January 16, 1919.

To the Honorable, the Council
of the City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—On Bill 1885, being a resolution authorizing the City Solicitor to make an investigation of all corporation property and report to Council as to whether or not such property is taxed, and requesting him to prepare a bill for the Legislature, subjecting such property to taxation, I beg to report:

That an investigation discloses that a large amount of property, belonging to the public service corporations in Pittsburgh, is exempt from taxation, a statement of such property having heretofore been submitted to Council by the Board of Assessors.

The enclosed Act, which is ready for presentation to the Legislature, I believe covers the subject of taxation of the property of public service companies in the City fully. Should your honorable body find that said Act covers the matter satisfactorily, kindly advise and I shall have the same presented to the Legislature at an early date.

Should any changes in said Act be desirable, kindly advise, and they will be made.

Yours very truly,

STEPHEN STONE,
City Solicitor.

AN ACT.

Creating additional subjects of taxation in cities of the second class, by subjecting all real estate situate in cities of the second class and owned or possessed by any public service or quasi public corporation to taxation for city and school purposes, the same as other real estate in said cities, and defining the term "real estate" as used herein.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that all real estate situate in cities of the second class and owned or possessed by any public service or quasi public corporation shall be subject to taxation

for city and school purposes, the same as other real estate in said cities.

Section 2. The term "real estate" shall be construed to include not only the lands owned and possessed by any public service or quasi public corporation, but shall also include the buildings, structures and improvements erected thereon, and all such real estate shall be taxable for the purposes aforesaid, whether the same is or is not indispensable to the proper exercise of the corporate franchises of such corporations; provided, however, that rights of way of railroad or railway companies shall not be included in the term of "real estate" as used herein.

Section 3. All acts or parts of acts general, special or local, inconsistent herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2035. Petition of property owners and residents asking that the streets and sidewalks in the Glen Mawr avenue district, Twentieth ward, be improved.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The **Chair** presented

No. 2036. An Ordinance providing that all officers and employees of the City who are now required by ordinance to give bond to the City for faithful performance of duty, shall give a surety company bond, providing that the City shall pay the premium on said bonds, and making an appropriation for the payment of said premiums for the year 1919.

Also

No. 2037. Resolution authorizing the City Solicitor to satisfy and discontinue the lien filed at M. L. D. No. 1, April Term, 1918, against the property of Francisco Accetto for the grading, paving and curbing of Paulson avenue, upon the payment of \$91.87 by said Francisco Accetto, this being the debt and interest on said lien, and also payment by him of the costs on said lien and the costs on appeal at No. 2365 July Term, 1917.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2038. Communication from William F. Stuetz, complaining about the non-removal of garbage from residences on Goehring avenue, North Side.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

Also

No. 2039.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, January 20, 1919.

Mr. John S. Herron,
President of Council,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—I would be pleased to have a conference with the members of Council in the Mayor's office Wednesday morning, January 22, at 11 o'clock, to confer on matters pertaining to the annual budget, especially the subject of policemen's and firemen's wages.

Anticipating that Council may be willing to correct what seems to me to be a mistake in the budget, I suggest that a special meeting of Council be called for Wednesday afternoon, the 22nd inst., at 3:30 o'clock.

Very respectfully yours

E. V. BARCOCK,
Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. **Robertson** moved

That the communication be received and filed, and that the conference be held as requested.

Mr. **English** moved

That the hour of the conference be fixed for 1:30 o'clock P. M., Wednesday, January 22, 1919, instead of 11 o'clock A. M.

Mr. **McArdle** arose and said:

"Mr. President, I don't want to oppose the motion to have the conference, but I do want to say this. I can see no reason why the Mayor did not sign the salary bill promptly after familiarizing himself with its provisions. Council, in good faith, increased the wages and salaries of hundreds of the lesser paid employees of the City and made the necessary appropriation to meet the increases. Every day the Mayor delays signing the bill every laborer in the City's service loses thirty-five cents and the lesser paid employees approximately the same. It isn't fair to these employees to penalize them because there is divergent views on some other matter.

"Any changes that Council desires to make affecting the pay of the men in the police bureau could be done as quickly and effectively in a separate amending ordinance, and that is the course that I think justice dictates as the one to follow."

Mr. **Winters** arose and said:

"Mr. President, I want to concur in the statements made by Mr. McArdle, and to say, further, that the budget as constituted went to the Mayor with the

approval of nine members of this Council and if any member of this Council has been instrumental (and I don't know that such has been the case or not) in calling any question to the Mayor's mind that has caused this controversy, he has not been consistent with his action in voting on the budget before it went to the Mayor. I believe this was the first time that the full membership of Council voted in the affirmative on the salary and appropriation ordinances. The bills passed unanimously, and any member who has since changed his mind does so on account of inconsistency or on account of lack of understanding when he voted at the former time.

"Like Mr. McArdle, I don't believe it is fair to hold up the increased pay of other City employees not involved in the controversy."

Mr. Burke arose and said:

"Mr. President, I concur in both the statements. I think it is a crime to hold up the small increases, particularly the 35 cents a day to City laborers and the other small increases that there is no controversy on. I am told that the increase for these laborers amounts to thousands of dollars a day. This should be going into their pockets to permit them to buy a little meat, flour and the necessities of life for their families. I say it is a crime to hold up the budget because some person has conceived the idea that there is something wrong between the pay of the firemen and policemen. I wish somebody would explain the difference to me. Mayor Babcock says that the policeman is short \$2.50 in his envelope each month. The Controller's department says that is not so, and they don't say that there is a difference between the salary of the firemen and the policemen. I believe this budget as presented to the Mayor should be put into law."

Mr. Garland arose and said:

"Mr. President, I would like to ask what is the consensus of opinion of the members of Council as to what the purpose would be if the Mayor wants an amendment to the ordinance, which would re-open the budget? Personally, my mind is made up on the budget and, as far as I am concerned, the budget is closed. It has gone to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval. Why does he not take action on it? Let him do that, and if he disapproves of any part we can then act on his veto."

"I don't see the necessity of the conference on Wednesday. If the Mayor vetoes any item or items in the appropriation or salary ordinance we will receive his message in the ordinary way on next Monday."

"A motion should be adopted that it is the opinion of the members of Council

that they are not in favor of re-opening the budget."

And the question recurring on the motion, "That the communication of the Mayor be received and filed, and the time of the conference be fixed for 1:30 o'clock P. M. Wednesday, January 22, 1919, instead of 11 o'clock A. M."

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. English moved

That it is the sense of the members of Council that the budget be not opened under any circumstances.

Mr. Garland moved

To amend the motion. That it is the opinion of the members of Council that they are not in favor of re-opening the budget, and that any matters which are brought up in the conference that the Council and Mayor agree on will be made the subject of ordinances which can be presented to Council later.

Upon which motion Mr. English demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

So the motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2040. Report of the Committee on Finance for January 14, 1919, transmitting several resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1973. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Miss Ida B. Burns for the sum of \$112.03, being the difference between the amount asked for and the amount allowed by resolution of Council for damages on account of sewer connection damaged by employees of the City in front of her property at 225 Coltart square, and charging the same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1974. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Miss Madeline McGarr for 20 days at the rate of \$2.50 per day for stenographic services, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account B-No. 1328, Department of Supplies.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1985. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Year 1918 Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 80.91	1147
Keystone Laundry Co.....	165.68	1163
Bertram G. Case.....	18.88	1166
The Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.....	23.49	1166

Penn Storage Battery Co.	159.38	1166
A. H. Johnson.....	140.19	1166

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1986. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts of the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Anchor Sanitary Co.....	\$ 7.20	1321
Canton Art Metal Co.....	120.00	1066
Consumers Auto Supply Co.....	21.00	1809
Diebold Lumber Co., E. M.	2.50	1224
Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co., The.....	4.80	1165
Feick Brothers Co.....	57.50	1236
Garland, J. C.....	10.70	1808
Happ, Charles.....	9.00	1675
Heeren Brothers Co.....	6.00	1156
Helsley, S. E.....	4.85	1808
Jenkins, T. C.....	235.65	1320
Kurtz, Langbein & Swartz	9.06	1320
Liberty Show Print Co.....	9.20	1808
Logan Gregg Hdwe. Co.....	4.50	1227
McKenna Brass Mfg. Co.....	46.00	1650
McKown-Carnes Co.....	9.60	1808
McLaughlin, Charles R.....	2.75	1148
May-Keleher Co.....	69.06	1027
Mulford Co., H. K.....	37.76	1206
Packard Motor Car Co.....	14.71	1556
Stewart, Jesse C. Co.....	636.00	1320
Stout, B. F.....	3.25	1700
Strain, James D.....	1.00	1556
Tabulating Machine Co.....	1.92	1201
Thomas Co., Arthur H.....	19.88	1650

Troy Laundry Machine Co.	244.30	1321
United States Rubber Co.	45.26	1655
Woodwell Co., Joseph.....	6.50	1330

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1987. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriations shown below:

Schedule	Amount	No.	Appropriation
J. K. Davison & Brother.	\$ 10.30	1654	
John Eichleay, Jr., Co.....	115.00	1654	
W. J. Tener & Co.....	1,609.84	1654	
H. W. Johns-Manville Co...	28.50	1657	
Oakland Hand Laundry....	12.80	1682	
W. J. Tener & Co.....	79.00	1744	
Eclipse Laundry Co.....	3.00	1800	
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.	4.67	1810	
The Empire Laundry Co..	8.30	1807	
Hollis Smith Co.....	9.70	1810	
Frank McComb.....	193.00	1810	
John Eichleay, Jr., Co.....	100.00	127	
James McNeill & Brother Co.	1,668.00	127	
John Eichleay, Jr., Co.....	72.00	187-A	
The Empire Laundry Co.	21.15	Oliver	
		Bath Trust Fund	

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1988. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of J. S. Clapper Company for \$7.25 for repairs contracted for by the office of the Mayor, and charging same to Code Account No. 1017, and a warrant in favor of the Security Company for \$16.75 for repairs contracted for by the Division of Motor Vehicles, and charging same to Code Account No. 1029.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1989. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of the Firestone Rubber Company for \$346.27, on Appropriation Item 1556, instead of the one lost in the mail.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Robertson
English	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2000. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Catherine Kleine in payment of damages caused by injuries received by falling on Schlimmer street steps during the month of December, 1917, and charging the same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2013. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. A. Fraracci in the sum of \$76.00, in full settlement of all claims against the City for damages to personal property by reason of the flooded condition of her cellar at No. 7318 Tioga street by City sewer backing into same, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1975. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Louis Weil, Dog License Collector, for the sum of \$288.50, being amount due him under Ordinance No. 11, Series 1914; to be paid from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

In Finance Committee, January 14, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the words "42, Contingent Fund." and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "1062, Miscellaneous Service," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1990. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of George McCague for water rent for year 1918, assessed against building occupied by the Workshop for the Blind in the First ward.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2001. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$4,866.52 from Appropriation Account No. 1644, "Wages, Regular," to Appropriation Account No. 1645, "Wages Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, to provide for the payment of 1918 labor charges at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1808. Whereas, The Legislature of Pennsylvania will soon assemble; and

Whereas, As is always the case, much legislation will be introduced affecting the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, Some of this legislation is likely to be detrimental to the interests of the taxpayers of Pittsburgh; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be requested to assign one (1) member of the Law

Department to keep a record of every bill introduced in the Legislature affecting the City of Pittsburgh; and be it further

Resolved, That the Mayor, the Controller and each member of Council promptly receive records or titles of every bill affecting the City of Pittsburgh immediately after introduction of such bill, through the Law Department of the City of Pittsburgh.

In Finance Committee January 14, 1919. Read and amended in the first "Resolved" clause by striking out the words "Mayor be requested to assign one (1) member of the Law Department" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "President of Council be directed to assign one (1) person," and by striking out the entire second "Resolved" clause and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the following: "Resolved, That the President of Council be authorized and directed to procure the services of a competent person to be in attendance at the sessions of the Legislature and who shall carefully examine all proposed legislation directly or indirectly affecting the City of Pittsburgh and furnish the Mayor and Council with copy of same, together with report of its progress in the Legislature, and such other information as he may deem important. The expenses and compensation of said person shall be paid from Appropriation Code No. 1013-M, on vouchers approved by the Finance Committee," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1859. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration on property of Mrs. Ida Farrell, at 127-129 Wooster street. Fifth ward, for water rent for the first quarter of 1918, amounting to \$46.80.

In Finance Committee, January 14, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the "\$46.80" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$29.79," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2041. Report of the Committee on Public Works for January 14, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1182. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for the repaving, recurbing and otherwise improving of Carson street West, from a point 1332.7 feet eastwardly from South Main street to a point 1,221.91 feet westwardly from the south approach to the Point Bridge over the Monongahela river, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Public Works.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 1832. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance changing the lines of and widening Carson street West, in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 895.40 feet eastwardly from South Main street to a point 1,221.91 feet westwardly from the south approach to the Point Bridge over the Monongahela river, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 1833. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of the easterly shoulder and sidewalk of Beltzhoover avenue, from the end of present pavement south of Cedarhurst street to Charles street, Borough of Knoxville, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 1982. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting permission to the Entress Brick Company, a Pennsylvania corporation, to grade Marohn street, from Bedford avenue to a point 395.53 feet northwardly from the northerly line of Bedford avenue, and Tomahawk street, from Marohn street to the easterly line of Robert Woods Plan of Lots, at their own cost and expense."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2002. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for the furnishing and constructing of sheet metal work in connection with new heating system at the North Side Market, and setting aside \$6,000.00 from Code Account 1592½ Structural and Non-structural Improvements to the North Side Market, Bureau of City Property, for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2042. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for January 14, 1919, transmitting a plan of lots and sundry ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1997. Hartmann Bros. Plan of Lots, Twelfth ward, and the dedication of the street and ways shown therein.

Which was read, accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

Also

Bill No. 1938. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance accepting the 'Hartmann Brothers Plan of Lots,' in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by Thomas F. Hartmann, Frank W. Hartmann, George J. Hartmann and Christ W. Hartmann, accepting the dedication of Beggs way, Easton way, Montezuma street and Verdun way as shown thereon for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same, and establishing the grades on Brainard street, Beggs way, Easton way, Montezuma street, Olivant street and Verdun way.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. protem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1940. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade of Marohn street from Bedford avenue to a point 395.53 feet north of the north line of Bedford avenue, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. protem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1941. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Tomahawk street, from Marohn street to the easterly line of Robert Woods Plan of Lots, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. protem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1991. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the McConway and Torley Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a ten-inch (10") cast iron pipe 13 feet below the street grade for the purpose of conveying water from pumps to turbine engines in the building of the McConway and Torley Company. Pumps situated on the east side of Forty-eighth street at approximately 455 feet northwardly from the north right of way of the Allegheny Valley Railroad; then at right angles from the building on the east side of Forty-eighth street for a distance of 10½ feet to a point in street; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left in a south-

erly direction for a distance of 62 feet parallel with McConway and Torley Company Building to a point; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left for a distance of 10½ feet to the building of the McConway and Torley Company."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2043. Report of the Committee on Filtration and Water for January 14, 1919, transmitting several resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2003. Whereas, It was found necessary, due to the fact that vacancies existed at Brilliant and Ross Pumping Stations, Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works; and,

Whereas, It was expedient to fill these vacancies temporarily by lower-rated men already employed at these stations; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the following mentioned employees to cover the difference in pay between their rated positions and the higher-grade positions to which they were assigned:

	Difference in	Rate	Amount
Scott Crooks, from oiler to second assistant engineer, 266½ days.....	60c		\$159.90

George Redinger, from laborer to oiler, 11 days....	90c	9.90
Jos. W. Gibbs, from laborer to oiler, 11 days....	90c	9.90
Edw. J. Bender, from laborer to oiler, 4 days....	90c	3.60
Jos. Zirhut, from repairman to oiler, 202 days..	90c	181.80
Benj. Fulton, from second assistant engineer to first assistant engineer, 217½ days	75c	163.22
Jno. McNally, from oiler to second assistant engineer, 218½ days.....	60c	131.18
Jno. Corbett, second assistant engineer, primary station to first assistant engineer, primary station, 156¼ days.....	75c	117.19
Jno. Corbett, first assistant engineer, secondary station, to first assistant engineer, primary station, 104 days.....	50c	52.00

\$828.69

Same to be charged to Appropriation 1653, "Wages, Temporary," Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2004. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John F. Casey Company for \$3,624.06, for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at pumping stations during the month of December, 1918 and charging same to Account No. 1653, "Wages, Temporary," Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2005. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuade & Sons Company for \$1,718.91, for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa., during the month of August, 1918, and charging same to Account No. 1645, "Wages, Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh (Pres. pro tem)
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2006. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuade & Sons Company for \$7,295.41, for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa., during the month of October, 1918, and charging same to Account No. 1645, "Wages, Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

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Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2007. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuade & Sons Company for \$8,635.32, for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa., during the month of November, 1918, and charging same to Account No. 1645, "Wages, Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

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Noes—None.

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MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2044. Resolved, By the City Council of Pittsburgh, in session assembled this 20th day of January, A. D. 1919, that a committee be appointed by Council to work in co-operation with the Mayor and City authorities for the proper welcome and care of our returning soldier boys; be it further

Resolved, That, as the time for the return of Pittsburgh's soldier boys is drawing near, said committee immediately take action and confer with the

Mayor and City authorities so that plans of welcome may at once be put under way, and our returning soldiers be assured of a proper reception.

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

The adoption of the resolution, and said:

"All cities and all states in the Union have looked forward with pride and joy to the return of the soldier boys. When the armistice was declared joy ran riot throughout the United States; every state, every city, every village and hamlet, experienced the same wild sense of delight—the same glorious pride in the Allied victory. The people knew that a new era had dawned in the downfall of autocracy and the victorious rise of democracy. In America we knew and we felt that the American boys played a gallant, a significant and an important part in the defeat of Prussianism. In fact, we believe the American forces were a prime factor in bringing about a peace with victory.

"These boys who gave up their all, who separated themselves from all they held dear, who left their native land to fight for the principles and ideals of that native land, who fearlessly fought and never flinched on the field of battle, in the face of fire and falling bullets, have finished their work—they have made the world safe for democracy. Those who have not yielded their lives on the altar of their country in the sacred cause of humanity are returning to us. Pittsburgh counts her sons among the very bravest; they have rendered a good account of themselves; they have by their acts of daring and bravery introduced the name of Pittsburgh into the world hall of fame; they have added greater lustre and glory to the sacred historical traditions of this grand old Keystone State.

"Other cities and states throughout our country have made suitable arrangements for the proper welcoming of their returning soldiers. Pittsburgh should now have under way plans to welcome its returning soldier lads. This should not be left until the last moment, for hasty preparations, late preparations are generally faulty. The Pittsburgh soldier lads will measure our appreciation of what they have done for us by our demonstration of welcome on their return. There should be no hurried plans for welcoming them, caring for them, entertaining them, but deliberate, well-laid plans to insure their comfort, to make them realize that we honor them—that we are glad they have been returned to us, and that, as long as Pittsburgh remains a city, the people of each generation will remember with pride, with love and veneration, that the Pittsburgh boys 'played well their part' and

were numbered among the bravest of the brave in the great world war that was fought for the sacred cause of humanity that the world might be made safe for democracy."

Mr. Garland arose and said:

"Mr. President, I don't think any Councilman will disagree on anything that has been said. We have appropriated \$25,000.00 for this purpose, and, in the meantime, the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, as well as the Red Cross, is taking care of the soldiers and sailors. The money appropriated by Council was placed in the hands of the Mayor, subject to approval of the expenditures by the Committee on Finance. I don't think the author of the resolution will object to letting this matter rest with the Mayor until we get through with the budget. However if the author of the resolution will amend same to read, That the Council co-operate with the Mayor in getting busy at once on the appointment of the committee to take care of the returning soldiers, and that a copy of Mr. Burke's remarks be sent to the Mayor, I will vote for it."

Mr. Garland moved.

That a copy of Mr. Burke's remarks be sent to the Mayor and that the resolution be amended by substituting the following: "Resolved, That the Council co-operate with the Mayor in getting busy, at once, on the appointment of the committee to take care of the returning soldiers."

Mr. Burke accepted the amendment, and moved

That the resolution, as amended, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2045. Whereas, Council contemplates submitting to the voters of the City for their approval or disapproved various proposals to increase the bonded indebtedness of the City for the purpose of executing some desirable public improvements; and

Whereas, The citizens of various parts of the City are interested in and have been promoting one or more projects which they regard as vital to the interests of the City in general and to their communities in particular; and

Whereas, It is to the advantage of Council and the interests of the City to have Council fully advised as to the desires and views of all the citizens with respect to projects in which they are interested, so that Council may act with the fullest possible knowledge of the merits of all proposed improvements when making up a bond budget; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Finance Committee

hold public hearings on all phases of the questions involved in a people's bond election, to which all parties interested are invited to present their views and express their desires, and that such hearings continue from time to time on such dates and at such hours as the chairman may fix until all requests for hearings have been complied with, including night sessions, if necessary; be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be mailed to the secretary of each civic or trade body known to the Clerk and that the press be requested to give it due publicity.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. English presented

No. 2046. Resolved, That the Council of the City of Pittsburgh and His Honor, the Mayor, recommend to the trustees of the Carnegie Library that a complete branch library be established at the United States Government Hospital No. 24 for wounded soldiers, known as Park View; and be it further

Resolved, That the trustees are hereby requested to communicate with the United States authorities in charge of said hospital and offer the services of trained and experienced librarians and all necessary equipment, supplies and materials to operate a complete library; and be it further

Resolved, That the intent and purpose of this resolution is to promptly place at the bedside of our wounded heroes all the library facilities of a grateful city.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Bill No. 2017. Communication from the Mayor, returning, without his

approval, Bill No. 1409, Resolution exonerating the First Christian Church of Banksville from payment of sewer assessments.

In Council, January 13, 1919. Read, laid over for one week and copy furnished each member.

Which was read, received and filed.

And

Bill No. 1409. Resolution exonerating the First Christian Church of Banksville, Pa., from payment of assessment at No. 2425 January Term, 1918, of \$285.00, for sewerage Broadway avenue, Eighteenth ward, and for sewerage Olcott way, at No. 1457 April Term, 1918, for \$53.00.

In Council, January 13, 1919. Returned by the Mayor without his approval, read and laid over for one week.

Which was read.

And on the question, "Shall the resolution become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?"

The ayes and noes were taken, agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Robertson
English	Winters

Noes—Messrs.

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Ayes—6.

Noes—2.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution became a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the committee meetings be held on Wednesday, January 22, 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M., instead of on Tuesday, January 21, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. Robertson,
Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

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Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
English Rauh
Garland Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Absent—Mr.

Dailey.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2048. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts for the construction of a sewer on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Soho Playgrounds) and the northwest sidewalk of Wyandotte street, from a point about 435 feet north of Wyandotte street to the existing sewer on Moultrie street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. English presented

No. 2049. Petition of citizens of the Third ward, asking for the erec-

tion of a soldiers' and sailors' tablet on plot of ground owned by the City at the corner of Colwell and Reed streets.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2050. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Colonial Supply Co.....	\$ 78.02	1656
Larkin Manufacturing Co.....	288.00	1168

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

American Bulb Co.....	95.50	1707
Atlantic Refining Co.....	73.13	185-A
Babcock & Wilcox Co.....	556.05	1321
Baur Brothers Bakery (Ward Baking Co.).....	21.39	1148
B. B. & B. Trunk Co.....	19.50	1650
Harry Braun	873.16	1320
Broido, A. H.....	8.75	1808
Chesterton Co., A. W.....	35.64	1656
DuPont Powder Co.....	173.18	185-A
Glesenkamp Co., L.....	80.00	1406
Greenwood Construction & Supply Co.....	558.00	1324
Groah Construction Co., B. A.	20.00	187-A
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.....	.39	1148
Hill Top Lumber Co.....	229.50	1034
Johnson, A. H.....	3.00	1149
Kennedy Co., D. J.....	12.00	1663
Lange Motor Truck Co.....	8.36	1656
Lemmon Co., B. W.....	.60	1416
Lippincott & McNeil.....	43.90	1426
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.....	.90	1716
MacGregor-Cutler Printing Co.....	139.50	1096
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.....	96.97	185-A

Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.	102.00	1321
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	6.75	1415
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	2.70	1555
Stewart Co., Jesse C.	750.00	A.T.F.
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.	38.00	185-A
Thomas, Joseph (Greensburg, Pa.)	45.00	1707
Welsbach Gas Lamp Co.	4.89	1148
Underwood Typewriter Co.	2.65	1808
Underwood Typewriter Co.	2.50	1811

Also

No. 2051. Whereas, The following bills for repairs were contracted by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, without competitive bids and, consequently, can be paid only by authority of a resolution passed by Council in conformity with the Act of 1874 and

Whereas, Said repairs were furnished, accepted and used by the City during the month of December, 1918.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the firms and persons in payment of claims as scheduled below, and charge the amounts to appropriation items as shown in said schedule:

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Fred Bauer & Co.	54.80	1516
Samuel Dougherty	18.45	1516
Duquesne Tool Mfg. Co.	8.70	1516
R. Doyle	92.90	1516
Andrew Engel	58.15	1516
I. J. Glatch	5.95	1516
Hacker Bros.	19.45	1516
William Morath	5.75	1516
George Purdy	35.30	1516
Henry Rectanus	23.65	1516
Joseph Schiller	45.40	1516
H. D. Anderson	144.20	1516
H. D. Anderson	143.20	1525
Mayer Wagon Co.	145.95	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.	42.25	1525
C. G. Ruhlandt	31.00	1516
C. G. Ruhlandt	27.00	1525
John Sauter Co.	12.00	1516
John Sauter Co.	10.05	1525
H. W. Swisshelm	146.00	1516
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Joseph W. Houck	39.20	1520
James E. Mercer	22.50	1520
W. B. McRoberts	6.60	1520
H. Hunziker	349.00	1525
Kress Bros. Wagon Co.	61.55	1525
Packard Motor Co.	337.77	1525
Stewart Products Service Station	3.25	1525
Samuel Ward	148.30	1525
Iron City Spring Co.	6.25	1557

National Gear Wheel Foundry	30.00	155
Pearson Mfg. Co.	199.34	155

Also

No. 2052. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

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John Eichleay, Jr., Co.	\$ 60.50	141
B. W. Lemmon Co.	25.45	141
B. K. Elliott Co.	42.30	142
A. E. Jones Co.	34.00	156
Keystone Laundry Co.	130.80	156
Taylor & Dean	9.00	158
Allegheny Repair Co.	81.65	156
Scholz Bros. Hardware Co.	8.70	156
Profit Sharing Laundry Co.	142.50	156
Allegheny Repair Co.	32.18	157
Hoover Scale Co.	1.50	167
James A. McKenna	89.00	157
A. E. Jones Co.	9.50	157
John F. Brunner Co.	23.28	158
James A. McKenna	23.45	158
Otis Elevator Co.	366.85	158
John Sauter Co.	1.50	158
Allegheny Garbage Co.	211.75	158
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.	58.34	158
Allegheny Repair Co.	55.57	159
James A. McKenna	85.90	159
S. M. Dick Plumbing & Heating Co.	12.65	161
James A. McKenna	177.49	162
James A. McKenna	28.90	162
B. F. Stout	4.00	170
Frank McComb	614.00	181

Also

No. 2053. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Western Union Telegraph Co. for the sum of \$30.87 for two telegrams, one to Montivideo, Uruguay, and the other to Paris, France, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42.

Also

No. 2054. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of William McK. Reed, chairman of the Homes Registration Committee, for the sum of \$945.94 for expenses incurred in the homes registration service, and charging same to Code Account No. 1018-B, Unliquidated Claims of the Bureau of City Housing.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2055. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of W. J. Tener & Co. in the sum of \$92.64,

for insurance on boilers in the Public Safety Building, and charging same to Appropriation Item B-1130, Miscellaneous Services.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2056. An Ordinance amending parts of Sections twenty-four, twenty-five and twenty-eight of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved 22nd day of January, A. D. 1919, by providing that the additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) per annum referred to therein for certain officers and employees shall be payable only upon the sum equivalent to two (2) per centum of the annual salary or wages of such officers and employees being paid monthly to the Firemen's Disability Board from their compensation payable to them by the City of Pittsburgh, and defining the procedure relating thereto.

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No. 2058. Resolution exonerating the First Christian Church of Banksville from the payment of an assessment of \$285.00 for sewerage on Broadway avenue, Eighteenth ward, and an assessment of \$54.00 for sewerage on Olcott way, and that the City relieve said church from the payment of both of said assessments, together with all court costs due thereon, and charging same to the City of Pittsburgh, and repealing Bill No. 1409 relating to the same matter.

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Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

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Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. **Rauh** presented

No. 2065. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
	Year 1918	
St. John's General Hospital	\$ 61.50	1163
	Year 1919	
Stewart L. McCurdy, M. D.	25.00	1163
Drs. Goldsmith & Gorfinkel	10.00	1163
Dr. J. Floyd Murdoch	18.00	1163
Bertram G. Case	4.00	1166
N. C. Davison Gas Burner & Welding Co.	126.90	1166
The Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.	8.91	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.	30.90	1166
Robbins Electric Co.	25.60	1166

Also

No. 2066. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Keystone Typewriter Service Company for \$18.00 for repairs to typewriter in the Department of Law, and charging same to Code Account No. 1074, Department of Law.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

And

No. 2067. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the southwest sidewalk of Jackson street, from a point about 70 feet southeast of Highview street to the existing sewer on Heth's avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. **Robertson** presented

No. 2068. An Ordinance amending Line 2 Section 8, Mayor's Office, Division of Motor Vehicles; Line 32, Section 24, Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Fire; Line 61, Section 46, Department of Charities, City Home and Hospital, Mayview; Line 4, Section 55, Department of Public Works, Division of Design; Section 57, Department of Public Works, Division of Sewers; and Section 58, Department of Public Works, Division of Streets, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and

the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2069. An Ordinance amending certain sections (Department of Public Works) of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, as shown in Section 1 of this ordinance.

Also

No. 2070. An Ordinance amending Line 1, Section 51, "Chief Accountant," of Division of Accounting, Department of Public Works, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2071. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Craig Electric Company for \$69.79 for repairs to electric wiring in the Public Safety Building, for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, and charging same to Appropriation No. —

Also

No. 2072. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the B. A. Groah Construction Company for \$1,026.00 for general repairs at the Public Safety Building for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, and charging same to Appropriation No. —

Also

No. 2073. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Jos. A. Langdon & Sons Company for \$204.06 for repairs to the heating system at the Public Safety Building, for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, and charging same to Appropriation No. —

Also

No. 2074. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of A. W. Miller Company for \$448.83 for plumbing work at the Public Safety Building, for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, and charging same to Appropriation No. —

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2075. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuaide & Sons Company for \$9,192.06 for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa. during the month of December, 1918, and charging same to Account No. 1645, "Wages, Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Filtration and Water.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2076. An Ordinance amending Line 4, Section 12, Department of City Controller, Bureau of Accounting Revision, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 2077. An Ordinance supplementing and amending an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, Section 63, Department of Public Works, Asphalt Plant, "Laborers" and "Hot Shovelers."

Also

No. 2078. Communication from the Women's Committee, Allegheny County, Council of National Defense, asking for an appropriation for the continuation of their work during 1919.

Also

No. 2079. Communication from the Spring Hill Board of Trade, relative to hearings on the items to be included in the proposed bond issue.

Also

No. 2080. Communication from E. C. Brainerd, asking that the sum of \$350,000.00 be included in the proposed bond issue for the completion of the Eighteenth Regiment Armory Building.

Also

No. 2081. Communication from J. D. Ayres, asking that the sum of \$350,000.00 be included in the proposed bond issue for the completion of the Eighteenth Regiment Armory Building.

Also

No. 2082. Communication from Howard Neely, asking that the sum of \$350,000.00 be included in the proposed bond issue for the completion of the Eighteenth Regiment Armory Building.

Also

No. 2083. Communication from J. B. Yohe, endorsing the proposition for the completion of the Eighteenth Regiment Armory Building.

Also

No. 2084. Communication from the Oakland Board of Trade, endorsing the proposition for the erection of the drill hall in connection with the Eighteenth Armory Building.

Also

No. 2085. Communication from Martha L. Hamilton, asking that the City purchase her property at 7630 Washington boulevard.

Also

No. 2086. Communication from Joseph A. Mensch, asking the City to appropriate, by bond issue, the sum of \$350,000.00 for the completion of the Armory Building in the Oakland district.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2087. Communication from the Brushton Board of Trade, relative to the Brushton swimming pool and the establishment of a gymnasium in the same building.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

That the communication be received and filed and that at the next conference on the bond items this subject be considered.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2088. Communication from the Association for the Improvement of the Hillside of the Sixteenth ward, relative to improvement of certain streets in the Sixteenth ward.

Also

No. 2089. Communication from the Women's Historical Society of Pennsylvania, offering a bronze bas relief of Abraham Lincoln as a gift to the City of Pittsburgh, to be placed in the City-County Building.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2090. Remonstrance of property owners against the maintenance and operation by the Allegheny County Light Company (now Duquesne Light Company) of a power plant and tower on Forty-eighth street supporting its wires crossing the Allegheny river.

Also

No. 2091. An Ordinance repealing an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Allegheny County Light Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, the right to enter upon, use and occupy a certain portion of Forty-eighth street for the construction of a tower supporting its wires crossing the Allegheny river, subject to the terms and conditions herein provided," approved June 9, 1917, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 28, page 509.

Also

No. 2092. An Ordinance chang-

ing the lines of Frankstown avenue, in the Thirteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 43.25 feet west of Tokio street to the City line, by widening certain section of the street, as laid out and opened in "Standard Place Plan," the "East View Plan" and the "Perchment Addition to Brushton Borough," and as widened by Ordinance No. 187, approved June 26, 1901, and vacating certain other sections of the street as laid out and opened in the "Standard Place Plan" and the "East View Plan," and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 2093. Communication from Gilbert C. Cloonan, state commander, United Spanish War Veterans, asking representation on the committee to be appointed for the purpose of entertaining returning soldiers.

Which was read.

Mr. **Raub** moved

That the communication be received and filed, and a copy be sent to the Mayor.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2094.

Pittsburgh, Pa., January 21, 1919.

To Hon. Mayor and Council,
City-County Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

At a regular meeting of the Brookline Board of Trade on January 13, 1919, the following resolution was ordered spread on the minutes and copies sent to the Mayor and Council:

Whereas, The Mayor and Council of the City of Pittsburgh have consummated a contract between the City of Pittsburgh and the South Pittsburgh Water Company, whereby the City will pay the difference between City water rates and the rates of the South Pittsburgh Water Company to residents of the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, All residents of the City of Pittsburgh using water furnished by the South Pittsburgh Water Company will be benefited by a reduction in water rates; and

Whereas, Brookline is one of the communities so benefited; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Brookline Board of Trade hereby extends a vote of thanks

to the Mayor and Council for bringing about an equalization of water rates.

Unanimously adopted January 13, 1919.

BROOKLINE BOARD OF TRADE,

J. F. MOORE,

President.

W. F. ANDRE,

Secretary.

Which was read.

Mr. **English** moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2095. Communication from E. F. Nolte, complaining of building permits being issued for the construction of garages on prominent private residence streets of the City.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. **Burke** presented

No. 2096. Resolved, That it be the sense of this Council that the policemen of the City of Pittsburgh be relieved from contributing the sum of \$2.50 monthly into their pension fund.

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

The adoption of the resolution, and said:

"Mr. President, I believe this resolution should pass. To compel the firemen to pay a like sum of \$2.50 per month into their pension fund would not relieve the policemen from their assessment and would not be of any material advantage to them.

"Furthermore, I do not believe the police of this City want to become part of any scheme to take from their fellow-workers an advantage or benefit.

"I have always been for the betterment of working conditions and an upward standardization of wages. I have never been a party to taking away from any man or set of men a working benefit they obtained; and, inasmuch as to take the \$30,000.00 contributed by the City to the Firemen's Pension Fund will not benefit the police—will work a hardship on the firemen—I believe the equitable and just way is to relieve the policemen from paying the \$2.50 per month."

Mr. **English** moved

That the resolution be referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. **Garland** moved

To lay the motions on the table.

Upon which motion Mr. **Burke** demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken and, being taken, were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Garland	Robertson
McArdle	Winters

Noes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
English	Rauh

Ayes—4.

Noes—4.

And there not being a majority of the votes in the affirmative, the motion did not prevail.

And the question recurring on the motion to refer to the Finance Committee, Mr. **Burke** demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken and, being taken, were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Rauh
English	

Noes—Messrs.

Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—3.

Noes—5.

And there not being a majority of the votes in the affirmative, the motion did not prevail.

And the question recurring on the motion to adopt the resolution, Mr. **Garland** demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken and, being taken, were:

Ayes—Mr.

Burke

Noes—Messrs.

Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

(Messrs. English and Rauh not voting)

Ayes—1.

Noes—5.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the negative, the resolution was rejected.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 2097. Whereas, It has come to the knowledge of Council from various sources that rents, particularly of small dwellings, are being raised, the statements being made that said increases are caused by a raise in City taxes; and

Whereas, On a great many properties there will be a reduction in 1919 as com-

pared with 1918, and in no case will there be any appreciable increase; therefore, be it

Resolved, That a comparative statement be prepared by the Mayor and Council, showing taxes for 1918 and 1919, and that same be printed in the daily newspapers for the information of taxpayers and those who pay rent; and be it further

Resolved, That the expense of said advertising be charged against Appropriation No. 1013.

Which was read.

Mr. **Garland** moved.

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Rauh** presented

No. 2098. Whereas, The time for paying taxes and receiving the discount expires on January 31, 1919; and

Whereas, Owing to the delay in fixing the millage and making up of the tax statements, the time for collecting the taxes has been delayed until February 15, 1919; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to extend the time for paying taxes and receiving the benefit of the 2 per cent. discount up to and including Saturday, March 15, 1919.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **McArdle** presented

No. 2099. Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to furnish Council with an estimate of the cost of widening and improving East Carson street, from South Twenty-seventh street to the City line; also an estimate of the cost of improving, to the proper width, Melwood and Fleetwood streets, between Baum boulevard and the improved part of Fleetwood street.

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2100. Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to furnish Council with an estimate of the cost of grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving Butler street, from the end of the present pavement to the Heth's Run Bridge.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2101. Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to furnish Council with an estimate of the cost of widening and improving Berlin way, between Fifty-first street and Fifty-sixth street.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2102. Whereas, The epidemic of influenza is still prevalent, and there still remains to the credit of the appropriation made during the year 1918 the sum of \$22,698.58; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby instructed to carry over to the credit of the same appropriation the balance remaining to the credit of Appropriation No. 1198½ made for the year 1918.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Garland moved

That the minutes of January 20, 1919, and January 22, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. McArdle,

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, February 3, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
English Rauh
Garland Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Absent—Mr.

Dailey

The **Chair** stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of January 27, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. **Robertson** moved

That the minutes of the meeting of January 27, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. **Burke** presented

No. 2103. An Ordinance amending Lines 18, 20 and 24, Section 49, Carnegie Free Library of Allegheny, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2104. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of a sewer on the private property of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company and Ethel street, from a point about 445 feet southeast of Furnace way to a point about 50 feet southeast of Bates street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. **English** presented

No. 2105. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to George H. Hershberger for four lots, Nos. 46, 47, 48 and 49, in W. J. Boyd's Plan, on Kerr street, Twentieth ward, for the sum of \$1,000.00, paid to the Treasurer's office of the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 2106. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Byrnes & Kiefer.....	\$ 72.41	1320
Alex. Black Coal Co.....	2.61	1164
Brown, A. J.....	21.38	1164
Dodge Sales & Engineering Co.....	68.36	185-A
Gilchrist's Sons Co., J. M.....	71.24	1164
Gulf Refining Co., The.....	25.00	1027
Iron City Heating Co.....	78.85	1710
Johnston Co., William G.....	33.00	1063

Kalamazoo Loose Leaf		
Binder Co.	51.00	1666
Kennedy Co., D. J.	2.30	1533
Loomis Electric Co., W. R.	30.00	1236
McCullough Electric Co., W. T.	28.80	185-A
Murphy Iron Works.	1,425.95	1656
Nichols, E. M.	46.80	1650
Nichols, E. M.	240.00	1647
Nichols, E. M.	80.40	1650
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.	18.59	1415
Schenck China Co.	77.61	1236
Second Pool Coal Co.	4.75	1164
Woods Run Coal Co.	22.68	1164
Youghloughen Coal Co.	60.11	1164

Also

No. 2107. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Republic Rubber Company for \$343.75 for filtration hose furnished the Bureau of Water, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1650.

Also

No. 2108. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following City employees for services rendered for the period from January 22 to January 31, 1919, inclusive, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, and charging same to the code accounts as set forth, to-wit:

	Code	Amount. Account
H. K. Keil, assistant engi- neer	\$62.10	1482
F. A. Mauch, assistant engi- neer	62.10	1482
John H. Dalley, Jr., chain- man	31.45	1482
Phineas Reynolds, chain- man	31.45	1482
J. Leo Lowry, chairman	31.45	1470

Also

No. 2109. An Ordinance amending Line 6 and Line 8, Section 14, Department of Collector of Delinquent Taxes, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2110. An Ordinance amending Line 10, Section 35, Department of Public Health, Municipal Hospital, and Line 2, Section 37, Department of Public Health, Bureau of Smoke Regulation, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2111. An Ordinance amending certain portions of Sections 53, 57

and 58, Division of Surveys, Bureau of Engineering, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2112. An Ordinance amending Line 10, Section 53, Department of Public Works, Division of Surveys, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2113. An Ordinance amending Sections 108 and 117, Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2114. An Ordinance supplementing an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, by adding one section, to be known as Section 139 1/2, Tuberculosis Hospital, Bureau of Recreation.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2115. An Ordinance widening Beechwood boulevard at its intersection with Hazelwood avenue, in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2116. An Ordinance widening Greenfield avenue, at the intersection with Hazelwood avenue, in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2117. Petition of residents and property owners for the opening of Hatfield street, between Fiftieth and Fifty-first streets, and for the widening of Berlin way, between Fifty-first street and McCandless avenue.

Also

No. 2118. An Ordinance extending and opening Hatfield street, in the

Ninth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Fiftieth street to Fifty-first street, fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2119. Communication from the Special Electric Company, calling attention to the fact that in the Electric Regulations Ordinance, passed by Council August 2, 1918, the "Metal Rule" was omitted.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2120. Communication from George Metzger, monarch of Islam Grotto No. 35, asking Council's moral support in the entertainment of delegates to the convention to be held in Pittsburgh June 17 and 18, 1919.

Also

No. 2121. An Ordinance amending Line 1, Section 66, "Janitor," North Side Municipal Hall, Department of Public Works, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2122. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Fourth Ward Soldiers' Welfare Association, John H. Callahan, treasurer, for \$669.00, in payment of music furnished in parades of draftees departing from the Third Zone, Fourth ward, Pittsburgh, during the year 1918, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2123. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$148.04 from the General Fund of Code Account No. 1592 1/2, Structural and Non-structural Improvements, to the North Side Market, Bureau of City Property, to Contract No. 793.

Also

No. 2124. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of J. J. Wadle in the sum of \$39.60, for water rent for the year 1918, on property at 921 East street.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2125. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Dravo Construction Company for \$36,989.25, for the payment of the balance of the account for repairing the dam in the Allegheny river at Aspinwall, Pa., and charging same to Appropriation No. 1667, Bureau of Water Distribution.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Filtration and Water.

The Chair presented

No. 2126. Communication from John C. Thompson, asking to be exonerated from payment of excessive metered water rent on property at 1602, 1604 and 1606 Clark street, Third ward, for first two quarters of 1918.

Also

No. 2127. Resolution exonerating and exempting Julius Arnd from the payment of the assessment of \$148.50 and interest for the construction of a sewer on Fleetwood street, and directing the City Solicitor not to file any liens on account thereof.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2128. An Ordinance creating certain districts or zones in the City of Pittsburgh, to be known as Fire Zone No. 1, Fire Zone No. 2 and Fire Zone No. 3, and describing the boundary lines thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 2129.

THE CARNEGIE INSTITUTE.

Pittsburgh, Pa., January 27, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin, City Clerk,
City-County Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

My Dear Mr. Martin—I am in receipt of your letter of January 24, enclosing copy of Resolution No. 54, adopted by the City Council on January 20, and approved by the Mayor on January 23, 1919, requesting the trustees of the Carnegie Library to establish a branch library at the United States Government Hospital No. 24, at Park View.

I have at once taken this question up with Mr. John H. Leete, director of the Carnegie Library, and have requested him to take such steps immediately as may be necessary to comply with the wishes of the City authorities in the same spirit of deep sympathy with the purpose which is so eloquently stated in the resolution itself.

Will you be kind enough to inform the

Council of our complete co-operation in this matter?

Sincerely yours,
S. H. CHURCH,
President.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2130. Communication from W. H. Stevenson, chairman of Mississippi to Atlantic Internal Waterways Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, asking the President of Council to appoint a member to attend a meeting of the Mississippi to Atlantic Internal Waterways Convention, to be held at the New Willard Hotel, Washington, D. C., on Wednesday, February 5, 1919, to agree upon report to be presented to the National Rivers and Harbors Committee.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be received and filed, and the President or some member selected by him attend the convention.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2131.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, January 24, 1919.

Mr. John S. Herron, President, and
Members of Council,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen—I herewith return, without my approval, Bill No. 1808, resolution providing that the President of Council assign one man to keep a record of bills introduced in the State Legislature affecting Pittsburgh and that the President of Council procure the services of a competent person to attend the sessions of the Legislature.

This bill, apparently, is designed to employ and keep a lobbyist at Harrisburg. It is not clear whether it is to provide for one or two persons. It appropriates no specified amount. It fixes no salary or definite compensation. It is common street rumor that it is for the personal benefit of the Councilmen of Pittsburgh. Council should not appropriate or spend the taxpayers' money in any sum whatever for their personal benefit.

The resolution implies, in the following language, "Some of this legislation is likely to be detrimental to the interests of the taxpayers of Pittsburgh," that our members of the Legislature and our members of the Senate are there for the purpose of legislating against the

City's interests, instead of legislating for its best interests. I am not willing to be a party to any such inference. Further, I do not approve of spending the City's money for the purposes outlined in this resolution.

Very respectfully yours,
E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

That the communication be laid on the table for one week.

Which motion prevailed.

And

Bill No. 1808. Resolution authorizing and directing the President of Council to procure the services of a competent person to be in attendance at the sessions of the Legislature for the purpose of keeping a record of every bill introduced in the Legislature affecting the City of Pittsburgh.

In Council, January 20, 1919. Rule suspended, read three times and finally passed.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

That Bill No. 1808 be laid on the table for one week.

Which motion prevailed.

At this time Hon. E. V. Babcock, Mayor, appeared before Council and presented the following:

No. 2132.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

February 1, 1919.

Mr. John S. Herron, President, and
Members of Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Dear Sirs—I herewith recommend to you a list of improvements to be made in the City of Pittsburgh to be financed by a people's bond issue. This is in harmony with my pre-election promises to the people of Pittsburgh, and, with one or two exceptions, covers subjects that have been before the officials of Pittsburgh as well as the public for some time past.

Conspicuous among the items is a great, new thoroughfare, that will accommodate the people of the eastern part of the City, North Side, West End and South Side, creating a new highway (the Monongahela boulevard) from Craft avenue to Second avenue and Grant street, thence widening and improving Second avenue through to Liberty avenue, with a proper outlet along Ferry street. This new thoroughfare will be a conspicuous improvement, making the route shorter

in time and distance from Oakland and Squirrel Hill to the downtown district, to the North Side, West End, South Side, and vice versa. It will have the effect of greatly enhancing the value and improving the property two blocks each side of Second avenue, making it vastly more accessible and useful, and should have the effect of relieving congestion in the downtown district in general.

Page one of the recommendations represents the best judgment of the City Planning Commission, who have had weekly meetings since the signing of the armistice and have given the subject great study.

The item of Bigelow boulevard improvements, which, I understand, Council is already on record as favoring, has the effect of largely eliminating two bad and dangerous curves and erecting a badly-needed sidewalk on one side and a retaining wall to prevent continual slides on the other.

The general street repaving item is probably all that can be spent during the present administration in addition to the annual appropriations that Council are wisely making. This I consider to be one of the most important items on the list. Nothing can enhance the conditions of our City so much as good streets, and when once in good condition it should be the City's policy to keep them so.

Many of the items are self-explanatory.

I desire to particularly call your attention to the purchase of the Exposition buildings, which, in my judgment, should be accomplished. These valuable buildings, costing nearly a million dollars, are practically dormant as far as rendering service to the City. They can be easily put to the following uses:

Machinery Hall could be turned into a terminal freight station and leased to the Pittsburgh Railways Company for the handling of freight and express, which will be greatly advantageous to the people of Pittsburgh and help relieve congestion to our streets.

We can transfer to the main buildings the great repair shops of the Division of Motor Vehicles, of the Police Department and of the Fire Department, and make it the headquarters for the carpenter shop, plumbing shop and paint shop, all City activities now scattered about the City, for which large amounts of rent are paid.

The Music Hall can be used for large meetings of any kind for the masses, being easily accessible from the North Side, South Side and the downtown district. The City already owns the grounds on which these buildings are situated and is receiving no income and very little benefit. This will be a practical and economic proposition.

The Eighteenth Regiment Armory will give Pittsburg an opportunity to join the

State and County in helping to erect a coliseum that will be a good thing for the City, allowing us, at the same time, to erect a lasting testimonial to the boys who went to the front to serve their country.

The issuing of \$14,000,000.00 worth of bonds will reflect itself in the tax rate to the extent of about 1.4 mills, which will be reduced each year.

I have had great difficulty in reducing the amount to the within figure. We are now in the midst of a surplus of labor. Many men in our City are seeking employment, which they cannot find. I strongly recommend that you give this your early and immediate consideration, with a view of taking the issue before the people for their consideration, hoping that we can get final action which will enable us to make the dirt fly at the earliest possible date. I understand that it is your purpose to have the public hearings on the subject. If so, you should arrange to limit them to a reasonable time, so as not to let it drag along too far.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

PROPOSED BOND ISSUE SUMMARY.

General improvements to highways	\$ 7,290,000.00
Bigelow boulevard improvements	441,500.00
General street repaving all over City	1,500,000.00
Sewer extensions	1,205,000.00
Bridges	390,000.00
Bureau of Parks	500,000.00
Bureau of Water	1,000,000.00
Bureau of Recreation	500,000.00
Municipal Hospital	94,000.00
Tuberculosis Hospital	141,000.00
Mayview City Home and Hospital	100,000.00
Purchase of Exposition buildings	360,000.00
Improvements to Eighteenth Regiment Armory	350,000.00
Grand total	\$13,871,500.00

PROPOSED BOND ISSUE.

GENERAL IMPROVEMENTS TO HIGHWAYS:

1—Construction of Monongahela boulevard	\$ 2,500,000.00
2—Widening and improving Second avenue, from Liberty avenue to Grant street	1,400,000.00
3—Widening and improving Ferry street, from Liberty avenue to Water street	350,000.00
4—Widening and improving Diamond street, from Grant street to Smithfield street	415,000.00

5—Widening and improving Diamond street, from Ferry street to Market place	110,000.00
6—Widening and improving East Ohio street, from Heinz street to City line	500,000.00
7—Widening and improving East street, from Tripoli street to Royal street	250,000.00
8—Construction of Mount Washington roadway	650,000.00
9—Widening, straightening and improving Brownsville avenue, from Carson street to Warrington avenue....	250,000.00
10—Widening and improving William street, from Brownsville avenue to Bailey avenue	100,000.00
11—Widening and improving East Carson street, from Smithfield street bridge to South Seventh street	100,000.00
12—Widening and improving Mount Oliver street, from South Eighteenth street to 50 feet north of Loyal way	85,000.00
13—Abolition of grade crossing on Second avenue and relocation of street, from Greenfield avenue to Hazelwood avenue....	350,000.00
14—Acquisition of property for park and bathing beach between Highland Park and Allegheny river and completing Washington boulevard to Heth's Run bridge....	230,000.00

Total, general improvements to highways.....\$7,290,000.00
(The above recommended by the Pittsburgh City Planning Commission.)

BIGELOW BOULEVARD IMPROVEMENTS	\$ 441,500.00
Elevated sidewalk and curbing on northerly side of Bigelow boulevard, extending from Seventh avenue to Thirtieth street.....	32,000.00
Straightening and widening Bigelow boulevard at Thirtieth street (dead man's curve)	111,500.00
Straightening and widening Bigelow boulevard at Breton avenue (Jones avenue)	58,000.00
Retaining wall on Bigelow boulevard	240,000.00

GENERAL STREET RE-PAVING ALL OVER CITY (15-year bonds) \$1,500,000.00

SEWER EXTENSIONS	\$1,205,000.00
Saw Mill Run drainage basin	375,000.00
Negley Run drainage basin for Homewood and Brush-ton	340,000.00
Nine Mile Run drainage basin	240,000.00
Nine Mile Run drainage basin (East End relief sewer)	45,000.00
Soho Run drainage basin....	135,000.00
Hazelwood avenue drainage basin	70,000.00

BRIDGES	\$ 390,000.00
Rebuilding Forward avenue bridge, from Schenley Park to Beechwood boulevard....	250,000.00
Rebuilding Center avenue bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad	140,000.00

BUREAU OF PARKS.....	\$ 500,000.00
Construction of shelter houses in parks.....	50,000.00
Resurfacing roads, Schenley Park	100,000.00
Resurfacing roads, Highland Park	80,000.00
Construction of steel grand stand, Schenley Park.....	50,000.00
Construction of entrance to Schenley Park as designed for Schenley memorial.....	120,000.00
Grading, paving and sewer- ing roads in Riverview Park	100,000.00

BUREAU OF WATER.....\$1,000,000.00

For the improvement and extension of the water system, including the purchase and installation of meters, the acquiring of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs and the acquiring of real estate.

BUREAU OF RECREATION

\$ 500,000.00
For the purchase of property, erection of gymnasiums, buildings, shelter houses, swimming pools

and comfort stations at
City playgrounds.

MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL	\$ 94,000.00
Nurses' dormitory	40,000.00
Venereal disease ward	50,000.00
Ice plant	4,000.00

TUBERCULOSIS HOS- PITAL	\$ 141,000.00
Children's ward	45,000.00
Administration building	25,000.00
Power plant	45,000.00
Tunnels for steam lines	17,000.00
Enclosing porches	4,000.00
Incinerator	5,000.00

MAYVIEW CITY HOME AND HOSPITAL	\$ 100,000.00
Erection and installation of modern lighting plant.	

PURCHASE OF EXPOSI- TION BUILDINGS	\$ 360,000.00
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IMPROVEMENTS TO EIGHTEENTH REGI- MENT ARMORY	\$ 350,000.00
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And **Mayor Babcock** said:

"Mr. President, now, in addition to this, the reason I come before you personally is to advise you that I had an interview this afternoon with the receivers of the Pittsburgh Railways Company regarding the leasing of portion of the Exposition building to them for a terminal freight station. They have been studying this matter for some months; in fact, ever since the new receivers have been appointed, and this is the second interview I have had with them in my office.

"They make an offer, which they will confirm in writing, of \$9,000.00 a year for the first year; \$10,000.00 for the second year; \$11,000.00 for the third year, and \$12,000.00 thereafter a year for the rental of Machinery Hall, based on a ten-year lease. It will cost them about \$25,000.00 to put in the siding, the permit for which you will have to grant; that is, you will have to give them a franchise to put in the necessary siding. They say, also, that they will have to cut the street on Penn avenue going under the Pennsylvania Railroad bridge. This will not in any way affect the street.

"By leasing this property to them it will give the City a fixed income from that end of the proposition, Machinery Hall. They have examined all sites, and they claim that Machinery Hall is the least expensive of all sites inspected and

that it will cost less to remodel to fit their needs than the other places looked at.

"They express the desire to take their cars off the streets and transfer their freight business to this building. I had the interview today with Mr. Tone and Mr. Fagan; Mr. George and Mr. Fagan being present the other day.

"I am submitting this matter to Council so that it will study it in connection with the other items included in the proposed people's bond issue. You know the amount of rental we pay for buildings in which our machine shops are now housed. The main building will be used as a repair station, and this will save the City about \$10,000.00 or more every year, which it now pays for repair shops scattered all over the City. I hope you will consider all these things in connection with your study of the rest of the items for this bond issue.

"The Pittsburgh Railways Company would like to have possession of this property as quickly as possible. The leases on their other property expire May 1, and if they can get possession of this building it will help them very much.

"The officials of the City are at your service in studying these propositions, and any time you want them they will be glad to respond."

Mr. Garland arose and said:

"Mr. Mayor, there is a discrepancy in the amount of millage that will reflect itself in the tax rate. It should be 1.8 mills instead of 1.4 mills, as stated in your communication."

Mayor Babcock:

"Those are the figures that were furnished me by the City Controller's department. The length of the bonds are thirty years, with the exception of the bonds for the repaving of streets, which, I think, should be for fifteen years. However, the length of these bonds is a question we do not have to go into now."

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"I would like to ask the Mayor if he has prepared for submission to Council a statement covering the present status of the Exposition Society. We discussed it briefly with him in conference. There are some conditions which must be met in their affairs which I am convinced the public will want to know before they vote on this item."

Mayor Babcock:

"I have in my office an elaborate file relating to this subject, but for your information I wish to state that I never approached the members of the Exposition Society on the trade until I found out what we could do with this one build-

ing, Machinery Hall, as a warehouse and terminal freight station. I just got that information at 2 o'clock this afternoon. In a general way, I understand that the Pittsburgh Exposition Society, through their board of trustees, will turn this over to the City on payment of the debts, which are \$340,000.00, with some accrued interest. I put in the list \$360,000.00 for this. My understanding in a general way is that they will turn it over to the City. I don't know what kind of a statement you want. I will look this matter up and submit a statement to you."

Mr. McArdle:

"It should properly come from them, as the proposition is theirs, setting out what their financial status is, and if they will transfer the property to the City, and if they would be willing to do it before the expiration of their lease. The thought I have in mind is that the Council should be able to say that it is good for the people and that it will not be taking a white elephant off somebody's hands. We should have such information as to intelligently answer all questions asked in regard to this proposition."

Mayor Babcock:

"Well, I assume that we can buy it at the price we name. Whether it is good for the City or not is self-evident to me. You can draw your own conclusions. We will get \$12,000.00 rent each year after three years, and we will save \$8,000.00 that we are now compelled to pay as rental for property used as repair shops. It looks to me like a good business proposition. The service that the Railways Company will render to the public is also self-evident. It is practically doing nothing now."

Mr. Garland:

"Mr. Mayor and Mr. President, it seems to me that, besides getting something from the Exposition Society, we should have something from the Railways Company in regard to hauling freight and light stuff. It will relieve congestion on the streets. In Cleveland the freight business is all done at night. They go out 100 miles with quick transportation service with low rates. We could deliver supplies and materials at 50 cents where it now costs \$3.00 and \$4.00. The delivery should be done at night. They should furnish cars to give proper service to distributors in the outlying districts."

Mayor Babcock:

"They show a willingness and a disposition to do so. Mr. George was very favorably impressed with the opportunity that the street car company would have a new avenue of revenue and that it would increase their business along this line, which is not now very large.

I raised the point you call attention to, Mr. Garland. The business is small now and I was surprised at the smallness of it. They feel that that business, when they have an opportunity to handle it right, will grow on their hands, and on that basis they made their offer of rental."

Mr. Garland:

"You are asking only for a sufficient amount to pay the Exposition Society for the buildings. The changes, alterations and repairs to be done in that portion to be occupied by the Railways Company will be paid for by the Railways Company."

Mayor Babcock:

"They will make the changes. When we talked about the kind of a lease, they stated that they would not want to spend \$25,000.00 for repairs on a short lease. They expressed the opinion that ten or twenty years should be the length of the lease. Their duties as receivers are along certain lines and the prospects of this is pleasing to all three receivers. I believe the business of the company along this line will grow and will be a success."

Mr. McArdle moved

That the Mayor's communication be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2133. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Pittsburgh, in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,134,000.00, for the purpose of funding existing unfunded indebtedness of the City, consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets and the construction of sewers, and other floating indebtedness, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Colonel Albert S. McLemore, of the United States Marines, being introduced by the President of Council, said:

"Mr. President and Gentlemen of Council, I esteem it a great honor to say a word to you. I am stationed in Washington on the staff of General Barnett. I am making a tour of the recruiting stations throughout the country and establishing them on a firm basis and putting them back to the old method of recruiting young men for the Marine service.

"The Marines made a wonderful record during the war. During the time the Marines were in action against the Ger-

mans the corps' losses amounted to over 100 per cent. Replacements were made, however, to keep the brigade in full strength of 8,000 men. In one battle 5,000 were lost, while in another 2,200 casualties were suffered. Other engagements put the Marine losses over the 8,000 mark, making more than two brigades lost in France, one of which was totally wiped out. Five years ago the officers of the Marines numbered 350. In France the officers' casualties amounted to 350.

"Pittsburgh, as you know, put on a Marine Corps week, and a large number of the most desirable young men were recruited into the Marine service. The Marine branch has always maintained its high standard of efficiency. It accepts men who are physically fit and of good education, and the service has reflected itself by what the men have done in France. They had their opportunity and made good. Pittsburgh, in proportion to its size, has produced more recruits for the Marine Corps than any other city and, as a member of the general's staff, I want to thank you, not only for myself, but General Barnett."

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2134. Report of the Committee on Finance for January 28, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2011. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,161,000.00, for the purpose of funding existing unfunded indebtedness of the City, consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages, etc., arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets, and the construction of sewers and other floating indebtedness, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Finance for further consideration.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 189. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance of acceptance by the City of Pittsburgh from the trustees under the will of Henry W. Oliver, deceased, of a certain endowment fund for the maintenance of the bath house and

swimming pool at the corner of Tenth and Bingham streets."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2077. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance supplementing and amending an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919, Section 63, Department of Public Works, Asphalt Plant, 'Laborers' and 'Hot Shovelers'."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

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The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
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Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2068. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Line 2, Section 8, Mayor's Office, Division of Motor Vehicles; Line 32, Section 24, Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Fire; Line 61, Section 46, Department of Charities, City Home and Hospital, Mayview; Line 4, Section 55, Department of Public Works, Division of Design; Section 57, Department of Public Works, Division of Sewers; and Section 58, Department of Public Works, Division of Streets, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

In Finance Committee, January 8, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1 by striking out and by inserting as shown in red, and in the title by striking out the word "and" before the words "Section 58," and by inserting the following after the words "Division of Streets": "Line 1, Section 79, Department of Public Works, Ross Pumping Station; Line 1, Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting; Line 4, Section 12, Department of City Controller," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2027. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
B. F. Stout.....	\$ 6.15	1700

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-

COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Atlantic Refining Co.....	\$ 77.63	1027
Atlantic Refining Co.....	25.88	1663
Atlantic Refining Co.....	2.88	1699
Albert's Son, M. E.....	168.00	1236
Averman & Lynn Co., Inc.....	8.80	1028
Baur Brothers Co.....	97.88	1232
Baur Brothers Co.....	19.20	1745
Braun, Harry.....	31.47	1320
Babcock & Wilcox Co.....	31.08	1323
Donnelly, James.....	17.06	1232
Gillespie & Co., J. J.....	9.40	1426
Hewitt Rubber Co.....	57.40	1776
Hill Top Lumber Co.....	1,112.94	1034
Houston Brothers Co.....	1.84	1533
Jacobson Co., S.....	1.75	1332
Journal of Infectious Diseases, The.....	5.00	1218
Johnston Co., Wm. G.....	21.00	1206
Lange Motor Truck Co.....	17.70	1656
Lawyers' Co-operative Pub. Co.....	53.00	1080
Liberty Flag & Decorating Co.....	19.00	1584
McKnight Hardware Co., Samuel.....	5.60	1570
New York Belting & Packing Co.....	17.28	185-A
Painter-Dunn Co.....	1.00	1028
Pittsburgh Brass Manufacturing Co.....	159.53	1656
Reed & Witting.....	4.00	1048
Robbins Electric Co.....	10.30	185-A
Sauter Co., John.....	228.75	1811
Seven Baker Brothers.....	161.43	1224
Schenck China Co.....	26.78	1811
Scientific Materials Co.....	9.90	1218
Scientific Materials Co.....	10.77	1298
Smith Brothers Co., Inc.....	98.60	1080
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.....	225.92	185-A
Weldin & Co., J. R.....	2.12	1016
Woodwell Co., Jos.....	5.70	1175

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2029. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following in payment of claims for repairs furnished City Treasurer's office:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.....	\$ 6.50	1065
Remington Typewriter Co.....	55.00	1065

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2030. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Charles S. Hubbard, City Treasurer, to reimburse him for a check drawn by him and sent to William A. Reed & Co., of New York, for \$320.00, in payment of 16 coupons lost, stolen or mislaid, and charging to Appropriation No. 1.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2031. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Western Lines for \$6.93, in place of warrant lost, and charge to Appropriation No. 1033.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2050. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Colonial Supply Co.....	\$ 78.02	1656
Larkin Manufacturing Co..	288.00	1168

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

American Bulb Co.....	95.50	1707
Atlantic Refining Co.....	73.13	185-A

Babcock & Wilcox Co.....	556.05	1321
Baur Brothers Bakery (Ward Baking Co.).....	21.39	1148
B. B. & B. Trunk Co.....	19.50	1650
Harry Braun	873.16	1320
Broido, A. H.....	3.75	1808
Chesterton Co., A. W.....	35.64	1655
DuPont Powder Co.....	173.18	185-A
Giesenkamp Co., L.....	80.00	1406
Greenwood Construction & Supply Co.....	558.00	1324
Groah Construction Co., B. A.....	20.00	187-A
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.....	.39	1148
Hill Top Lumber Co.....	229.50	1034
Johnson, A. H.....	3.00	1149
Kennedy Co., D. J.....	12.00	1663
Lange Motor Truck Co.....	8.36	1656
Lemmon Co., B. W.....	.60	1416
Lippincott & McNeill.....	43.90	1426
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.....	.90	1716
MacGregor-Cutler Printing Co.....	139.50	1096
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.....	96.97	185-A
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	102.00	1321
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	6.75	1415
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	2.70	1555
Stewart Co., Jesse C.....	750.00	A.T.F.
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.....	38.00	185-A
Thomas, Joseph (Greens- burg, Pa.)	45.00	1707
Welsbach Gas Lamp Co.....	4.89	1148
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	2.65	1808
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	2.50	1811

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
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Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2051. Whereas, The following bills for repairs were contracted by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, without competitive bids and, consequently, can be paid only by authority of a resolution passed by Council in conformity with the Act of 1874 and

Whereas, Said repairs were furnished, accepted and used by the City during the month of December, 1918.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the firms and persons in payment of claims as scheduled below, and charge the amounts to appropriation items as shown in said schedule:

Schedule	Appropriation	
	Amount	No.
Underwood Typewriter Co. \$	1.00	1505
A. Amrhein & Bro.....	15.45	1516
Fred Bauer & Co.....	54.80	1516
Samuel Dougherty	18.45	1516
Duquesne Tool Mfg. Co.....	8.70	1516
R. Doyle	92.90	1516
Andrew Engel	58.15	1516
I. J. Glatch	5.95	1516
Hacker Bros.....	19.45	1516
William Morath	5.75	1516
George Purdy	35.30	1516
Henry Rectanus	23.65	1516
Joseph Schiller	45.40	1516
H. D. Anderson.....	144.20	1516
H. D. Anderson.....	143.20	1525
Mayer Wagon Co.....	145.95	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.....	42.25	1525
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	31.00	1516
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	27.00	1525
John Sauter Co.....	12.00	1516
John Sauter Co.....	10.05	1525
H. W. Swisshelm.....	146.00	1516
H. W. Swisshelm.....	17.00	1525
Joseph W. Houck.....	39.20	1520
James E. Mercer.....	22.50	1520
W. B. McRoberts.....	6.60	1520
H. Hunziker	349.00	1525
Kress Bros. Wagon Co.....	61.55	1525
Packard Motor Co.....	337.77	1525
Stewart Products Service Station	3.25	1525
Samuel Ward	148.30	1525
Iron City Spring Co.....	6.25	1557
National Gear Wheel Foundry	30.00	1557
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	199.34	1557

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2052. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
John Eichleay, Jr., Co.....	\$ 60.50	1414
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	25.45	1417
B. K. Elliott Co.....	42.30	1425
A. E. Jones Co.....	34.00	1561
Keystone Laundry Co.....	130.30	1561
Taylor & Dean.....	9.00	1583
Allegheny Repair Co.....	81.65	1564
Scholz Bros. Hardware Co.....	8.70	1564
Profit Sharing Laundry Co.....	142.50	1568
Allegheny Repair Co.....	32.18	1571
Hoover Scale Co.....	1.50	1571
James A. McKenna.....	89.00	1571
A. E. Jones Co.....	9.50	1579
John F. Brunner Co.....	23.28	1583
James A. McKenna.....	23.45	1583
Otis Elevator Co.....	366.85	1583
John Sauter Co.....	1.50	1583
Allegheny Garbage Co.....	211.75	1588
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	58.34	1588
Allegheny Repair Co.....	55.57	1591
James A. McKenna.....	85.90	1598
S. M. Dick Plumbing & Leating Co.....	12.65	1610
James A. McKenna.....	177.49	1621
James A. McKenna.....	28.90	1624
B. F. Stout.....	4.00	1701
Frank McComb.....	614.00	1810

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—B.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2053. Resolution author-

izing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Western Union Telegraph Company in the sum of \$30.87, for two telegrams, sent to Montivideo, Uruguay, and to Paris, France, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—B.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2065. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Year 1918		
St. John's General Hospital	\$ 61.50	1163
Year 1919		
Stewart L. McCurdy, M. D.	25.00	1163
Drs. Goldsmith & Gorfinkel	10.00	1163
Dr. J. Floyd Murdoch.....	18.00	1163
Bertram G. Case.....	4.00	1166
N. C. Davison Gas Burner & Welding Co.....	126.90	1166
The Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.....	8.91	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.....	30.90	1166
Robbins Electric Co.....	25.60	1166

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2066. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Keystone Typewriter Service Company in the sum of \$18.00, for repairs to typewriter for the Law Department, and charging the same to Code Account No. 1074.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2071. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Craig Electric Company in the sum of \$169.79, for repairs to electric wiring in the Public Safety Building, for Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42-L.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2072. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the B. A. Groah Construction Company in the sum of \$1,026.00, for general repairs at the Public Safety Building, for Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42-L.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2073. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Jos. A. Langdon & Sons Company in the sum of \$204.06, for repairs to the heating system at the Public Safety Building, for Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42-L.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2074. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the A. W. Miller Company in the sum of \$448.83, for plumbing work at the Public Safety Building, for the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42-J.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1416. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following firms and individuals for shoeing horses owned by the City of Pittsburgh, and charging same to Code Account No. 1033, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Animal Industry:

Samuel Connell	\$12.00
Mary Meiers	24.60
George Pfaffenbach	8.20
John Dunn, Jr.	9.00
Philip Roth	6.00
William Smith	3.60
James Montgomery	3.60
James McQuillen	3.00
William Breeze & Sons	12.00
Harry Double	6.00
J. J. Glatch	46.70

\$134.70

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1706. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following claims by reason of live stock killed by dogs:

Edward B. Cox	\$26.50
Alice E. Snodgrass	13.50
Harry S. Crisswell	17.50

and charging the same to Appropriation Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1965. Whereas, Francis T. Porter, who has been an employee of the City of Pittsburgh for twelve (12) years, is now incapacitated, due to an injury he received when in the employ of the City; and

Whereas, The said Francis T. Porter is under care of Dr. C. C. Wholey, who certifies that he is responding to treatment and, with proper freedom from work, he will recover; and

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Public Health allowed the said

Francis T. Porter three months' sick leave during September, October and November, carrying him on the roll for those three months, but not having the authority from the Controller to do so any longer; and

Whereas, The Controller has agreed that he will pass the roll for the said Francis T. Porter for a further period of three months, if approved by Council, which Council has the authority to do; and

Whereas, The said Francis T. Porter is the only support of a large family and is worrying over his financial condition, which is particularly injurious to one suffering from nervous trouble, and which is likely to retard and prevent his ultimate recovery; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Health be authorized to pay said Francis T. Porter his salary as a sanitary inspector for the months of December, 1918, and January and February, 1919, as the same becomes due, and charge the same to "Salaries, Regular," Division of Housing and Sanitary Inspection, Bureau of Sanitation, and that the Controller be authorized to pass said payroll.

In Finance Committee, January 30, 1919, Read and amended by inserting before the "Resolved" clause the following: "And, Whereas, Said Francis T. Porter has died during the time this resolution has been pending in Council, and Council is desirous of paying the widow the sum which was to be allowed her husband;" by inserting after the words "to pay the" the words "widow of," and by striking out the words "his salary as a sanitary inspector for the months of December, 1918, and January and February, 1919, as the same becomes due," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the following: "a sum equal to the amount his wages would be until the time of his death," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2058. Resolution exonerating the First Christian Church of Banksville from payment of assessment at No. 703 January Term, 1918, of \$285.60 for sewerage on Broadway avenue, and at No. 1457, April Term, 1918, for \$54.60 for sewerage on Olcott way, together with all court costs due thereon, the same to be charged to the City, and providing that Bill No. 1409, relating to the same matter, be repealed.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 538. Resolution authorizing the execution and delivery of a deed by the City of Pittsburgh to William H. Larkin, upon the payment by him of the sum of \$38.55, for a certain lot of ground at the corner of Bristol and Ilion streets, Fifteenth ward.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1074. Resolution authorizing the Board of Water Assessors to adjust water rates on property of the C. F. Haller estate, 358 Soho street, Fifth ward, City, according to the flat rate basis, from July 11, 1917, to April 24, 1918.

In Finance Committee, January 30, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the words "according to the flat rate basis from July 11, 1917, to April 24, 1918," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words, "by allowing the C. F. Haller estate a rebate of 50 per cent., or \$62.64," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1911. Resolution directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lot No. 70 in Mellon's Plan of Scott Lots, located on Butler street,

Tenth ward, upon the payment of all taxes, costs and interest, to Mary A. O'Connell.

In Finance Committee, January, 30, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the words "Tenth ward" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "Twelfth ward," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1952. Whereas, Certain property on 416 Ella street, Eighth ward, Pittsburgh, belonging to the Olivet Mission U. P. Church, was, in the year 1912, by some inexplicable error, assessed in the name of Robert S. McCague, and in his name the tax was levied, and still remains unpaid; and

Whereas, The board of trustees never had any notice that said tax had been levied against said property until the notice of the Sheriff that said property would be offered for sale at public auction; therefore, be it

Resolved, That, on payment of the taxes as originally levied, to-wit: forty-nine and 3/100 (\$49.03) dollars, the City Solicitor shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to satisfy the lien filed for said taxes, and charge the costs in the case to the City of Pittsburgh.

In Finance Committee, January 30, 1919. Read and amended by inserting after the words "forty-nine and 3/100 (\$49.03) dollars" the words "to the Delinquent Tax Collector;" by striking out

the words "filed for said taxes," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "at No. 4078, January Term, 1914, D. T. D."; by striking out the words "in the case" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the word "thereof," and by adding the following at the end of the resolution: "and, further, the Department of Assessors are authorized and directed to exonerate the balance of said taxes, to-wit: twenty-two and 50/100 (\$22.50) dollars," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2037. Resolution authorizing the City Solicitor to satisfy and discontinue the lien filed at M. L. D. No. 1, April Term, 1918, upon the payment of \$91.87 by Francesco Accetto, being the debt and interest on said lien, and also payment by him of the costs on said lien and costs on appeal at No. 2365, July Term, 1917, for the grading, paving and curbing of Paulson avenue.

In Finance Committee, January 28, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$91.87" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$91.88," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2057. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending parts of Sections twenty-four, twenty-five and twenty-eight of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved 22nd day of January, A. D. 1919, by providing that the additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) per annum referred to therein for certain officers and employees shall be payable only upon an equal sum being likewise paid into the Firemen's Disability Board Funds by such officers and employees from their compensation payable to them by the City of Pittsburgh, and defining the procedure relating thereto."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I am heartily in favor of the main provisions of Bill No. 2057, File No. 1106. I refer, particularly, to that provision which requires the firemen who wish to become beneficiaries of the City's appropriation of \$30.00 per man to pay a like sum of \$30.00 each. I repeat that so that there will be no misunderstanding; that the feature of the bill I favor is that any one who expects to be a beneficiary of the pension fund for which the taxpayers provide the money

should be willing to contribute something himself to the maintenance of that fund.

"I am not in favor of the second portion of the bill, contained in lines 33 to 38, inclusive, on page 2, and which is repeated later in the bill, which attempts to force from the employees power of attorney by giving the City Controller the right to deduct this \$30.00 from the salary of the firemen. I protest against the passage of this particular feature, which takes away from a man an amount of money which he would not want the City to do, even though it is for his own benefit. It may be that that is the best policy; I don't think it is, and for that reason I voice this protest against the provision.

"I think our whole duty lies in setting up an appropriation of the people's money and making a restriction or provision that if the men are to avail themselves of the people's assistance for a pension fund, then the individuals themselves and their beneficiaries should be willing to pay something out of their own funds; but I oppose the feature of trying to tell the men how they shall do it. I think it ought to be a voluntary proposition so far as the men are concerned. A man should be allowed to choose whether he wants to go into the pension fund or not; and if he elects that he wants to become a beneficiary of the fund he should be willing to help to maintain that fund by contributing a portion of his salary to it. I would not like to have it go down in the Record that I approved that part of the ordinance which requires the City Controller to deduct the sum of \$2.50 from each fireman's pay every month.

"I cannot defeat the passage of the ordinance because of my opposition to this feature of the bill, so I desire to vote for the whole ordinance. I am doing that for this reason: Every member of this Council and every City official who knows anything about pension funds knows that the pension fund of the firemen (and that is the only one we should discuss today, and all discussion of the policemen's fund should be eliminated) is not on good sound financial basis, and the City should not be compelled to throw money into a bottomless pit. I hope that the passage of this ordinance will be the means of opening up the entire question of pension funds so far as the firemen are concerned and lead to a proper adjustment of it. I hope it will lead to representation by the men themselves for the opening of this question. As it is now, we don't know that the individual fireman is given a statement as to the financial condition of the pension fund. A man may learn through various sources of those who become beneficiaries through death and other causes, but he gets no official information in the shape of a letter or pamphlet

by those controlling the funds, showing the exact condition of the funds.

"I hope this condition will be corrected by the passage of this ordinance. The people of Pittsburgh don't know that this fund is in a bad financial condition. We know it, and I hope that the passage of this ordinance will bring this matter to a crisis, and the result will be that the pension fund question will be opened up. We should employ an actuary from an insurance company or pension association to go into the matter and give us the data on which to found a genuine and enduring pension fund.

"While protesting against the power of attorney feature, I think the best interests of all concerned will be advanced by the immediate passage of this ordinance."

Mr. Burke arose and said:

"Mr. President and Members of Council, you were all present at the Finance Committee on last Tuesday, when I said all that I had to say on this ordinance, but my friend and colleague on the left has given me one or two fresh thoughts—one that it is not fair to ask the City to contribute to a fund that is not on a sound financial basis. Just think of it! It is not fair for the City to contribute; how much more unfair it is, then, to ask the poor fireman who is battling for an increase in wages, to take \$2.50 from his salary to contribute to a fund that is not on a good, sound financial basis? Just think of it! Firemen who contribute to a fund \$2.50 a month (because this bill is mandatory in all its features) do not receive the same benefits out of the fund that they contribute to that the policeman receives for his contribution of \$2.50 per month. It is a well-known fact that if a policeman on the pension roll should die tomorrow his beneficiaries would receive \$1,000.00, while, on the other hand, the fireman's widow and family would not receive a penny.

"My position on this matter is just the same as it was last week. I believe this bill should be held in abeyance until Council has had an opportunity to consider both pension funds and put them on a good, sound financial basis. This affects two of the most important departments connected with the City government, and we should not ask or require either the policemen or firemen to contribute one cent towards their pension funds. There is plenty of money donated by this City to take care of both these pension funds if the pension funds were shaped in a way and put on a good, sound basis. We would then be protecting the fellow who, in his line of duty, might be injured or killed.

"There is no corporation which has a pension system that asks its employees to contribute anything towards it. I

don't go along with the idea of Mr. English that the men ought to contribute something to their pension fund. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company, with 60,000 employees, does not ask its employees to contribute, nor does the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, with 40,000 employees.

"The pension funds of the police and firemen should be financed by the City government. This bill could well afford to go over for the next thirty days, and this Council could spare a little of its time and send for the policemen and firemen and, at least, take up the rules and regulations which govern these two pension funds, and change and revise them and put them on a sound basis before you make it mandatory for any set of employees to contribute anything for the maintenance of the pension fund.

"This bill should be referred back to the Finance Committee. Send it back to the committee; don't pass it up to the Mayor for his signature, for I am confident that he will allow it to become a law without his signature. Send it back to the Finance Committee, and let it lay there until you revise these two pension funds. Therefore, Mr. President, I move that this bill be referred back to the Finance Committee."

The Chair:

"I hear no second to the motion. The Clerk will read the bill a third time."

Mr. Rauh arose and said:

"Mr. President, this bill is temporarily bolstering up a tottering pension fund, to temporarily protect the older firemen, who should be taken care of, in case of their death in the near future.

"I vote for this bill feeling that it is only temporary, and until the Firemen's Pension Fund can be satisfactorily adjusted."

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Noes—Mr.
Burke

Ayes—7.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Coun-

cil being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2135. Report of the Committee on Public Works for January 30, 1919, transmitting three ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2048. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for the construction of a sewer on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Soho playground) and the northwest sidewalk of Wyandotte street, from a point about 435 feet north of Wyandotte street to the existing sewer on Moultrie street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third reading and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2026. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of the sewers on the sidewalks of Methyl street, between an unnamed five-foot way north of Coast avenue and Bayonne street, and on the roadway of Methyl street, between Bayonne street and the existing sewer on Methyl street at a point about 320

feet north of Bayonne street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof, Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2067. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the southwest sidewalk of Jackson street, from a point about 70 feet southeast of Highview street to the existing sewer on Heth's avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. **McArdle** presented

No. 2136. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for January 30, 1919, transmitting a resolution and several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1097. Resolution directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to give proper notice to all public service corporations furnishing electric light, heat or power to the public, or operating telegraph and telephone lines, to remove their poles and overhead wires on Carson street West, from the Point bridge to the City line.

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1995. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance vacating Montezuma street, in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, as dedicated by Thomas F. Hartmann, Frank W. Hartmann, Christ W. Hartmann and George J. Hartmann, and accepted by Ordinance No. 599, approved February 1, 1910, between Brainard street and Olivant street.

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2063. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Heppenstall Forge and Knife Company, Inc., its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a two-inch (2 in.) pipe line across Forty-seventh street twenty-two feet above grade of street, for the purpose of conveying steam heat from the plant of the Heppenstall Forge and Knife Company, Inc., on the westerly side of Forty-seventh street to the Shear Knife Department on the easterly side of Forty-seventh street, located approximately 150 feet north of Hatfield street, in the Ninth ward of the City of Pittsburgh."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2064. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing and re-establishing the grade on Carson street West, from Musk way to a point 917.97 feet west of the Point bridge."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2137. Report of the Committee on Filtration and Water for January 30, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2075. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuaide & Sons Company for \$9,192.06, for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa., during the month of December, 1918, and charging same to Account No. 1645, "Wages, Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. **Garland** moved

That Council accept the invitation of the Rotary Club, through William Myers, chairman of the entertain-

ment committee for the occasion, to attend a luncheon on Wednesday, February 12, 1919, at 12 o'clock M, at the Fort Pitt Hotel, to meet 150 wounded soldiers from Parkview Hospital.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. **Robertson**,

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, February 10, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

The **Chair** stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of February 3, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. **Dailey** moved

That the minutes of the meeting of February 3, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. **Burke** presented

No. 2138. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of William N. Jamison and S. H. Robertson for \$73.92 each, for services rendered as assistant chief inspectors in the Bureau of Engineering for the period from January 22 to February 5, 1919, inclusive, and charging same to Code Account Nos. 1482 and 1470, respectively.

Also

No. 2139. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or con-

tracts for the furnishing, delivery, construction and erection of one (1) oil storage tank for the North Side Asphalt Plant of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, and providing for the payment thereof.

Also

No. 2140. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Stevenson street, from Bluff street to end of present pavement at a point 330 feet northwardly, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. **Dailey** presented

No. 2141. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 5.65	1130
T. E. Gillespie.....	15.00	1133
Keystone Laundry Co.....	87.93	1147
The Western Pennsylvania Hospital	44.90	1147
Allegheny General Hospital	44.70	1147
L. C. Smith & Bros. Type-writer Co.	4.95	1150
The May Drug Co.....	35.00	1150
Weber-Erickson Bunting Co.	2.15	1150
Pittsburgh Steel Stamp Co.	1.30	1150
A. H. Johnson.....	40.65	1150
K a u f m a n n Department Stores	118.35	1159-O
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh, Inc.	832.43	1160

Also (by request)

No. 2142. An Ordinance provid-

ing for the appointment of one plumber foreman in the general office of the Department of Public Safety, and fixing the salary therefor.

Also (by request)

No. 2143. An Ordinance amending Line 22, Section 20, Department of Public Safety, and Line 9, Section 24, Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Fire, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 30, page 145.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2144. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Frank R. Bracey in the sum of \$11.64, being difference in his salary for the period from January 22 to February 5, 1919, on account of typographical error in the Salary Ordinance approved January 22, 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 1028, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Also

No. 2145. Whereas, The repair accounts below enumerated were contracted by the Department of the Mayor without solicitation of competitive bids; and

Whereas, The repairs were performed and the moneys therefore are honestly due the creditor to the amount shown; therefore, be it

Resolved That the Mayor is authorized and directed to issue and the Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the firms and individuals in payment of the several claims as scheduled below and charge same to the designated code account:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

	Code	Amount.	Account
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	\$ 1.70	1017	

DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES.

P. F. Bartley.....	15.00	1033
H. Hunziker.....	115.00	1033
The Security Co.....	144.95	1033

Also

No. 2146. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Underwood Typewriter Company in the sum of \$5.50 for adjusting typewriters Nos. 862744 and 769931, in the Bureau of Public Improvements, and charging same to Code Account No. 1089.

Also

No. 2147. Resolved, That the

Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Business Furniture Co.....	\$ 25.00	1404½
B. K. Elliott Co.....	3.00	1425
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	2.50	1432
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	17.00	1563
McCue & Seibert.....	7.00	1649
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	26.80	1649
John F. Casey Co.....	28.15	1657
M. E. Cunningham Co.....	1.00	1657
The Lagonda Mfg. Co.....	34.34	1657
James McNeil & Bro. Co.....	468.00	1657
East End Auto Radiator Rep. Co.....	15.00	1701
W. H. Speaker.....	14.00	1722
James T. Fox Co.....	1.90	1725
D. Hastings.....	2.75	1775
Samuel Ward.....	1.25	1775
Keystone Laundry Co.....	.66	1800
Mrs. Jennie Jones.....	15.92	1807
C. C. Mellor Co.....	16.00	1807
Lincoln Laundry Co.....	.82	1807
Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.....	6.55	1807
C. F. Ball.....	1.40	1810
Dr. A. B. Ferguson.....	27.09	1810
Lincoln Auto Service Co.....	16.25	1810
Miller & Woodward, Inc.....	18.50	1810
Robbins Electric Co.....	20.46	1810
South Hills Hardware Co.....	35.00	1810
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	1.00	1810
W. J. Tener & Co.....	119.99	Oliver
		Bath Trust Fund

Also

No. 2148. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York for the sum of \$529.74, in payment of the liability insurance covering two (2) steam boilers, two (2) passenger and two (2) freight elevators in the East Diamond Market, Bureau of City Property, and charging same to Code Account No. 42-M, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2149. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Ulrich Plan Filing Equipment Company for the sum of \$435.00 for the installation of the Ulrich compression guide system in the office of the City Treasurer, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2150. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Philip Brady for the sum of \$77.00 being for lost time during the months of March and April, 1915, on account of sickness contracted in the discharge of his duties as an employee of the Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, and in payment of doctor bill, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2151. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Thomas Flannigan, an employee of the Bureau of Recreation, for the sum of \$62.50, being the amount his wife would have received if he had still continued in the service of the United States until February 1, 1919, the date of his reinstatement to his former position, and charging same to Appropriation No. 50, Dependents' Fund.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2152. An Ordinance canceling and annulling Contract No. 4902, Mayor's Office File No. 255, which is a contract entered into between the City of Pittsburgh and Booth & Flinn Ltd., for the grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of Warrington avenue, from Montooth street to West Liberty avenue, executed April 9, 1918.

Also

No. 2153. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of Warrington avenue, from Montooth street to West Liberty avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2154. Petition of Daughters of Betsy Ross, asking that the case built for the largest flag be placed in condition and position to receive it.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2155. An Ordinance amending Lines 1, 3 and 4, Section 77; Lines 1, 3 and 4, Section 78; Lines 1, 3 and 4, Section 79; Lines 1, 2 and 3, Section 80; Lines 1, 2 and 3, Section 81; and Lines 1, 2 and 3, Section 82; Department of Public Works, Bureau of Water, Mechanical Division, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments

of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2156. An Ordinance amending Line 2 Section 84, Department of Public Works, Greentree Pumping Station, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2157. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the B. A. Groah Construction Company for the sum of \$456.24 for the payment of extra work at the North Side Market, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1592½, Structural and Non-structural Improvements to the North Side Market, Bureau of City Property.

Also

No. 2158. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the paving and curbing of Marshall avenue, from Linwood avenue to Brighton road, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2159. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the John F. Casey Company for \$3,379.63 for labor furnished the Bureau of Water, at pumping stations during the month of January, 1919 and charging same to Account No. 1653, "Wages, Temporary," Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water.

Also

No. 2160. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John Rea, chief service inspector in the Bureau of Water, Distribution Division, for \$31.48 for seven (7) days' services, and charging same to Bond Account No. 187-C, Bureau of Water.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Filtration and Water.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2161. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following for household goods contracted for by the Department of Charities for families who were left in destitute circumstances by reason of the disastrous fire which occurred on January 31, 1919, at Bigelow boulevard, near Washington place, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Graff Company, stoves.....\$ 338.90
Pittsburgh Dry Goods Company,
blankets and pillows..... 196.00
M. H. Pickering Company, fur-
niture and bedding..... 1,195.35
Which was read and referred to the
Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented
No. 2162.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY
CONTROLLER.

Pittsburgh, February 7, 1919.
To the Council.

Gentlemen — In the Appropriation Ordinance for 1919 I find an appropriation, No. 1027, Civic and War Committee, amounting to \$25,000.00. I am of the opinion that, as the law is at present, the expenditure of moneys for that purpose is illegal.

I sent a communication to Council prior to the preparation of the Appropriation Bill, calling attention to the fact that, unless authority was secured, I would refuse payment of the bills incurred for any war activities. It is now February 7, and a committee has been appointed by the Mayor to prepare and carry out a program. In this connection you will remember, possibly, that the City Attorney has given an opinion that, without an enabling act, no committee of semi-public nature can bind the City nor authorize the issuing of warrants in payment of the bills incurred.

Respectfully yours,

F. S. MORROW,
City Controller.

Also

No. 2163. Communication from John F. Casey, asking that an item be included in the proposed bond issue for a rearrangement of the north approaches to the Point bridge across the Allegheny river, so as to make it accessible for vehicle traffic from the California avenue district.

Also

No. 2164. Communication from the Civic Club of Allegheny County, asking for a hearing relative to additional comfort stations in the City and a public bath house for the colored people in the Hill district.

Also

No. 2165. Communication from Charles N. Freund, asking for a meeting with Council regarding the improvement of Arlington avenue in the Sixteenth ward and that an item be included in the proposed bond issue for same.

Also

No. 2166. Communication from

the North Side Chamber of Commerce, asking for a hearing relative to items to be included in the proposed bond issue affecting the North Side.

Also

No. 2167. Communication from the North Side Board of Trade, suggesting that Council proceed at once with the improvement of streets and other public work, so as to provide employment for the people of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 2168. Communication from Joseph C. Marcus, asking that Harris Barton be further compensated in the sum of \$180.00 as the result of damage to his property by reason of the improvement of Arbor street.

Also

No. 2169. Communication from John W. Brown & Son, asking to be reimbursed in the sum of \$20.26 for damages to truck which ran into hole in Chartiers avenue.

And

No. 2170. Communication from William H. Davis Director of the Department of Public Health, submitting a comparative report on the removal of garbage and rubbish during the month of January, 1919, and the month of January, 1918.

Also

No. 2171.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
February 6, 1919.

To the President and

Members of Council.

Gentlemen—Referring to Council Bill No. 2099, and your request for an estimate of the cost of improving Melwood and Fleetwood streets, I submit the following report:

Melwood street, from Baum boulevard to Denver street, is improved and paved with asphalt. Fleetwood street, from Thirty-third street to the Bloomfield bridge, is also improved, and the portion of Melwood street which is under consideration is the unimproved gap between the Bloomfield bridge and Denver street. Melwood street between these points is located on the hillside, and the topography is rugged and broken, making the cost of the street improvement excessive. There appears to be two possible schemes for improving this street: (A) The building of a very high and heavy retaining wall at an estimated cost of about \$80,000.00 and (B) the acquisition of sufficient property on the low side of the street to permit of a large fill and the building of a low retaining wall. The estimated cost of the

improvement as outlined under "A" is \$140,000.00 and "B" \$110,000.00. The material for the embankment could be secured from the hillside along the Bigelow boulevard and thus reduce the expense of the improvement; the estimated quantity of embankment required is 30,000 cubic yards. The length of this improvement is about 1,400 feet, and the grades range from 1.28 per cent. to 3½ per cent. The improvement of Melwood street would furnish another thoroughfare from the low level district of Penn avenue to the Shadyside and Oakland districts of the City.

Very truly yours,

JOHN SWAN,
Director.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2172. Petition of residents and property owners of the Thirteenth ward, asking that Brushston avenue, from Hamilton avenue to Franktstown avenue, be resurfaced.

Also

No. 2173. Communication from Thomas B. Forster, asking that Oberlin street, North Side, be graded, paved and curbed.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2174. Complaint of property owners and residents of Friendship avenue relative to mischievous conduct of persons in this district.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 2175. Statement of the City Controller of the floating debt as of January 2, 1919, which is to be funded by the issue of bonds.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the statement be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

No. 2176.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, February 7, 1919.

Mr. John S. Herron, President, and
Members of Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Dear Sirs—I am advised by the City Controller, under date of February 4, that the City is retiring its bonds dur-

ing the present administration as follows:

1918.....	\$1,880,900.00
1919.....	2 016,400.00
1920.....	1,348,200.00
1921.....	2,130,400.00

Total.....\$7,375 900.00

This for your general information.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK.

Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2177. Communication from the Citizens Political Union of Pittsburgh and Allegheny County, asking that the person selected as Council's representative at Harrisburgh be done solely upon his qualifications to do the work.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2178. Communication from the Commissioners of Allegheny County, giving their consent to the Women's Historical Society of Pennsylvania to place a bronze bas-relief of Abraham Lincoln in the rotunda of the City-County Building.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2179.

DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSORS.

Pittsburgh, Pa., February 4, 1919.

To the Council,

City of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen—In accordance with an Act, providing for the classification of real estate for the purpose of taxation, and for the appointment of assessors in the cities of the second class, approved July 9, 1897, we herewith return to you the aggregate amount of City and school taxes also water rents, levied in accordance with an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance levying taxes and assessing water rents and making appropriations for the twelve months beginning January 1, 1919, and ending December 31, 1919, and approved January 22, 1919."

CITY TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1919.

Ward.	Land Valuation.	Building Valuation.	Total Valuation.	Tax. Land	Tax. Building	City Tax. Total	Water Tax.	School Tax.	Total Tax.
First.....	\$ 64,559,720	\$21,321,420	\$ 85,881,140	\$1,013,591.28	\$234,325.96	\$1,247,917.24	\$33,235.58	\$558,229.51	\$1,839,382.33
Second	142,417,520	52,356,120	194,773,640	2,235,957.57	575,396.36	2,811,353.93	37,064.00	1,266,030.02	4,114,447.95
Third	9,460,300	7,751,770	17,212,070	148,532.04	85,198.04	233,730.08	20,212.00	111,881.15	365,823.23
Fourth	20,126,860	17,119,730	37,246,590	316,000.74	188,153.88	504,154.62	9,025.78	242,107.49	755,287.89
Fifth	6,497,700	8,146,880	14,644,580	102,023.45	89,544.00	191,567.45	3,028.05	95,194.24	289,789.74
Sixth	12,727,700	7,183,430	19,911,200	199,831.19	78,951.82	278,783.01	31,901.15	129,425.29	440,109.45
Seventh	18,665,510	16,423,010	35,088,520	293,054.88	180,494.15	473,549.03	59,884.79	228,078.72	761,512.54
Eighth	15,770,930	14,682,870	30,453,800	247,609.44	161,372.73	408,982.17	57,166.18	197,953.13	664,101.48
Ninth	5,934,520	6,403,930	12,338,450	93,176.72	70,385.52	163,562.24	43,229.11	80,202.32	286,993.67
Tenth	8,424,230	6,842,360	15,266,590	132,269.18	75,207.90	207,477.08	21,554.35	99,236.63	328,268.96
Eleventh	24,178,950	16,692,340	40,871,290	379,619.49	183,457.57	563,077.06	52,910.75	265,669.19	881,657.00
Twelfth	10,685,330	9,181,440	19,866,770	167,773.54	100,915.00	268,688.54	52,695.28	129,141.32	450,525.14
Thirteenth	8,102,240	11,298,230	19,400,470	127,218.93	124,179.67	251,398.60	32,891.06	126,111.30	410,400.96
Fourteenth.....	33,022,650	27,274,780	60,297,430	518,468.60	299,757.84	818,226.44	15,483.91	391,940.72	1,225,651.07
Fifteenth.....	9,383,810	9,744,760	19,128,570	147,339.33	107,104.80	254,444.13	35,409.96	124,342.61	414,196.70
Sixteenth.....	8,020,190	5,241,040	13,261,230	125,922.96	57,606.81	183,529.77	31,756.18	86,200.77	301,486.72
Seventeenth.....	10,083,500	7,130,050	17,213,550	158,318.31	78,370.36	236,688.67	41,636.62	111,891.35	390,216.64
Eighteenth.....	4,663,280	6,005,010	10,668,290	73,227.15	66,007.13	139,234.28	22,170.00	69,351.74	230,756.02
Nineteenth.....	12,209,860	13,410,530	25,620,390	191,722.00	147,398.26	339,120.26	33,691.12	166,546.28	539,357.66
Twentieth.....	4,404,960	5,946,910	10,351,870	69,172.51	65,368.93	134,541.44	22,301.96	67,295.97	224,139.37
Twenty-first.....	7,439,830	9,155,680	16,595,510	116,812.61	100,629.77	217,442.38	62,262.21	107,874.26	387,578.85
Twenty-second	19,607,960	12,765,350	32,373,310	307,849.74	140,297.36	448,147.10	63,397.79	210,429.29	721,974.18
Twenty-third	5,835,800	6,946,190	12,781,990	91,626.40	76,343.98	167,970.38	48,840.98	83,085.21	299,896.57
Twenty-fourth	2,730,750	4,890,400	7,621,150	42,881.32	53,754.25	96,635.57	35,489.90	49,541.84	181,667.31
Twenty-fifth.....	3,626,080	5,156,970	8,783,050	56,935.26	56,683.46	113,618.72	44,054.84	57,092.83	214,766.39
Twenty-sixth	4,575,170	7,942,000	12,517,170	71,842.16	87,293.15	159,135.31	43,663.10	81,368.61	284,167.02
Twenty-seventh	6,975,710	8,876,400	15,852,110	109,528.45	97,561.50	207,089.95	45,818.05	103,044.00	355,952.00
Grand Total	\$480,131,130	\$325,889,600	\$806,020,730	\$7,538,305.25	\$3,581,760.20	\$11,120,065.45	\$1,000,774.70	\$5,239,265.79	\$17,360,105.94

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. HAWKINS,
JOHN C. HASTINGS,
CHAS. A. MARTIN,

JOHN C. HETZEL,
JAMES M. MCKEE,
F. A. DOHRMAN,

J. LEO McSUANE,
J. W. BRANDNER,
J. D. WALKER,

Board of Assessors.

Which was read.

Mr. **Robertson** moved

That the report be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 2180. Communication from Harry S. Foight regarding sewer construction assessment on Glen way.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Bill No. 2131.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, January 24, 1919.

Mr. John S. Herron, President, and Members of Council, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen—I herewith return, without my approval, Bill No. 1808, Resolution providing that the President of Council assign one man to keep a record of bills introduced in the State Legislature affecting Pittsburgh, and that the President of Council procure the services of a competent person to attend the sessions of the Legislature.

This bill apparently is designed to employ and keep a lobbyist at Harrisburg. It is not clear whether it is to provide for one or two persons. It appropriates no specified amount. It fixes 'no salary or definite compensation. It is common street rumor that it is for the personal benefit of the Councilmen of Pittsburgh. Council should not appropriate or spend the taxpayers' money in any sum whatever for their personal benefit.

The Resolution implies, in the following language, "Some of this legislation is likely to be detrimental to the interests of the taxpayers of Pittsburgh," that our members of the Legislature and our members of the Senate are there for the purpose of legislating against the City's interests instead of legislating for its best interests. I am not willing to be a party to any such inference. Further, I do not approve of spending the City's money for the purposes outlined in this Resolution.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK

Mayor.

In Council, February 3, 1919. Read and laid on the table for one week.

Which was read, received and filed.

And

Bill No. 1808. Resolution authorizing and directing the President of Council to procure the services of a com-

petent person to be in attendance at the sessions of the Legislature, who shall carefully examine all proposed legislation directly or indirectly affecting the City of Pittsburgh, and furnish the Mayor and Council with copy of same, together with report of its progress in the Legislature and such other information as he may deem important; the expense and compensation of said person shall be paid from Appropriation Code No. 1013-M, on vouchers approved by the Finance Committee.

In Council, January 20, 1919. Committee amendment agreed to, rule suspended, read three times and finally passed.

Which was read.

And on the question, "Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?"

Mr. **Rauh** arose and said:

"Mr. President and Members of Council, I regret that the Mayor did not understand the intent of my resolution.

"My idea was to offset any such experiences as Pittsburgh has undergone during the sitting of the past few Legislatures.

"The inference that the Mayor draws from my resolution, namely: 'That our members of the Legislature and our members of the Senate are there for the purpose of legislating against the City's interests instead of legislating for its best interests,' is entirely unjustified. My idea can best be set forth by bringing to your attention what happened during the 1915 session of the Legislature, when a certain bill, known as Senate Bill No. 490 passed the Senate and House, and was ready to become a law through the Governor's signature.

"By the merest accident this pernicious bill was brought to the attention of City Council.

"This bill contemplated assessing the taxpayers of our City one mill for the upkeep of our public libraries, when it costs about one-half a mill for such purpose, the other one-half mill, amounting to over \$300,000.00, which sum would have had to be paid, each year, had this bill not have been intercepted.

"At a meeting of Council at that time, June 8, 1915, page No. 279 of the Municipal Record. I introduced a resolution stating that, whereas the people of our City are already too heavily tax ridden, Council prevail upon Governor Brumbaugh that this unjust and unnecessary bill be vetoed.

"After much difficulty, which could have been avoided by having a City representative in Harrisburg at that time, whose function it was to look after such matters for the taxpayers' interests, the bill was vetoed and this unnecessary

tax of over \$300,000.00 annually was narrowly avoided.

"Other similar instances could be cited to prove that, despite legislators at Harrisburg, with the best intentions, such bills are often overlooked, and our taxpayers here suffer severely.

"This fact conclusively shows why it is necessary to have a representative of the lawmaking body of our City, namely, Council, at Harrisburg. Until we have home rule for our cities this must be done.

"For reasons such as these, I cannot support the Mayor's veto."

Mr. Burke arose and said:

"Mr. President, this bill should be passed over the Mayor's veto. I am going to give you my reason. I can give you many reasons, but I am only going to give you a few of them.

"First, if you don't pass the resolution over his veto, then you agree to the charges he makes in his veto message to Council, and you further agree as to his interpretations of the bill, and I doubt very much if you could find another man within the confines of the City of Pittsburgh who would place such an interpretation on the resolution. The language of the bill does not convey any such a thought as he expresses in his communication and the reason given.

"Now, just bear with me a moment while I read his charge: 'This bill, apparently, is designed to employ and keep a lobbyist at Harrisburg. It is not clear whether it is to provide for one or two persons.' Now, it is absolutely clear, and it specifically states, that there will be only one person employed. Now, further, 'It appropriates no specified amount.' That is true. 'It fixes no salary or definite compensation,' which is true. Council, sitting as the Finance Committee, will fix that compensation when the bills are presented, just as it does other bills. Now another charge, 'It is common street rumor that it is for the personal benefit of the Councilmen of Pittsburgh.' I would ask any man present to point out any phrase or any language in the resolution that conveys the idea or thought to any man that the bill provides for the personal benefit of any member of Council.

"Quoting further, 'Council should not appropriate or spend the taxpayers' money in any sum whatever for their personal benefit.' I want to ask the City Clerk at this juncture, Is there any reply from the Mayor on the resolution that was passed in the Finance Committee recently when the Law Department submitted a bill that was sent to the Senate at Harrisburg to take from the statute books the law that exempts property on the North Side from taxation? Council agreed by resolution to the bill authorizing the City Solicitor to use the power

of his office to try to have this bill passed, and asked the Mayor to concur in our action. Has there been an answer to our request?"

The Clerk:

"I have received no answer."

Mr. Burke:

"Has anybody received an answer? These are the things I have in mind: These are the bills—not for any personal benefit of myself or of personal benefit to any other member of this Council—that I would desire to have a man at Harrisburg; and I believe the City Council owes it to the taxpayers of the City of Pittsburgh to have a representative there just the same as every large corporation doing business in the State has a representative in Harrisburg to represent it and look after its interests. I don't believe this Council would be doing its duty to the taxpayers if it did not have a competent man at Harrisburg to look after such bills as would bring \$500,000.00 revenue to the City of Pittsburgh; and if His Honor was on the job I believe he would have a man from his department stationed there, and would answer the communication from Council asking for his concurrence and join hand in hand to send a man to Harrisburg to watch this legislation, as well as have the Law Department use its influence to have the legislation passed.

"I have as much confidence in the members of the Assembly of Pennsylvania as any man, and I know something about their duties, too. We have men today who are specialists in every line of business, and when you appoint a man wholly and solely for this one thing he has enough to look after.

"In the interests of the taxpayers of Pittsburgh we should pass this resolution, notwithstanding the veto of the Mayor. The Mayor's attention should be called to the fact that he has not answered our communication to concur with Council to look after the two bills we agreed on with the City Solicitor: one to take from the statute books these old laws that this \$39,000,000.00 property is exempt from taxation and to pass laws to bring in revenue to the City, and to see that we get our share and proportion of the automobile license fees that are paid to the State, which would help to keep our streets in first-class condition. Therefore, I say to the Council that it could not do a greater duty than to pass this bill over the Mayor's veto."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I regret very much that the Mayor stoops in his communication and attempts to belittle and belittle this Council. I am surprised that a man of his intelligence would

use the language which he does, particularly in the second paragraph of his veto message. I will quote it: 'This bill, apparently, is designed to employ and keep a lobbyist at Harrisburg.' I don't know what was in the Mayor's mind, but I am satisfied that there was not in the mind of any member of Council, is not, and will not be in the future, that the purpose of this proposed legislation was to employ and compensate any person or persons to go down to Harrisburg and lobby for or against the passage of any bill in the Legislature. That is not the intention at all. The Mayor is reading into the resolution the word 'lobbyist,' which is not in the resolution and is not and was not in the minds of the members of Council at all, because the resolution provides that the person appointed shall be in attendance at the sessions of the Legislature and 'procure copies of all bills affecting the City of Pittsburgh and furnish the Mayor and the Council with a copy of same, together with a report of its progress in the Legislature and such other information as he may deem important.' It seems to me very clear that the Mayor has gone quite a distance out of his way to make it appear that it is the intention of the Council to employ a 'lobbyist.'

"He says, 'It is not clear whether it is to provide for one or two persons.' Evidently the Mayor must have been blind or sick when he read the third clause of the resolution. 'That the President of Council be directed to assign one (1) person to keep a record of every bill introduced in the Legislature affecting the City of Pittsburgh.' I am not seeing double now, Mr. President. I take the word one and the figure after it to mean one, not two.

"He further says, 'It appropriates no specified amount.' It is true. We don't know what it will cost, but it will not be more than a few hundred dollars. I am quite positive that we are not going to spend anything like the sum he asked for the repairs of his automobile for 1919, about \$2,200.00. The car cost about \$3,000.00, and a few months after its purchase he asked for two-thirds of the cost of the machine to keep it going for a year. This in view of the fact that no one in his department has had any experience on this particular type of machine which would justify him in asking for so large an amount for repairs. We are not going to spend anything like \$2,200.00 to have a representative at Harrisburg to protect the interests of the taxpayers of Pittsburgh.

"As you all know, we employed a person in the past to attend the sessions of the Legislature and keep Council posted as to the measures introduced in both branches of the Legislature and the progress made on the bills affecting the City of Pittsburgh. To do this we

did not have to rob the taxpayers of Pittsburgh.

"Now, he says, further, 'It fixes no salary or definite compensation.' It is right. We might get it done for \$300.00 or \$1,000.00. It is up to the President of Council. We are not going to send a man to Harrisburg with blank checks to buy votes in the Legislature. The salary or compensation that will be paid to the person appointed will be subject to the closest scrutiny by any taxpayer or person. The payroll must be approved by the City Controller before one penny will be paid out.

"Further he says, 'It is common street rumor that it is for the personal benefit of the Councilmen of Pittsburgh.' I just want to call your attention to the fact that this resolution was introduced in Council on December 2, 1918, fully three or four weeks before the Legislature could convene under the statutes. The public has had plenty of time to protest against this. Our hearings are open to the public and our actions taken in public, and that is one reason we are a successful Council. This resolution has been before the public for two months and I have not received a communication from a taxpayer protesting against the employment of a person to represent the Council at Harrisburg to look out for the interests of Pittsburgh, and I anticipate that no taxpayer is going to bother his head about it, because he has confidence that the Council is looking out for the interests of all the taxpayers.

"It seems to me that the statement by Governor Sproul when he was here Saturday makes the Mayor's charge of personal interest look ridiculous. That is not common street rumor. It is a definite statement by the Governor of Pennsylvania that he is not in favor of ripper legislation. The ripper must have been in the mayor's mind when he wrote in the veto 'that it was the common street rumor that the bill is for the personal benefit of the Councilmen.' Where does he get his information? Is it from his association with the political leaders in Allegheny County? It was not a common street rumor last Tuesday and Wednesday evenings that a statement was printed in Pittsburgh papers in which it was stated that Senator Leslie, ex-Mayor Armstrong and Mayor Babcock decided how the members of the Legislature from Allegheny County were to vote on the national prohibition amendment. This is a plain statement, made by newspapers of Pittsburgh, every one of which is responsible, and I have heard no denial or frank declarations from the Mayor or any of the others concerned that it is not true.

"I am surprised that the Mayor would base a veto message on common rumor, whether he obtained such information on the streets, in City Hall or in church.

"He further quotes, 'that our members of the Legislature and our members of the Senate are there for the purpose of legislating against the City's interests, instead of legislating for its best interests. I am not willing to be a party to any such inference.' From this statement it seems to me that the Mayor is trying to make trouble for the Council and the members of the Legislature from this City and Allegheny County. I think he is making a vast mistake when he attempts such a proposition. We are not challenging the integrity of any member of the Legislature, whether he is from Pittsburgh or Allegheny County or any other part of the State. We simply want information on bills that are introduced in the Legislature at Harrisburg affecting our City.

"The information I am going to give is not common street rumor. It was reported in our papers some ten days ago that the Mayor of Pittsburgh, who sends this common street rumor veto message to Council, was in favor of a proposed bill at Harrisburg providing for eight police magistrates, but sidestepped an opinion on the salary of \$4,000.00 each. It is not common street rumor; it is a fact; we don't need eight police magistrates. We recognize that, and we will deal with that question when it comes up for consideration. Why should we permit the Legislature, without protest, to saddle onto the taxpayers of Pittsburgh eight positions at \$4,000.00 each a year when the power for fixing salaries of City employees is vested in the Council of Pittsburgh? We are now getting police magistrates to serve for \$2,500.00 a year. If that is not enough salary they should resign. Why are they still hanging on for \$2,500.00? They are still willing to hang on, in spite of the fact that Council refused to confirm the Mayor's appointments. The amount that is proposed to pay the police magistrates would mean a total increase of \$12,000.00 over the amount now paid them, and the City Council could well afford to spend \$10,000.00 to save \$12,000.00. The Mayor, in his business practice, would not permit such a thing to occur. He is willing to go out and spend money to further his business, but attempts to stop Council from protecting the taxpayers of the City. I have no quarrel with the Mayor. What I say I say in all sincerity and honesty. I propose to go with him when I think he is right, and I shall oppose him when I think he is wrong. I think he is wrong in this instance. It occurs to me that someone has misled him, and I am going to vote to make this resolution a law notwithstanding the veto of the Mayor, because I think the bill is meritorious and, from my experience in Council and my experience with the Legislature, I think I am justified in voting as I do. In the closing days of the last budget we affected a saving of 30 per cent. in the tax rate submitted by the

Mayor. I am going to close by asking that in addition to the remarks I have made, that the second paragraph of the leading editorial in the Pittsburgh Post of this morning be added:

"It is time that the public gave attention to the forces in the communities that are originating legislation, so that those meriting support may be given it and the other kind exposed and repudiated. Mark those who come out openly with their projects and invite public discussion and those who try to sneak their measures through. There are instances of a few individuals taking it upon themselves to force revolutionary changes that the public has heard nothing about until the measures appear in the Legislature. It is an insult to the intelligence of any community. What changes are brought about should represent the best thought of the citizenship instead of the greed of a few politicians.'

"That is what was in my mind when I voted for the resolution originally and what is in my mind today. This resolution has been before the Council for the past sixty days and not a protest has been raised against it by any taxpayer. On the other hand, we have a letter here from the best element of the community commending Council's efforts to help the City, and this editorial which I have quoted is a warning to watch all legislation at Harrisburg.

"For the reasons stated I shall vote for the resolution becoming a law notwithstanding the veto of the Mayor."

Mr. Robertson arose and said:

"Mr. President, in regard to this bill I cannot say much, but I have had conversations with the different members of the House and Senate. I have a letter from Senator W. W. Mearkle, which is as follows:

"My Dear Mr. Robertson—As per my conversation with you some days ago, I have made arrangements to have the History of the House and Senate Bills sent to the President of the Council every week, also the Legislative Journal. The history of the bills will give you the title of every bill that is endorsed in the Senate and in the House. It will also show you just what position they are on the calendar, or whether they are in the committees.

"It occurred to me, after talking with you, that it would not be necessary to have every piece of legislation introduced at Harrisburg sent to the Council, as there are introduced pieces of legislation that in no way affect the County or the City, and the history above referred to will give you the title showing what section the bills will affect, and if there is any particular piece of legislation in which the Council is interested, I shall be very pleased to forward to

them or you any or as many pieces as you may want.

"Yours very truly,

"WILLIAM A. MEARKLE."

"I think if this Council should get this legislation as Mr. Mearkle suggests and if any bills pertain to the City, the members of this Council can go down on the day they come up and, if they are detrimental to the interests of the City, protest against them.

"The language the Mayor uses in his veto message does not appeal to me as being fair, but I think his position is well taken."

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"I would just like to say, appreciating the very commendable attitude that Senator Mearkle has taken, that following his course would not have enabled this Council to have known a single thing about the bill to which I referred, the wharf bill. I dare say that there are not ten lawyers in the City of Pittsburgh practicing at the Allegheny County Bar, on examination of that bill, would have known its application to the wharf matter."

Mr. Rauh arose and said:

"Mr. President, regarding the letter read by my colleague on the left, I wish to state that I have the highest regards for Senator Mearkle, but everybody knows that a week in the legislative body of the State is a long time—sometimes very short and sometimes very long—and we also know that very frequently bills are introduced and amendments tacked onto those bills which give it an altogether different meaning; and that is why we want the man there, not only to watch the bills, but the amendments, which sometimes have the snake in the grass."

Mr. Burke arose and said:

"We want a man on the job every minute, and we don't want to discover by accident at the last minute legislation that is detrimental to the City."

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"Mr. President, I want to say that I am going to vote to sustain the Mayor's veto, but I don't want to go on record as agreeing to the sentiments expressed by the Mayor. I think his language is ill-advised, intemperate and makes use of expressions which would have been better if omitted.

"He speaks of two persons, and I can find no other reason in the statement unless it was coupled up with the declaration of the street rumors. I don't think the Council should judge the Mayor by street rumors, any more than the Mayor should judge the members of Council by street rumors.

"I have no concern about the personal equation in the bill, as I have not been disturbed about the fate of the Council. I think that has been in such shape as to cause no apprehension on our part at any time.

"I am willing, however, to believe that many of the bills before the Legislature, such as the wharf legislation, in which the legal department of the City is vitally interested, should be looked after. If the Law Department don't get the reports on the bills that are introduced at Harrisburg and make a study of them, and inquire into the nature and character of them, as it affects the City of Pittsburgh particularly, then I would think it is about time that some one gave instructions to the Law Department of the great City of Pittsburgh, the second city in the State of Pennsylvania, to do so, and I think they, without instruction, ought to be making an investigation of every bill that is presented affecting the City of Pittsburgh.

"I want to go on record to the extent of disagreeing with the Mayor's language and some of the insinuations in his veto message, but I am willing to sustain the Mayor's veto under the thought that any responsibility or any failure that might arise through the neglect to do what was recommended by Council, shall rest upon the shoulders of the Mayor himself."

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh

Noes—Messrs.

Garland	Winters
Robertson	

Ayes—6.

Noes—3.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill became a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2181. Report of the Committee on Finance for February 4, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2106. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Con-

troller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Byrnes & Kiefer.....	\$ 72.41	1320
Alex. Black Coal Co.....	2.61	1164
Brown, A. J.....	21.38	1164
Dodge Sales & Engineering Co.....	68.36	185-A
Gilchrist's Sons Co., J. M.....	71.24	1164
Gulf Refining Co., The.....	25.00	1027
Iron City Heating Co.....	78.85	1710
Johnston Co., William G.....	33.00	1063
Kalamazoo Loose Leaf Binder Co.....	51.00	1666
Kennedy Co., D. J.....	2.30	1533
Loomis Electric Co., W. R.....	30.00	1236
McCullough Electric Co., W. T.....	28.80	185-A
Murphy Iron Works.....	1,425.95	1656
Nichols, E. M.....	46.80	1650
Nichols, E. M.....	240.00	1647
Nichols, E. M.....	80.40	1650
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	18.59	1415
Schenck China Co.....	77.61	1236
Second Pool Coal Co.....	4.75	1164
Woods Run Coal Co.....	22.68	1164
Youghiogheny Coal Co.....	50.11	1164

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1828. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Thomas Gannon, father of Thomas J. Gannon, for the sum of \$150.00, in full settlement of all claims for damages on account of injuries sustained by said Thomas J. Gannon falling

on a defective boardwalk on Greenleaf street, Nineteenth ward, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42.

In Finance Committee, February 4, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$150.00" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$100.00" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2108. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following City employees for services rendered for the period from January 22 to January 31, 1919, inclusive, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, and charging same to the code accounts as set forth, to-wit:

	Code	Amount.	Account
H. K. Keil, assistant engineer.....		\$62.10	1482
F. A. Mauch, assistant engineer.....		62.10	1482
John H. Dailey, Jr., chairman.....		31.45	1482
Phineas Reynolds, chairman.....		31.45	1482
J. Leo Lowry, chairman.....		31.45	1470

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

(Mr. Dailey not voting)

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2009. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lot located on Stromberg street, Sixteenth ward, to John Milka and Angela Milka, his wife, for the sum of \$100.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2123. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$148.04 from the General Fund of Code Account No. 1592½, Structural and Non-structural Improvements to the North Side Market Bureau of City Property, to Contract No. 793, being for new basement, smokestack and fan platform at the North Side Market.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2133. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,134,000.00 for the purpose of funding existing unfunded indebtedness of the City, consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets, and the construction of sewers and other floating indebtedness, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read a first time.

Also, with a negative recommendation,

Bill No. 1872. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of W. P. Schmidt in the sum of \$122.53, damages to automobile caused by running into a hole in the street on the north side of Penn avenue east of Linden avenue, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2010. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lots Nos. 129 130, 131 and 132, Bigelow boulevard, Second ward, to Robert B. Neely for the sum of \$105.00 paid to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2028. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in

favor of Dr. H. J. Carten in the sum of \$204.83, in full settlement of his claim arising out of accident to his automobile by running into a hole on the Twenty-second street bridge, and charging the same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2011. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,161,000.00, for the purpose of funding existing unfunded indebtedness of the City, consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages, etc., arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets, and the construction of sewers and other floating indebtedness, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2114. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance supplementing an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.,' approved January 22, 1919, by adding one section to be known as Section 139½, Tuberculosis Hospital, Bureau of Recreation."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2182. Report of the Committee on Public Works for February 4, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2104. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of a

sewer on the private property of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company and Ethel street, from a point about 44 feet southeast of Furnace way to a point about 50 feet southeast of Bates street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken acreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2183. Report of the Committee on Filtration and Water for February 4, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2125. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Dravo Construction Company in the sum of \$36,989.25, for the payment of the balance of the account for work done on the Aspinwall dam, and charging to Appropriation No. 1667, Bureau of Water Distribution.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. **Rauh** presented

No. 2184.

Pittsburgh, Pa., February 10, 1919.

Whereas, There are a number of tenants who are renters of property in the City of Pittsburgh who believe that they are being unjustly dealt with at the present time by some profiteering landlords; be it

Resolved, That these people be accorded the use of the Council Chamber for Monday evening, February 17, at 8 P. M., for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization to provide ways and means to secure relief from the unjust financial pressure. They would greatly appreciate it if your honored body could give them the use of the Council Chamber for this meeting.

R. R. McELLIGOTT,
341 Freeland street.
Chairman.

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

That the communication be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Winters** presented

No. 2185. Resolved, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to meet in conference with the members of Council on Tuesday, February 11, 1919, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of deciding on the beginning of the appraisal of the value of the Water Department of the City.

Which was read.

Mr. **Winters** moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Winters** presented

No. 2186. Resolved, That the City Solicitor be requested to confer with the Director of the Department of Public Safety and prepare an ordinance to provide payment for those firemen entitled to back pay from July 1, 1918, to January 1, 1919, as provided in the Appropriation Ordinance of 1919, Code Account No. 1169-A.

Mr. **Winters** moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 2187. Communication from Florence Lanahan Phelan, inviting the members of Council to attend a pageant to be given in the Syria Mosque on the evening of February 11, 1919, by the clubwomen of Pittsburgh.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. **Garland**, received and filed and the invitation accepted.

And, on motion of Mr. **Winters**,
Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, February 17, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Absent—Mr.
Garland

The **Chair** stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of February 10, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. **Dailey** moved

That the minutes of the meeting of February 10, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. **Burke** presented

No. 2188. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for making certain repairs to the roadway of the California avenue bridge over Woods Run, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Also

No. 2189. An Ordinance repealing that portion of Ordinance No. 164, Series of 1913, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for repairing certain bridges, and authorizing the setting aside of various sums, amounting in the aggregate to \$19 700.00, from Code Account No. 1788-E, for the payment of the costs thereof," approved April 23, 1913, which pertains to "Repaving Roadway of Millvale Avenue Bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad, \$4,200.00."

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2190. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on "A" street, from Columbus avenue to Kirkbride street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. **Dailey** presented

No. 2191. An Ordinance amending Section 1 of an ordinance approved December 4, 1886, entitled, "An Ordinance imposing a license fee upon peddlers in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly, approved the 10th day of June, A. D. 1881, entitled, 'An Act to prohibit the peddling, selling or hawking of produce and merchandise in cities of the second and third classes within the Commonwealth without a license'" by extending the provisions thereof to the solicitation of orders for the sale of goods or merchandise, and by excepting therefrom goods shipped from without the State directly to the purchaser within the State.

Also

No. 2192. Resolution empowering and directing the City Solicitor to make an adjustment of the assessments made on the properties on the south side of Maripoe street for the construction of a sewer on Glen way, and report to

Council for action, charging all deductions to the City.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2193. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) auto truck for the Asphalt Plant, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2194. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile for the Director of the Department of Public Safety, three (3) more or less auto patrols and three (3) more or less motorcycles for the Bureau of Police.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 2195. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of George H. Massie in the sum of \$100.00, in full settlement of all claims against the City of Pittsburgh for injuries received by falling into a ditch dug in the sidewalk of Chartiers avenue by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers on or about December 28, 1918, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2196. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Harry Braun for merchandise furnished certain institutions of the City, as follows:

Name.	Amount.	Code Account.
Municipal Hospital.....	\$ 376.82	1232
Leech Farm Sanitarium.....	761.08	1224
Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals.....	2,066.49	1320

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. English (for Mr. Garland) presented

No. 2197. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to adjust the water rates charged on the premises of W. H. Heselbarth, 440 and 440½ South Main street, taking into consideration the annual flat rates for said buildings.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. English presented

No. 2198. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing and re-establishing

the grade of Wabash street, from Park way to Independence street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2199. Petition of residents of the Eighteenth ward, asking that Brownsville avenue, from Carson street to Allentown, be improved.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2200. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in payment of rental of property, as follows: \$1.00 for twelve months' rental due January 1, 1919, for scale located at Seventeenth street yards, and charge same to Appropriation No. 1561; \$100.00 for three months' rental on playground and bath house on Penn avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, and charge same to Appropriation No. 1307.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2201. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalk on Proxim way, from Estella avenue to Montooth street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2202. Resolution empowering and directing the Board of Water Assessors to make an adjustment of the water rates on the property of Mrs. R. D. McQuillen at the corner of Quince way and Pride street for the quarter ending January 2, 1919, taking as a basis the flat rate.

Also

No. 2203. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,000.00 from Appropriation No. 171, Water Improvement and Extension Loan Fund, to Appropriation No. 171-A, Salaries and Expenses, Bureau of Water, for the purpose of payment of engineering, mechanical and other services performed by employees of, or furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, in the improvement and extension of water system, installation of meters, etc., and materials and supplies used in connection with such work.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2204. An Ordinance authorizing the proper officials of the City of Pittsburgh to enter into an agreement

with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company for the occupation of land, held by the said railroad, for the construction of a footbridge over Nine Mile Run, connecting McFarren avenue with roads on the southwest side of the said run, and providing for the payment of the rental thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2205. An Ordinance establishing the grade of O'Hara street, from Boquet street to De Soto street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2206. Communication from Catharina Lampus, offering \$100.00 for a strip of ground, 3½ feet wide, owned by the City on Luella street extending through to Terrace street. Twenty-sixth ward.

Also

No. 2207. Communication from C. B. Bratt, asking to be exonerated from payment of assessment for construction of sewer on Flora street, Twenty-seventh ward.

Also

No. 2208. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to adjust the water rates charged on the premises of Ella A. Kearney, 1212 Colwell street, by exonerating her from the payment of \$125.16 as shown by the meter for the second quarter of 1918, and placing same on the flat rate, which would be \$6.00.

Also

No. 2209. An Ordinance amending Section 68, Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, North Side Market, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved by the Mayor January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2210. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to John Hovan for a piece of property located on the southeast side of Lecky avenue, Twenty-seventh ward, upon the payment of the sum of \$600.00.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2211. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuade & Sons Company for \$4,507.15 for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant,

Aspinwall, Pa., during the month of January, 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 1645, "Wages, Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Filtration and Water.

Also

No. 2212. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Lawrence H. Dorgan, a lieutenant in the Bureau of Fire, for the sum of \$142.00, for expenses paid by him for services of nurses at the Allegheny General Hospital for 34 days and automobile hire, and charging same to Code Account No. 1163, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Fire.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2213. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a lease with Edward G. Hartje, Sidney O. Hartje, Charles G. Hartje, Richard Hartje and Nell Hartje for certain property situate at the northwest corner of Sarah and South Thirteenth streets, Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, for playground purposes, fixing the term and rental thereof, and providing for the payment of the rental.

Also

No. 2214. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Delp's Sons, S.....	\$ 10.50	1066
Forrest, Robert	5.44	1570
Lange Motor Truck Co.....	10.27	1656
Penn Storage Battery Co....	1.00	.....
Phillips, J. & H.....	49.00	1041
Pittsburgh Reinforced		
Brazing & Machine Co....	82.94	1657
Somers, Fitler & Todd Co..	1.95	1570

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-

COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Allis-Chalmers Manufac-		
turing Co.....	25.60	1656
Axwell Equipment Co.....	19.50	1165
Baur Brothers Co.....	98.37	1232
Boggs & Buhl.....	16.25	1647
Bobbs Merrill Co., The.....	12.00	1078
Bruce, Charles A.....	1.64	1809
Bunting Stamp Co.....	.75	1018

Chandler-Boyd Supply Co.	4.00	1656
Coon, J. W.	2.20	1100
Consumers Auto Supply Co.	3.00	1032
Department Reports Co.	26.00	1078
Eugene Dietzgen Co.	.79	1044
Elliot Co., B. K.	1.20	1415
Engineering & Contracting	3.00	1018
Essex Brothers	3.70	1808
Frick & Lindsay Co.	11.06	1168
Front Drive Motor Co.	25.00	1165
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.	4.53	1037
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.	2.50	1647
Glancy, Dan	.65	1809
Heeren Brothers Co.	5.60	1177
Holman, Jennie, Agent	11.00	1051
Jacobs Thompson Co.	1,052.50	1322
Johnston, Moorehouse & Dickey Co.	29.15	1655
Lange Motor Truck Co.	1.25	1656
McClung Printing Co.	8.25	1076
McKenna Drug Co.	6.05	1232
McMurray's Drug Store	1.80	1034
Municipal Journal	3.00	1013
Mine Safety Appliance Co.	12.60	185-A
Milholland Co., J. & J. B.	54.00	185-A
Official Railway Guide Pub. Co.	3.00	1018
Obernauer, Herbert D.	532.24	1320
Ordinance Department, U. S. A.	2,999.74	1656
Pearson Mfg. Co.	78.20	1556
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.	75.00	1658
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Mach. Co.	7.00	1656
Penn Storage Battery Co.	7.50	1639
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	.70	1100-M
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.	21.00	1165
R. L. Polk & Co.	12.00	1658
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.	336.00	1656
Rochester Germicide Co.	12.00	1811
Ronald, Press, The	9.00	1018
Shipley, Massingham Co.	9.35	1647
Smith Brothers Co., Inc.	14.40	1076
Westinghouse Traction Brake Co.	495.50	187
Wheeler Condenser & Engineering Co.	97.15	1656
Woodwell, Co., Jos.	4.00	1066

Also

No. 2215. Whereas, The following bills for repairs were contracted by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, without competitive bids and, consequently, can be paid only by authority of a resolution passed by Council in conformity with the Act of 1874; and

Whereas, Said repairs were furnished, accepted and used by the City during the month of January, 1919.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the firms and persons in payment of claims as scheduled below, and charge the amounts

to the appropriation items as shown in said schedule:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Andrew Amrhein & Bros.	\$ 46.75	1516
Fred Bauer	64.60	1516
R. Doyle	26.75	1516
Andrew Engel	74.35	1516
I. J. Glatch	.50	1516
Hacker Bros.	11.70	1516
Kress Bros. Wagon Co.	16.50	1516
William Miller	24.81	1516
Muhlick Bros.	5.75	1516
George Purdy	25.30	1516
Joseph Schiller	8.55	1516
Special Elec. Service Co.	18.70	1516
Samuel Ward	191.50	1516
B. H. Frazier	97.80	1516
B. H. Frazier	13.60	1525
H. Hunziker	106.00	1516
H. Hunziker	95.00	1525
W. J. Hittner	41.15	1516
W. J. Hittner	52.87	1525
Mayer Wagon Co.	209.40	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.	46.25	1525
C. G. Ruhlandt	61.45	1516
C. G. Ruhlandt	10.20	1525
Iron City Spring Co.	6.50	1557
Pearson Mfg. Co.	84.02	1557

Also

No. 2216. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Matthews Bros. Manufacturing Company in the sum of \$121.50 for extra work in connection with the Mayor's Suite and Council Chamber furniture, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2217. Resolution approving the lease of certain ground on Bingham street, between South Sixth and South Seventh streets, Seventeenth ward made by George A. Jones, agent for Magdalena Rahe, to the City of Pittsburgh, for use of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, for a term of one year beginning May 1, 1919, at a total rental of \$1,200.00, payable monthly at the rate of \$100.00 per month, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Services Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2218. An Ordinance authorizing the proper officers of the City of Pittsburgh to enter into a contract between the West Liberty Street Railway Company; Pittsburgh and Birmingham Traction Company; United Traction Company of Pittsburgh; Pittsburgh Railways Company, Charles A. Fagan, W. D. George and S. L. Tone, Receivers of the

Pittsburgh Railways Company, and the City of Pittsburgh, providing for the temporary abandonment and removal of railway tracks, poles and wires in that portion of Warrington avenue, between Montooth street and Boggs avenue, in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, for the period of twenty-five (25) years, subject to the terms and provisions of said contract.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

The Chair presented

No. 2219. An Ordinance prescribing the form of coupon and registered bonds to be issued in conformity with an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,134,000.00 for the purpose of funding existing unfunded indebtedness of the City, consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets, and the construction of sewers and other floating indebtedness, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," approved by the Mayor February —, 1919.

Also

No. 2220. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to temporarily employ D. A. Toomey as stenographer-clerk in the general office of the Department of Law for a period of six months beginning February 17, 1919, at a salary of \$132.50 per month, payable semi-monthly; and authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$795.00 from Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Code Account No. 1073, Salaries, Department of Law.

Also

No. 2221. Communication from John J. McKelvey, Director of the Department of Charities, submitting a report on the light plant at the City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, for which an item of \$100,000.00 is to be included in the proposed people's bond issue.

Also

No. 2222. Communication from the Greenfield Board of Trade, asking that Council include in the proposed bond issue items for a playground on Wheatland street, a new bridge to replace the wooden structure across Forward avenue into Schenley Park, and the repairing of the old Greenfield avenue bridge.

Also

No. 2223. Communication from the Board of Trade of City View and Vicinity, asking Council to include in

the proposed bond issue an item for the erection of a bridge to span the East street valley, from City View to Perrysville avenue.

Also

No. 2224. Communication from the Pittsburgh Real Estate Board, asking for a hearing regarding certain items to be included in the proposed bond issue.

Also

No. 2225. Communication from the West End Board of Trade, asking for a hearing relative to the construction of a boulevard along the Saw Mill Run valley, and asking that same be included in the proposed bond issue.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2226. Communication from George H. Baker, asking that the sidewalks on Wyoming street, from Southern avenue to Boggs avenue, be repaired.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2227. An Ordinance prohibiting the obstruction or interception of funeral processions in the City, and providing a penalty therefor.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 2228.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, February 13, 1919.

Mr. John S. Herron, President, and

Members of Council of the

City of Pittsburgh.

Dear Sirs—I return herewith, without my approval, Bill No. 2058, a resolution exonerating the First Christian Church of Banksville from payment of assessments for sewers.

This is practically the same as your bill No. 1409, which I could not approve of and wrote you January 8, setting out the following reasons, which I herewith repeat:

"Accompanying this resolution is a statement from the City Solicitor that there is no legal reason why they should be exonerated from their assessments. Another letter in the file by the City Clerk states that the assessments are a lawful and legal claim against the church.

"Exonerating an assessment of this kind opens a door so wide to many other cases and establishes such a very bad precedent that even, though the circum-

stances might be extenuating, I cannot give my approval."

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

And

Bill No. 2058. Resolution exonerating the First Christian Church of Banksville from payment of assessments at No. 703, January Term, 1918, of \$285.00 for sewerage on Broadway avenue, and at No. 1457, April Term, 1918, for \$54.00, for sewer on Olcott way, together with all court costs due thereon, the same to be charged to the City, and providing that Bill No. 1409, relating to the same matter, be repealed.

In Council, February 3, 1919. Rule suspended, read three times and finally passed.

Which was read.

And on the question, "Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?"

The ayes and noes were taken, agreeable to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dalley	McArdle
English	Winters

Noes—Messrs.

Rauh	Robertson
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Ayes—6.

Noes—2.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill became a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Bill No. 2133. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,134,000.00 for the purpose of funding existing unfunded indebtedness of the City, consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets, and the construction of sewers and other floating indebtedness, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

In Council, February 10, 1919. Read a first time.

Which was read a second time and agreed to.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2229. Resolved, That Council authorize the Transit Commission to investigate and report as to the feasibility of changing the course of the Allegheny river from Ross Grove to Emsworth, and that it become part of the Ohio river.

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Burke arose and said:

"Mr. President—In presenting this resolution to Council, I do so after having given careful study to the facts with the result that I believe if the Transit Commission make the necessary survey between Ross Grove and Emsworth or a point nearby, it will be found the water course can be changed without too great an expense, so that it will be emptied into the Ohio river.

"Council must realize the advantage that will accrue to the City of Pittsburgh if this project can be carried through.

"So far as I can learn, this is a natural course with the exception of one little knoll, and this is at West View Park; came by some disruption years ago or earth disturbance.

"We realize that there should be something done to relieve the congested conditions in the downtown caused by heavy traffic.

"Personally, I believe an underground transportation system, not a loop, but a tube, from the East End to and through the North Side, and from the South Side to and through the North Side; owned by the City, operated by the City, in the interest of the people, under similar plans as recommended by Mr. Morris of the Transit Commission, is the only solution of the street railway problem in Pittsburgh.

"Now, if we go under the ground with the street railway we must have a place to dump the ground taken from the underground tunnels. I think no better place could be used than the Allegheny river from the Point to Sharpsburg. This would do away with the cesspool that Council's attention was called to the other day from Mr. Hartman, who appeared before it in the interest of the landlords, when he said that the river was nothing more or less than a cesspool. All the water refuse could be carried through a tube underneath the railway tubes that would be laid in the river bed to connect Pittsburgh proper and the North Side, and the ground taken from the tunnels could be used to fill in the river bed.

"All the wharf properties now owned by the City could be put to great use and would bring in more revenue than the developments would cost. The project will be seven miles in length from Ross Grove to Emsworth. I believe the land could be purchased for \$100.00 per acre between Ross Grove and Emsworth and the land that could be utilized from the Point to Sharpsburg, after the bed of the river was filled in, part of it would bring in as high as \$200,000.00 per acre. Along the new course of the river factory sites could be laid out. This would do away with the raising of bridges and the construction of new bridges from the City proper to the North Side. This expenditure would be approximately one-tenth of the amount the City would realize if the property, after being filled in, were sold.

"I think where the bed of the river is at present a great boulevard could be built, taking it from the Point to Sharpsburg. There this boulevard would intersect with the boulevard in Highland Park and this, then, connect with the Baum boulevard and from there into the Bigelow boulevard, and then to the Point by the way of Water street."

Mr. **Rauh** moved

To amend the motion by referring the resolution to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **McArdle** called up

Bill No. 1872. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of W. P. Schmidt in the sum of \$122.53, damages to automobile caused by running into a hole in the street on the north side of Penn avenue east of Linden avenue, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

In Council, February 10, 1919. Read and further action indefinitely postponed.

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

To reconsider the vote by which action on the resolution was indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

And the question recurring, "Shall further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed?"

The motion did not prevail.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

That the resolution be recommended to the Committee on Finance for further consideration.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **McArdle** called up

Bill No. 2028. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in

favor of Dr. H. J. Carten in the sum of \$204.83, in full settlement of his claim arising out of accident to his automobile by running into a hole on the Twenty-second street bridge, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

In Council, February 10, 1919. Read and further action indefinitely postponed.

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

To reconsider the vote by which action on the resolution was indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

And the question recurring, "Shall further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed?"

The motion did not prevail.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

That the resolution be recommended to the Committee on Finance for further consideration.

Which motion prevailed.

The **Chair** presented

No. 2230. Resolution protesting against the raising of the Sixth, Seventh, Ninth, Sixteenth, Thirtieth and Forty-third street bridges, as ordered and directed by the Secretary of War of the United States.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. **Winters** presented

No. 2231. An Ordinance providing for the payment of additional compensation to certain employees in the Bureaus of Fire and Electricity in the Department of Public Safety for the period from July 1, 1918, to January 21, 1919, both inclusive.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

That the following members be excused for absence from Council and Committee meetings:

Mr. **Burke** on January 8, 14, 28 and 30, 1919.

Mr. **Dailey** on January 15, 27, 28 and 30, and February 3 and 4, 1919.

Mr. **English** on December 31, 1918; January 15, 1919, and February 4, 1919.

Mr. **Garland** on January 30 and February 6, 1919.

Mr. **Herron** (President) on January 20 and February 6, 1919.

Mr. **Rauh** on January 30 and February 6, 1919.

Mr. **Robertson** on January 14, 1919.

Mr. **Winters** on January 13, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. **English**,
Council adjourned.

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No. 10

Municipal Record

NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, February 24, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Absent—Mr.

English

The Chair stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of February 17, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the minutes of the meeting of February 17, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Burke (by request) presented

No. 2232. An Ordinance granting the consent of the City of Pittsburgh unto the Pittsburgh District Railroad Company for the construction, maintenance and operation of certain branches of its railroad within the limits of said City, subject to the terms, conditions and reservations set forth in this ordinance.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2233. An Ordinance authorizing the purchase from Joseph P. Reed of a certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Fifth ward, City of Pittsburgh, containing 2.9162 acres, for the sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars, and making appropriation therefor.

Also

No. 2234. An Ordinance authorizing the purchase from the Wagman estate of a tract or piece of land, situate in the Fifth ward, City of Pittsburgh, containing two (2) acres, more or less, and making appropriation therefor.

Also

No. 2235. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation
		No.
Drs. Goldsmith & Gorfinkel	\$10.00	1163
Dr. C. I. Buvinger	32.00	1163
Allegheny General Hospital	74.50	1163
Howard B. Allen	2.00	1163
Keystone Laundry Co.	202.67	1163
Duquesne Light Co.	3.00	1163
Penn Storage Battery Co.	77.70	1166
Bertram G. Case	78.75	1166
Banker Windshield Co.	11.10	1166
Campbell-Niedringhaus	3.50	1166
American Atmos Corpora- tion	22.66	1166
American Typewriter In- spection Co.	1.50	1166
August Loch	6.00	1166
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.	13.73	1166

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2236. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Fallert, Paul	\$ 10.00	1811
Hill, Edwin M.	269.58	1541
Bruckman Lumber Co.	539.20	1541

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-PETITIVE PURCHASES.

Atlantic Refining Co.	51.75	1031
Atlantic Refining Co.	6.65	1430
Atlantic Refining Co.	4.60	1663
Axwell Equipment Co.	192.37	1165
Bailey Farrell Mfg. Co.	7.50	1809
Baur Brothers Co. (Ward Baking Co.)	100.58	1232
Brahm Co., A. L.	16.98	1224
Brahm Co., A. L.	236.46	1232
Business Furniture Co.	174.25	1026
Coon, W. J., Mrs.	16.20	1076
Consumers Auto Supply Co.	9.00	1032
Davison & Brother, J. K.	5.75	1664
Donnelly, James	12.56	1232
Farquhar, R. & J.	.80	1707
Feick Brothers Co.	30.60	1323
Horne Co., Joseph	7.50	1018
Keystone Service Typewriter Co.	9.00	1076
Kolzem, A. H.	20.50	1655
Kurtz, Langbein & Swartz	20.70	1321
Lanning, J. Frank	41.60	1555
Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories	8.00	1215
McKnight Hardware Co., Samuel	6.46	185-A
Manufacturers Light & Heat Co.	577.97	1320
Mayer Brick Co.	100.00	185-A
Point Motor Co.	22.50	1032
Quaker City Rubber Co.	1.50	1589
Rosedale Foundry & Machinery Co.	6.00	1656
Shipley Massingham Co.	23.03	1164
Smith Brothers Co., Inc.	2.25	1076
Speck, Marshall Co.	733.59	1655
Standard Motor Car Co.	19.80	1032
Williams & Fox.	91.08	1320

Also

No. 2237. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the Burroughs Adding Machine Company for \$14.25 and the Pittsburgh Machine & Supply Company for \$23.40 for repairs contracted for by the Department of City Treasurer, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1065.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2238. Communication from Albert Burkhardt, asking permission to operate sight-seeing automobile on the streets and in the public parks of Pittsburgh.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2239. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
David Lawson.	\$ 11.30	1649
McCune & Seibert.	14.75	1649
James McNeil & Bro. Co.	72.00	1657
Pittsburgh Auto Spring Co.	3.00	1657
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.	169.01	1657
Hacker Brothers	.50	1665
Keystone Laundry Co.	1.06	1800
The Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania	76.08	1807
The Empire Laundry Co.	6.65	1807
Lincoln Laundry Co.	.99	1807
C. C. Mellor Co.	16.00	1807
Oakland Express & Transfer Co.	27.00	1807
Charles Sundermann.	47.55	1807
Maurice S. Martin.	53.95	1810
W. J. Succop Co.	13.45	1810

Also

No. 2240. Communication from the North Homestead Board of Trade, asking for a hearing relative to the improvement of streets in the North Homestead district.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2241. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of William E. Rowbottom, registered plumber, for the sum of \$15.27 for extending the sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line at 1507 Knapp street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2242. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of

the Pittsburgh Orchestral Band in the amount of \$39.00 for music furnished for a parade in celebration of the victory of the Marines on July 18, 1918, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Dailey (for Mr. English) presented

No. 2243. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of J. L. Thorpe for \$775.00 for heading up an approximate total of 35,000 loose leaf ledger sheets for the Board of Water Assessors, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1342, Miscellaneous Services, Board of Water Assessors.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2244. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the American Reduction Company in the sum of \$97,647.39 for the removal of garbage and the collection of rubbish during the months of October, November and December, 1918, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1259.

Also

No. 2245. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$41,913.38 for the removal of 4,477.87 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 4,771.06 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$10,031.05 for the removal of 1,680.89 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 754.17 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, during the month of January, 1919; the tonnage rates set forth in this resolution being the rates as established by the contractors for the period ending December 31, 1918, and charging same to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

The Chair presented

No. 2246. Communication from the Boston Fresh Fish Distributing Company, asking that the ordinance licensing transit retail dealers be suspended during the time they are in business selling fish from railroad cars.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2247. Petition of residents and property owners, protesting against the operation of the City swimming pool on Tioga street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

No. 2248.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER.

Pittsburgh, February 24, 1919.

To the Council.

Gentlemen—Under existing laws we have to advertise the sale of bonds three separate weeks before the sale. As any delay in the passage of the Funded Debt Loan Ordinance will bring it for sale about the same time as the government loan will be offered, and I think it advantageous to the City to have them sold before that time, I recommend its passage today. The Mayor's private secretary says he is positive the Mayor will sign it as soon as it is passed, and he will, at my request, stating the urgency in the matter, forward it at once.

Respectfully,

E. S. MORROW,
City Controller.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Bill No. 2133. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,134,000.00 for the purpose of funding existing unfunded indebtedness of the City, consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets, and the construction of sewers and other floating indebtedness, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

In Council, February 17, 1919. Bill read a second time and agreed to.

Which was read a third time and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken, agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2249. Report of the Committee on Finance for February 18, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2230. Resolution protesting against the raising of the Sixth, Seventh, Ninth, Sixteenth, Thirtieth and Forty-third street bridges over the Allegheny river, as ordered and directed by the Secretary of War.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Itauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2250. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for February 18, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1323. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance vacating that portion of Arbuckle way, which is bounded on the north by the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railway's right of way, and on the south by a line which is parallel with the northerly line of Lacock street and distant one hundred twenty-four and one-half (124½) feet northwardly from the northerly line of Lacock street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2251. Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to furnish Council with an estimate of the cost of straightening, raising and re-establishing the grade of Butler street, from a point 200 feet east of Forty-eighth street to a point 200 feet west therefrom.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2252. Resolved, That the Department of Assessors be and it is hereby requested to furnish a statement of the assessment valuation of the properties described as follows:

A—Bounded by Liberty avenue Fifth avenue and Market street.

B—Bounded by Sixth avenue, Wood street and Liberty avenue.

C—Bounded by Sixth avenue, Grant street and the Bigelow boulevard.

D—Bounded by Liberty avenue, Seventh avenue and Smithfield street.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2253. Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh is the owner of many lots and pieces of property abutting upon its improved and unimproved streets, many of which properties are located in, or in close proximity to the producing and manufacturing centers of the City and are vacant, unused and unproductive properties, bringing the City no return whatever; and

Whereas, There is a scarcity of homes and houses suitable for residences of the family of ordinary means and the working or labor population of the City; the housing proposition in its development becoming now a vital problem, which is already retarding its progress and should receive the immediate and careful consideration of the municipality and all others desirous of the people's welfare; and

Whereas, The renters, by the scarcity of houses, are more or less at the mercy of many avaricious landlords and the rent profiteer, which condition could be largely overcome by the City utilizing its vacant property for homes; and, further, under the graded tax law, the City would set the example and put into actual practice the theory it advocates for others; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor of the City of Pittsburgh be requested to furnish to Council an opinion as to the legality and the authority the City may have for using and developing its vacant property in the building of homes, and directing the City Solicitor, in the event of the illegality of the City's authority or rights, to prepare a bill for presentation to the Legislature of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, granting to municipalities the right and authority to thus utilize and develop their properties and providing for the expenditure of public moneys for that purpose.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

The adoption of the resolution, and said:

"Mr. President, Nations and municipalities can do only one of two things. They must either progress or retrograde. There is no standing still.

"We have been listening here for a couple of weeks to the complaints of rent payers about increases in rents. The only answer to their complaints has been that there is a scarcity of houses. No remedy for that situation has been advanced by any of the property owners who have appeared before us.

"One speaker who appeared before this body a week or two ago quoted an old saying that, 'Fools build houses for wise men to live in.'

"This speaker and others who appeared here were unanimous in saying that there is no profit in building houses to rent. Every landlord whom I have spoken to has said the same thing. And, in addition to that, I might say that you will remember that a man who is one of the largest builders of homes in the City of Pittsburgh (I know he is the largest builder of that kind that appeared before Council at the hearings on the rent profiteering practice), a man who was referred to by one of the speakers as the 'Kaiser' of landlords in Pittsburgh, made the statement that a workingman could not live in Pittsburgh on account of the housing conditions and the high cost of building materials.

"This is not a new condition. Landlords have been telling me this same thing for years. The scarcity of houses has not been brought about by the war. The great influx of laborers here on war work simply intensified a situation that had been with us for many years before the war and was constantly growing worse. Private capital was unanimous in saying it did not pay to build for rent.

"If this be true, then it is certainly the duty of the municipality to take steps to remedy the condition. We must either go forward or back. If we are to attract and hold a satisfied working popu-

lation in this City we must give them decent homes to live in, and we must furnish them at a rental that will be within their means. If private capital cannot do this, then it is to the interests and welfare of the municipality to take that work in hand.

"I do not anticipate that the City could enter into the business of building houses to rent without opposition. But I do believe that it is the duty of the City to put the idle lands it now holds into use. I believe this City should build at once 500 or 1,000 modern homes of six to eight rooms each. These houses should be constructed of the best building material. The workmanship should be second to none. The plumbing and sanitary features should be unsurpassed. The rentals should be only enough to cover the cost of maintenance and provide a sinking fund. They should be sold to any homeseeker desiring to possess himself of one of these homes, and should be sold in such a way and on such terms that workingmen would be encouraged to own their homes.

"We have tried the plan of private capital furnishing homes for the workers. The plan is a failure. Owners of such properties say they would never again build such properties, as there is no money in them. Perhaps the City would not reap a direct profit from such an undertaking. But unless we get busy and begin to progress here in Pittsburgh the time will come when bats will be roosting in the ruins of the buildings we now have and Pittsburgh will be only an interesting deserted village. Perhaps that is an exaggeration, but it is not an exaggeration to say that good American workingmen will not want to locate here and this City will be turned over entirely to foreigners, who have no idea of what America means.

"The business men of this City know that their prosperity depends absolutely on the workers. Without them this City could not be. If the great stores of this City were deprived of the patronage of the men who labor with their hands for day wages they would close their doors in a week. If we want to keep a class of workers here who will support the great business institutions which have grown up here to serve them, the municipality will have to do its duty to the workers. Private capital says it cannot do it, because there is no profit in it. Then the City will have to do it, even with the prospect of profit entirely eliminated.

"This is undeniably a radical step in City development. But Pittsburgh is confronted with a condition that must be remedied. I do not believe that the cry of high prices of materials need interrupt this development for an instant. If brick manufacturers, plumbing contractors, lumbermen, supply dealers

of every description knew that Pittsburgh was to erect 500 or 1,000 modern dwellings this summer they would be crowding in here to give us bargain prices. The builder of a single house might find prices high now. The City building several hundred will get reasonable prices, provide labor for thousands of mechanics, make homes for thousands of American people and solve the housing question in the only sensible way it can possibly be solved."

Mr. Bauh arose and said:

"I heartily approve of the resolution. Pittsburgh needs more houses. As my colleague on the left has stated, we have heard much lately about this rent profiteering proposition and that some landlords are acting the way they are is because of the scarcity of houses. Now, I will tell you what the scarcity of houses is doing. First of all, I want to say that we have several thousand pieces of property, some having houses on and some vacant lots, and you know that it is a hard proposition to sell an empty lot, and I believe the City would profit if small houses were erected on this vacant property. I don't mean that the City should build on property that is unsuitable for housing purposes, as we have a lot of such property. There are lots in suitable locations which could be utilized for this purpose and which would bring in a good revenue to the City if put to the uses proposed under this resolution.

"I wish to call to your attention a serious proposition that was stated to me. A gentleman told me this morning that in one newspaper in Pittsburgh there were thirty advertisements for houses to let, apartments to let, and twenty-nine of those advertisements stated that they would not rent the apartments or houses to people who had children. Now, this is a serious proposition.

"If the City built small homes, as has been suggested in the resolution just presented, the workingman with children could rent them."

"Another serious thing that should be taken into consideration. You know that a great many people will have to live outside the City limits because they cannot find suitable homes in Pittsburgh. And these boroughs refuse to join Pittsburgh, to make a Greater City. We are

losing the population and the taxpayers unless we get to work and use some strenuous influence and do something suggested by the resolution. I am for the passage of the resolution."

Mr. McArdle moved

To amend the resolution, after the words "right and authority to" by inserting the words "acquire land and to."

Mr. Winters (with the consent of the seconder) accepted the amendment.

And the question recurring on the adoption of the resolution, as amended.

The motion prevailed.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2254. Resolved, That we request the City Solicitor for an opinion as to whether, under his constitutional rights, a landlord has the right to restrict his renting to families without small children, or as to the right of a landlord of a residence or apartment to remove a family, otherwise a satisfactory tenant, because of the arrival during leasehold, of a child or children.

This practice appears on its face to be un-American, tending, as it does, towards race suicide.

Also as to whether this practice can be corrected legally, through an act of Legislature, by Act of Congress, or do the rights exercised under contract forbid a correction of this condition.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair presented

No. 2255. Communication from the Renters' Anti-Extortion League of Pittsburgh, transmitting resolutions adopted by said league suggesting that the City Assessors receive and investigate all complaints of tenants or lessees in the City relative to excessive rentals demanded by landlords, etc.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

And on motion of Mr. Bailey,

Council adjourned.

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Municipal Record

NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, March 3, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Absent—Messrs.

English	Robertson
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The **Chair** stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of February 24, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. **Dailey** moved

That the minutes of the meeting of February 24, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. **Burke** presented

No. 2256. An Ordinance amending Line 4, Section 52, Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2257. An Ordinance amending Section 62, Line 2, Department of Public Works, Division of Public Utilities; Section 74, Line 2, Department of Public Works, Water Accounting Division; Section 86, Line 5, Department of Public Works, Water Distribution Division; Section 88, Line 4, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Parks; Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. **Dailey** presented

No. 2258. Resolution authorizing and directing the Collector of Delinquent Taxes to satisfy of record the liens filed against the Congregation of Tiphereth Israel at No. 4, January Term, 1912; No. 93, April Term, 1916; No. 102, April Term, 1917; No. 130, April Term, 1918, for water rents assessed against its property at the corner of Fullerton and Clark streets, Third ward, for the years 1912 to 1915, both inclusive, upon payment of the sum of \$163.60, with interest to date (being at the rate of \$40.90 per annum, as agreed upon between said church and the Board of Water Assessors); and, further, authorizing the Collector of Delinquent Taxes to accept said sum of \$40.90, with interest to date, in full payment of water rent for the year 1916, and charging the costs in each of the above cases to the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 2259. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following persons and firms for repair accounts contracted for by the Division of Motor Vehicles, and charging same to Code Account No. 1033:

H. S. Anderson.....	\$105.96
Banker Windshield Co.....	16.30
H. Hunziker	91.00

Iron City Spring Co.....	31.80
Liberty Brazing & Welding Co.....	152.75
Penn Storage Battery Co.....	9.00
Pruyn Co.....	157.79

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2260. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.....	\$ 15.15	1147
I. K. King, M. D.....	15.00	1147
W. H. Champ.....	43.77	1150
Hunting Stamp Co.....	.75	1150
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.....	22.67	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co.....	4.20	1150
William C. Lauer.....	16.00	1150
K. Solomon & Co.....	3.25	1159-O
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh, Inc.....	910.43	1160

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2261. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Otis Elevator Co.....	\$ 1.20	1582
Speck-Marshall Co.....	14.00	1526

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Atlantic Refining Co.....	.25	1655
Atlantic Refining Co.....	28.42	1224
Bailey-Farrell Manufacturing Co.....	20.84	1175
Baur Bros. Bakery (Ward Baking Co.).....	23.88	1148
Baur Bros. Bakery (Ward Baking Co.).....	21.40	1745
B. B. & B. Trunk Co.....	10.00	1809
Beckert Seed Store.....	1.70	1776
Byrnes & Kiefer.....	3.60	1321
Chatfield & Woods.....	3.75	1663
Colonial Supply Co.....	92.00	1656
Consumers Auto Supply Co.....	2.40	1032
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	3.30	1090

Cotton & Co., R. H.....	25.00	1328
Cudahy Packing Co.....	125.64	1224
Dreer, Henry A., Inc.....	1.67	1320
Doubleday-Hill Electric Co.....	2.99	1656

DuPont DeNemours & Co., E. I.....	255.48	85-A
East End Battery Service Co.....	60.60	1164
Elliott Co., B. K.....	27.14	1430
Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.....	584.10	1165
Front Drive Motor Co., The.....	1,658.51	1165
Fort Pitt Hardware Co.....	14.45	1809
Harbison-Walker Refractories Co.....	707.00	1556
Heeren Brothers & Co.....	1.10	1175
Hersey Manufacturing Co.....	299.89	1664
Hollis & Smith Motion Co.....	11.75	1809
Hollis & Smith Motion Co.....	23.00	1811
Hopkins Press, The John.....	5.00	1323
Johnston, William G., Co.....	410.00	1016
Johnston, William G., Co.....	3.50	1249
Knox Motor Associates.....	187.70	1165
Ladow Co., Edward R.....	4.56	1165
Larkin Manufacturing Co.....	240.00	1168
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.....	.35	1016
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.....	1.15	1570
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.....	1.55	1656
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.....	.35	1658
McKenna Drug Co.....	12.50	1232
Mosby, C. V., Medical Book & Pub. Co.....	5.00	1218
Munhall & Co.....	38.50	1131
National Municipal Review.....	5.00	1018
Newell Schneider Co.....	4.00	1232
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	3.00	1100
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	.45	1647
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	8.65	1556
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.....	.25	1590
Rust Engineering Co.....	30.00	1656
Smith Co., Lee S.....	27.75	1320
Speck-Marshall Co.....	3.00	1618
Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Co.....	26.51	185-A
Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Co.....	1.56	1809
Standard Underground Cable Co.....	15.88	1175
Voorhees Rubber Co.....	254.72	1656
Welsbach Co.....	11.28	1224
Welsbach Co.....	6.24	1808
Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.....	31.83	1673
Woodwell Co., Joseph.....	19.20	1165

Also

No. 2262. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Robert Martin for \$858.00 for one car of bran for use of the Department of Supplies, and charging same to Code Account St. F., Department of Supplies.

Also

No. 2263. Resolved, That the

Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	No.
Duquesne Light Co.....	\$ 19.59	1516
Andrew Engel.....	22.50	1516
James A. McKenna.....	268.75	1563
Profit Sharing Laundry Co.	228.00	1568
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	9.72	1568
Allegheny Repair Co.....	16.03	1575
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	9.72	1579
James A. McKenna.....	14.06	1583
Allegheny Garbage Co.....	174.30	1588
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	9.73	1588
Allegheny Repair Co.....	57.95	1591
James A. McKenna.....	36.30	1591
Doubleday-Hill Electric Co.	22.00	1622
James A. McKenna.....	371.57	1622
The White Co.....	392.76	1657
Maurice S. Martin.....	88.10	1803
Miss Naomi Brand.....	.60	1807
The Peoples Natural Gas Co.	112.44	187-A
Liberty Flag & Decorating Co.	12.00	Oliver Bath
East End Auto Lamp & Radiator Repair Co.....	14.00	1775
East End Auto Lamp & Radiator Repair Co.....	15.00	1685

Also

No. 2264. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of M. H. Gottschall, Mayor's secretary, for the sum of \$42.50, for expenses incurred in connection with the renewal of his commission as Notary Public for service of the City in transaction of official business through the office of the Mayor, and charging same to Code Account No. 1015, Miscellaneous Services, Mayor's Office.

Also

No. 2265. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Duquesne Light Company for \$386.80 for lighting equipment installed at the Schenley Park Oval, and charging same to Code Account No. 42.

Also

No. 2266. Resolution authorizing the City Solicitor to satisfy the liens filed at No. 63, December Term, 1899, for \$396.66; No. 34, December Term, 1900, for \$207.86, and No. 38, March Term, 1902, for \$220.50, against the Fort Pitt Incline Plane Company for City taxes, and charging the costs thereof to the City.

Also

No. 2267. Petition of property

owners abutting upon Muti way, Thirteenth ward, asking for the construction of a storm sewer along the Nine Mile Run.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2268. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. A. H. West for \$200.00, in payment of all damages on account of injuries received by falling into a hole at Shakespeare street and Shady avenue, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2269. Resolution authorizing the City Treasurer (Collector of Delinquent Taxes) to grant an exoneration to Walter Coleman for \$22.50 for the year 1916 and \$23.50 for the year 1917 for water rent assessed against his property at 4902 Yew street, Eighth ward.

Also

No. 2270. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to exonerate Amelia Reefer from the payment of the sum of \$150.00, assessment for the construction of a sewer on Bascom street, as the sewer is of no benefit to her property.

Also

No. 2271. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James L. Stuart in the sum of \$2,084.30, for use of hoist in lifting furniture, filing cases and records of the various City Departments when they moved into the new City-County Building during the years 1917 and 1918, before the building was completed, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2272. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, regrading, paving, repaving and otherwise improving of Wellesley avenue, from Highview street to a point 226.34 feet eastwardly from King avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2273. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Wellesley avenue, from Chislett street to Morningside avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2274. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Oliver C. Penn for lot No. 140 in Reineman & Dixon et al. plan located on Bigelow boulevard, Sixth ward, upon the payment of the sum of \$770.00.

Also

No. 2275. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Joseph L. Steinberg for lots Nos. 24, 25, 26 and 27, located on Floyd street, Fifth ward, upon the payment of the sum of \$400.00.

Also

No. 2276. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to George D. Stinson for lot No. 20 in Reis & Berger's Plan, located on Somers street, Fifth ward, upon the payment of the sum of \$75.00.

Also

No. 2277. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Edward R. Williams, in behalf of the Creative Chemical Company, for the old Garfield Pumping Station property, located at the corner of Pacific avenue and Dearborn street, Tenth ward, upon the payment of the sum of \$4,000.00.

Also

No. 2278. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Marie Mendel for the sum of \$900.00 in full settlement of all claims against the City of Pittsburgh for damages done to her property by reason of the improvement of Romanhoff street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2279. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of O'Hara street, from De Soto street to Boquet street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2280. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of "A" street, from Columbus avenue to Kirkbride street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2281. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of George R. Eichenlaub for \$1,108.88 for all labor and material furnished for and the making of all necessary repairs to roof at the Brilliant Pumping Station, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1657, Bureau of Water, Mechanical Division.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Filtration and Water.

Also

No. 2282. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract of contracts for the furnishing of five (5) motor-driven fuel wagons for the Bureau of Fire.

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No. 2283. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract of contracts for the furnishing of five (5) motor-driven fuel wagons for the Bureau of Fire.

Also

No. 2284. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract of contracts for the furnishing of four (4) district chiefs' runabouts for the Bureau of Fire.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

The Chair presented

No. 2285. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Thomas L. Pfarr, Fire Marshal of Allegheny County, for \$307.50, being one-half of the expenses incurred by reason of injuries sustained while in the discharge of his duties at the Arbuckle fire in the City of Pittsburgh on November 4, 1916, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2286. Resolution authorizing the City Solicitor to charge off the assessment of \$387.27, together with the penalty and interest thereon, against William L. Smith for the construction of a sewer on Cassania way, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2287. Communication from A. J. Farrell, asking that the City appropriate \$340,000.00 for the completion of the Eighteenth Regiment Armory building.

Also

No. 2288. Petition of Robert P. Maxwell, asking to be reimbursed in the sum of \$950.00 for damage to his property on Crescent street caused by washouts on alley known as Bismark way.

No. 2289.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

February 28, 1919.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen—Referring to Council Bill No. 2100, which is a resolution requesting me to furnish your committee with an estimate of the cost of grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving Butler street, from the end of the present pavement to the Heth's Run bridge, I beg to advise as follows:

Butler street, from the end of the present pavement to the Heth's Run bridge, has a total length of 4,235 feet, or about eight-tenths of a mile. It is a side-hill street, with a very steep transverse grade, the upper side of the street being incut and the lower side requiring retaining walls for its support. About one-third of its length has a width of 50 feet and the remaining two-thirds 60 feet. The roadway is 36 feet and located therein is a double-track street railway. The grades range from 0.5 per cent. to 6 per cent. The estimated cost of the improvement, including the building of a sewer, is \$240,000.00, and of this amount it is estimated that \$200,000.00 will be assessed against the City. The reason for this large assessment against the City is due to the topography of the land adjacent to the street and its low valuation. On the lower side of the street extensive retaining walls will be required and no assessment is possible, and the low valuation of the property on the upper side precludes any considerable assessment.

This portion of Butler street is one of the main thoroughfares of the City and should be improved in order to complete and connect up the outer Butler street district with Highland Park and make possible a completely improved highway extending from Butler street and Sixty-second street to Frankstown avenue and Fifth avenue extension. In other words, the improvement is general rather than local in character.

Yours very truly,

JOHN SWAN,
Director.

Also

No. 2290.

DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSORS.

Pittsburgh, February 26, 1919.

To the Council,

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen—Concerning Bill No. 2252, a resolution requesting the Department of Assessors to furnish the assessed valuation of certain blocks in the First and Second wards, Pittsburgh, would say that they are as follows:

Description.	Land.	Buildings.	Total.
A—Property bounded by Liberty, Fifth avenue and Market street, First ward	\$ 678,274.00	\$ 59,500.00	\$ 737,774.00
B—Property bounded by Sixth avenue, Wood street and Liberty avenue, Second ward	374,640.00	77,000.00	451,640.00
C—Property bounded by Sixth avenue, Grant street and Bigelow boulevard, Second ward	95,640.00	10,000.00	105,640.00
D—Property bounded by Liberty, Seventh avenue and Smithfield street, Second ward	251,095.00	45,000.00	296,095.00
Grand total	\$1,339,649.00	\$191,500.00	\$1,531,149.00

Yours respectfully,
BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
THOMAS J. HAWKINS,

Chief Assessor.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2291. An Ordinance granting unto the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, East Pittsburgh, Pa., its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use an underground pipe and meter pit for their Homewood Service Plant's sprinkler system located on Susquehanna street, 97 feet southeast of Dallas avenue.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 2292. An Ordinance regu-

lating the construction, alteration, additions to, arrangement, equipment and the use and occupancy of buildings used for the storage, repair or housing of self-propelled vehicles containing volatile or highly inflammable fuel, which shall hereafter be known as buildings of Classification No. VII and its subdivisions; regulating the installation of storage systems for volatile or highly inflammable fuel; regulating the installation therein of heating, ventilating and lighting systems; providing for the issuance of construction and occupancy permits therefor, and providing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 2293.
DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Pittsburgh, February 25, 1919.

To the Honorable, the Council
of the City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—Under date of February 25, 1919, I received a communication from the City Clerk, requesting to be advised concerning Bill No. 2253, being a resolution having to do with the construction by the City of Pittsburgh of homes and suitable houses on property now owned by the City.

I have examined this bill. I am in entire accord with it from a sympathetic and moral viewpoint, but, considering the idea which runs through the resolution from a legal viewpoint, I am sorry to say that, in my opinion, there is no remedy. The City of Pittsburgh, it is true, rents a number of its properties. All of these properties, on which residences are constructed, the City became the owner thereof by due process of law; by exercising its rights to enforce the collection of taxes and improvement claims, and through legal channels we became possessed of such property. The City of Pittsburgh cannot engage in a business which would be foreign to municipal government. The construction of houses at the expense of taxpayers for the purpose of renting the same and deriving a revenue, no matter how small, is not a function of municipal government; it is a business in which many people in our City are engaged.

The cost of living, in all of its various phases, has increased materially in recent years, and one of the elements of this terrific cost consists of the demands made by landlords. Rent is controlled by the supply of houses and the corresponding demand therefor. A tenant enters into another man's property under a lease, which is nothing more than a contract, and with that contract we have no right to interfere.

It seems to me that one step forward in protecting our people might be con-

sidered in this way. We have a number of very desirable building sites. If builders would agree to build homes on these available sites, submitting to the Council plans and specifications for their proposed buildings, and agree that for a period of years the rent asked for specific homes would not exceed a definite sum per month, the City might well afford, in these trying times, to sell these available home sites at a price greatly reduced from the selling and listing price of today.

As to preparing a bill for the consideration of the Legislature, giving the City the right to construct the residences on its available property, permit me to say that, in my humble judgment, such an act could not pass the Legislature, and, if it did, it would be unconstitutional.

" Respectfully yours,

STEPHEN STONE,
City Solicitor.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

That the report be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2294. Communication from Dr. W. H. Gardner, commending the action of Council in the matter of having homes constructed for the workers of Pittsburgh on property owned by the City.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2295. Report of the Committee on Finance for February 11, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2103. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Lines 18, 20 and 24, Section 49, Carnegie Free Library of Allegheny, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2156. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Line 2, Section 84, Department of Public Works, Greentree Pumping Station, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

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Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1967. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to carry the \$4,323.99 remaining to the credit of Appropriation Item 1359, Salaries and Wages, Carnegie Free Library,

to the credit of the same appropriation for the year 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2122. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Fourth Ward Soldiers' Welfare Association, John H. Callahan, treasurer, for \$669.00, in payment of music furnished in parades of draftees departing from the Third Zone, Fourth ward, during the year 1918, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2141. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Depart-

ment of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 5.65	1130
T. E. Gillespie.....	15.00	1133
Keystone Laundry Co.....	87.93	1147
The Western Pennsylvania Hospital	44.90	1147
Allegheny General Hospital	44.70	1147
L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co.....	4.95	1150
The May Drug Co.....	35.00	1150
Weber-Erickson Hunting Co.....	2.15	1150
Pittsburgh Steel Stamp Co.....	1.30	1150
A. H. Johnson.....	40.65	1150
Kaufmann Department Stores	118.35	1159-0
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh, Inc.	832.43	1160

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2144. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Frank R. Bracey for \$11.64, being loss of wages incurred by mistake in salary ordinance, and charging the same to Code Account No. 1028, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2145. Whereas, the repair accounts below enumerated were contracted by the Department of the Mayor without solicitation of competitive bids; and

Whereas, The repairs were performed and the moneys therefore are honestly due the creditor to the amount shown; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor is authorized and directed to issue and Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the firms and individuals in payment of the several claims as schedule below and charge same to the designated code account:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

	Amount.	Code Account
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	\$ 1.70	1017

DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES.

P. F. Bartley.....	15.00	1033
H. Hunziker	115.00	1033
The Security Co.....	144.9	1033

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2146. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Underwood Typewriter Company in the sum of \$5.50, for adjusting typewriters Nos. 862744 and 769931, and

charging the same to Code Account No. 1089, Bureau of Public Improvements.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2147. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Business Furniture Co.....	\$ 25.00	1404½
B. K. Elliott Co.....	3.00	1425
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	2.50	1432
Underwood Typewriter Co.	17.00	1563
McCue & Seibert.....	7.00	1649
Underwood Typewriter Co.	26.80	1649
John F. Casey Co.....	28.15	1657
M. E. Cunningham Co.....	1.00	1657
The Lagonda Mfg. Co.....	34.34	1657
James McNeil & Bro. Co.	468.00	1657
East End Auto Radiator Rep. Co.	15.00	1701
W. H. Speaker.....	14.00	1722
James T. Fox Co.....	1.90	1725
D. Hastings.....	2.75	1775
Samuel Ward.....	1.25	1775
Keystone Laundry Co.....	.66	1800
Mrs. Jennie Jones.....	15.92	1807
C. C. Mellor Co.....	16.00	1807
Lincoln Laundry Co.....	.82	1807
Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.....	6.55	1807
C. F. Ball.....	1.40	1810
Dr. A. B. Ferguson.....	27.09	1810
Lincoln Auto Service Co.	16.25	1810
Miller & Woodward, Inc.	18.50	1810
Robbins Electric Co.....	20.46	1810
South Hills Hardware Co.	35.00	1810

Underwood Typewriter

Co. 1.00 1810
W. J. Tener & Co..... 119.99 Oliver
Bath Trust Fund

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2148. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York for the sum of \$529.74, in payment of the liability insurance on steam boilers, two passenger and two freight elevators at the East Diamond Market, and charging the same to Code Account No. 42-M, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2149. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Ulrich Plan Filing Equipment Company in the sum of \$435.00, for installing Ulrich Compression Guide System in the office of the City Treasurer,

and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2161. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following for household goods contracted for by the Department of Charities for families who were left in destitute circumstances by reason of the disastrous fire which occurred on January 31, 1919, at Bigelow boulevard, near Washington place, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Graff Company, stoves.....	\$ 338.90
Pittsburgh Dry Goods Company, blankets and pillows.....	196.00
M. H. Pickering Company, furniture and bedding.....	1,195.35

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2151. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in

favor of Thomas Flannigan in the sum of \$62.50, being the amount his wife would have received if he had still continued in the service until February 1, 1919, the date of his reinstatement, and charging to Appropriation No. 50, Dependents' Fund.

In Finance Committee, February 11, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the words "\$62.50, being the amount his wife would have received if he had still continued in the service until February 1, 1919, the date of his reinstatement, and charging Appropriation No. 50, Dependents' Fund," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "\$112.50, being the amount of his salary for the month of January, and charging Appropriation No. 1805, Salaries, Regular, Bureau of Recreation," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Garland also presented

No. 2296. Report of the Committee on Finance for February 18, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2191. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 1, of an ordinance approved December 4, 1886, entitled, 'An Ordinance imposing a license fee upon peddlers in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assem-

bly approved the 10th day of June, A. D. 1881, entitled, "An Act to prohibit the peddling, selling or hawking of produce and merchandise in cities of the second and third classes within the Commonwealth without a license," by extending the provisions thereof to the solicitation of orders for the sale of goods or merchandise, and by excepting therefrom goods shipped from without the State directly to the purchaser within the State."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2127. Resolution exonerating Julius Arnd from the payment of assessment of \$148.50, and interest, for the construction of a sewer on Fleetwood street, and directing the City Solicitor to file no liens on account thereof.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2203. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 171, Water Improvement and Extension Loan Fund, to Appropriation No. 171-A, Salaries and Expenses, Bureau of Water, the sum of \$5,000.00, for the purpose of payment of engineering, mechanical and other services performed by employees of, or furnished to, the Bureau of Water, etc.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2220. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to employ D. A. Toomey temporarily as stenographer-clerk in the general office of the Department of Law for a period of six months, beginning February 17, 1919, at a salary of \$132.50 per month, payable semi-monthly, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$795.00 from Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Code Account 1073 (Salaries, Department of Law).

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2195. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of George H. Masie in the sum of \$100.00, in full settlement of all claims against the City of Pittsburgh arising out of personal injuries sustained by falling into a ditch dug in the sidewalk on Chartiers avenue by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2196. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Harry Braun for merchandise furnished certain institutions of the City, as follows:

Name.	Amount.	Code Account.
Municipal Hospital	\$ 376.82	1232
Leech Farm Sanitarium	761.08	1224
Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals	2,066.49	1320

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

The motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and

third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2214. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Delp's Sons, S.	\$ 10.50	1066
Forrest, Robert	5.44	1570
Lange Motor Truck Co.	10.27	1656
Penn Storage Battery Co.	1.00	
Phillips, J. & H.	49.06	1041
Pittsburgh Reinforced		
Brazing & Machine Co.	82.94	1657
Somers, Fidler & Todd Co.	1.95	1570

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COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Allis-Chalmers Manufac-		
turing Co.	25.66	1656
Axwell Equipment Co.	19.50	1165
Baur Brothers Co.	98.37	1232
Boggs & Buhl	16.27	1647
Bobbs Merrill Co., The	12.06	1078
Bruce, Charles A.	1.64	1809
Bunting Stamp Co.	.75	1018
Chandler-Boyd Supply Co.	4.00	1656
Coon, J. W.	2.26	1100
Consumers Auto Supply		
Co.	3.00	1032
Department Reports Co.	26.00	1078
Eugene Dietzgen Co.	.79	1044
Elliott Co., B. K.	1.20	1415
Engineering & Contracting	3.00	1018
Esser Brothers	3.70	1808
Frick & Lindsay Co.	11.06	1168
Front Drive Motor Co.	25.00	1165
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.	4.53	1037
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.	2.50	1647
Glancy, Dan	.65	1809
Heeren Brothers Co.	5.60	1177
Holman, Jennie, Agent	11.00	1051
Jacobs Thompson Co.	1,052.50	1322
Johnston, Moorehouse &		
Dickey Co.	29.15	1655
Lange Motor Truck Co.	1.25	1656
McClung Printing Co.	8.25	1076
McKenna Drug Co.	6.05	1232

McMurray's Drug Store.....	1.90	1034
Municipal Journal.....	3.00	1018
Mine Safety Appliance Co.	12.60	185-A
Miholland Co., J. & J. B.	54.00	185-A
Official Railway Guide Pub. Co.	3.00	1018
Obernauer, Herbert D.	532.24	1320
Ordinance Department, U. S. A.	2,999.74	1656
Pearson Mfg. Co.	78.20	1556
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.	75.00	1658
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Mach. Co.	7.00	1656
Penn Storage Battery Co.	7.50	1639
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	.70	1100-M
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.	21.00	1165
R. L. Polk & Co.	12.00	1658
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.	336.00	1656
Rochester Germicide Co.	12.00	1811
Ronald, Press, The.	9.00	1018
Shipley, Massingham Co.	9.35	1647
Smith Brothers Co., Inc.	14.40	1076
Westinghouse Traction Brake Co.	495.50	187
Wheeler Condenser & Engineering Co.	97.15	1656
Woodwell, Co., Jos.	4.00	1066

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2215. Whereas, The following bills for repairs were contracted by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, without competitive bids and consequently, can be paid only by authority of a resolution passed by Council in conformity with the Act of 1874; and

Whereas, Said repairs were furnished, accepted and used by the City during the month of January, 1919.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to

issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the firms and persons in payment of claims as scheduled below, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown in said schedule:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Andrew Amrhein & Bros.	\$ 46.75	1516
Fred Bauer	64.60	1516
R. Doyle	26.75	1516
Andrew Engel	74.35	1516
I. J. Glatch	.50	1516
Hacker Bros.	11.70	1516
Kress Bros. Wagon Co.	16.50	1516
William Miller	24.81	1516
Muhlick Bros.	5.75	1516
George Purdy	25.30	1516
Joseph Schiller	8.55	1516
Special Elec. Service Co.	18.70	1516
Samuel Ward	191.50	1516
B. H. Frazier	97.80	1516
B. H. Frazier	13.60	1525
H. Hunziker	106.00	1516
H. Hunziker	95.00	1525
W. J. Hittner	41.15	1516
W. J. Hittner	52.87	1525
Mayer Wagon Co.	209.40	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.	46.25	1525
C. G. Ruhlandt	61.45	1516
C. G. Ruhlandt	10.20	1525
Iron City Spring Co.	6.50	1557
Pearson Mfg. Co.	84.02	1557

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2216. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Matthews Bros. Manufacturing Company in the sum of \$121.50, for extra work in connection with the Mayor's suite and Council Chamber furniture, the same to be payable from and chargeable to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2054. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of William McK. Reed, chairman of the Homes Registration Committee, for the sum of \$945.94, refunding expenses incurred, and charging same to Code Account No. 1018-B, Unliquidated Claims of the Bureau of City Housing.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Garland also presented

No. 2297. Report of the Committee on Finance for February 25, 1919, transmitting an ordinance and sundry resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2110. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Line 10, Section 35, Department of Public Health, Municipal Hospital, and Line 2, Section 37, Department of Public Health, Bureau

of Smoke Regulation, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919."

In Finance Committee February 25, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1, after the words "Assistant Bureau Chief" by striking out the words "\$2,770.00 per annum \$120.00," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "\$2,250.00 per annum," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2235. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

	Appropriation	Schedule.	Amount.	No.
Drs. Goldsmith & Gorfinkel	\$10.00			1163
Dr. C. I. Buvinger	32.00			1163

Allegheny General Hospital	74.50	1163
Howard B. Allen	2.00	1163
Keystone Laundry Co.	202.67	1163
Duquesne Light Co.	3.00	1163
Penn Storage Battery Co.	77.70	1166
Bertram G. Case	78.75	1166
Banker Windshield Co.	11.10	1166
Campbell-Niedringhaus	3.50	1166
American Atmos Corpora- tion	22.66	1166
American Typewriter In- spection Co.	1.50	1166
August Loch	6.00	1166
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.	13.73	1166

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-
low the second and third readings and
final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended,
the resolution was read a second and
third times, and upon final passage the
ayes and noes were taken, and being
taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the
votes of Council in the affirmative, the
resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2236. Resolved, That the
Mayor be and he is hereby authorized
and directed to issue, and the City Con-
troller to countersign, warrants in favor
of the following firms and persons in
payment of claims for supplies con-
tracted for without competitive bids by
the Department of Supplies, and charge
the amounts to the appropriation items
as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appro- priation No.
Fallert, Paul	\$ 10.00	1811
Hill, Edwin M.	269.58	1541
Bruckman Lumber Co.	539.20	1541

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON- PETITIVE PURCHASES.

Atlantic Refining Co.	51.75	1031
Atlantic Refining Co.	6.65	1430
Atlantic Refining Co.	4.60	1663
Axwell Equipment Co.	192.37	1165
Bailey Farrell Mfg. Co.	7.50	1809
Baur Brothers Co. (Ward Baking Co.)	100.58	1232
Brahm Co., A. L.	16.98	1224
Brahm Co., A. L.	236.46	1232

Business Furniture Co.	174.25	1026
Coon, W. J., Mrs.	16.20	1076
Consumers Auto Supply Co.	9.00	1032
Davison & Brother, J. K.	5.75	1664
Donnelly, James	12.56	1232
Farquhar, R. & J.	.80	1707
Feick Brothers Co.	30.60	1223
Horne Co., Joseph.	7.50	1018
Keystone Service Type- writer Co.	9.00	1076
Kolzem, A. H.	20.50	1655
Kurtz, Langbein & Swartz	20.70	1321
Lanning, J. Frank	41.60	1555
Lederle Antitoxin Labora- tories	8.00	1215
McKnight Hardware Co., Samuel	6.40	185-A
Manufacturers Light & Heat Co.	577.97	1320
Mayer Brick Co.	100.00	185-A
Point Motor Co.	22.50	1032
Quaker City Rubber Co.	1.50	1589
Rosedale Foundry & Ma- chinery Co.	6.00	1656
Shipley Massingham Co.	23.03	1164
Smith Brothers Co., Inc.	2.25	1076
Speck, Marshall Co.	733.59	1655
Standard Motor Car Co.	19.80	1032
Williams & Fox	591.08	1320

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-
low the second and third readings and
final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended,
the resolution was read a second and
third times, and upon final passage the
ayes and noes were taken, and being
taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the
votes of Council in the affirmative, the
resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2237. Resolution author-
izing the issuing of warrants in favor of
the Burroughs Adding Machine Company
for \$14.25 and the Pittsburgh Machine
& Supply Company for \$23.40 for repairs
contracted for by the Department of City
Treasurer, and charging same to Appro-
priation No. 1065.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-
low the second and third readings and
final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2239. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	No.
David Lawson.....	\$ 11.30	1649
McCune & Seibert.....	14.75	1649
James McNeil & Bro. Co....	72.00	1657
Pittsburgh Auto Spring Co....	3.00	1657
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.....	169.01	1657
Hacker Brothers.....	.50	1665
Keystone Laundry Co.....	1.06	1800
The Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania.....	76.08	1807
The Empire Laundry Co.....	6.65	1807
Lincoln Laundry Co.....	.99	1807
C. C. Mellor Co.....	16.00	1807
Oakland Express & Transfer Co.....	27.00	1807
Charles Sundermann.....	47.55	1807
Maurice S. Martin.....	53.95	1810
W. J. Succop Co.....	13.45	1810

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2241. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of William E. Rowbottom, registered plumber, of 1718-1720 Gateau street, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., for the sum of \$15.27, in payment of claim for extending the sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line at No. 1507 Knapp street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2242. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Pittsburgh Orchestra Band in the amount of \$39.00, music furnished for a parade in celebration of the victory of the Marines on July 18, 1918, same to be paid from the Contingent Fund, Appropriation No. 42.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2243. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of J. L. Thorpe in the sum of \$775.00, for heading-up an approximate total of 35,000 loose leaf ledger sheets for the Board of Water Assessors, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 1342, Miscellaneous Services, Board of Water Assessors.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1959. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to allow all hospitals of the City of Pittsburgh, supported by public charity, to receive free of charge four hundred (400) gallons of water per patient per day, and providing for exonerations to that extent and the method of determining the same."

In Finance Committee, February 11, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1 and in the title by striking out the words "four hundred (400)" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "two hundred fifty (250)" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in Committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.

Garland

Ayes—6.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2059. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to allow all schools in the City of Pittsburgh, supported by private charity, to receive free of charge twenty-five hundred (\$2,500) gallons of water per annum per pupil, and providing for exonerations to that extent and the method of determining the same."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Winters
Herron (President)	

Noes—Messrs.

Garland

Rauh

Ayes—5.

Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2231. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the

payment of additional compensation to certain employees in the Bureaus of Fire and Electricity in the Department of Public Safety for the period from July 1, 1918, to January 21, 1919, both inclusive."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Winters
Rauh	

Noes—Messrs.

Dailey	Garland
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Ayes—3.

Noes—2.

And there not being a majority of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill failed to pass finally.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2298. Report of the Committee on Public Works for February 18, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1905. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, regrading, paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving to the re-established lines and grades of Carson street west, from a point 1332.7 feet eastwardly from South Main street to a point 1221.91 feet westwardly from the south approach to the Point bridge over the Monongahela river, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 1983. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading and paving of Colville street, from Pike street to Mulberry way, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 1984. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading and paving of Mul-

berry way, from Seventeenth street to the easterly terminus thereof, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2139. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing, delivery, construction and erection of one (1) oil storage tank for the North Side Asphalt Plant of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, and providing for the payment thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2188. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for making certain repairs to the roadway of the California avenue bridge over Woods Run, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2189. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing that portion of Ordinance No. 164, Series of 1913, entitled, 'An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for repairing certain bridges, and authorizing the setting aside of various sums, amounting in the aggregate to \$19,700.00, from Code Account No. 1788-E, for the payment of the costs thereof,' approved April 23, 1913, which pertains to 'Repaving Roadway of Millvale Avenue Bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad, \$4,200.00.'"

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2193. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) auto truck for the Asphalt Plant, Bureau of Highways and Sewers."

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2204. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the proper officials of the City of Pittsburgh to enter into an agreement with the

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company for the occupation of land, held by the said railroad, for the construction of a foot bridge over Nine Mile Run, connecting McFarren avenue with roads on the southwest side of the said run, and providing for the payment of the rental thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2188. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of William N. Jamison and S. N. Robertson in the sum of \$73.92 each, for services rendered as assistant chief inspectors in the Bureau of Engineering, for the period from January 22 to February 5, 1919, inclusive, which positions were unintentionally eliminated in the salary ordinance, and charging same to Code Account Nos. 1482 and 1480, respectively.

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2157. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the B. A. Groah Construction Company for the sum of \$456.24, for the payment of extra work at the North Side Market, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1592½, Structural and Non-structural Improvements to the North Side Market, Bureau of City Property.

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2200. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in payment of the following rentals: Twelve months' rental due January 1, 1919, for scales located at Seventeenth street yards, chargeable to Appropriation No. 1561, in the sum of \$1.00; three months' rental on playground and bath house on Penn avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, in the sum of \$100.00, chargeable to Appropriation No. 1807.

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2217. Resolution approving the lease for a certain yard, together with the buildings thereon, situate on Bingham street, between South Sixth and Seventh streets, Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, made by George A. Jones, agent for Magdalena Rahe, to the City of Pittsburgh, for a term of one year beginning May 1, 1919, at a total rental of \$1,200.00, payable monthly at the rate of \$100.00 per month, to be made from Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Services, Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Burke also presented

No. 2299. Report of the Committee on Public Works for February 28, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2152. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance canceling and annulling Contract No. 4902, Mayor's Office File No. 255, which is a contract entered into between the City of Pittsburgh and Booth & Flinn, Ltd., for the grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of Warrington avenue, from Montooth street to West Liberty avenue, executed April 9, 1918."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2300. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for February 18, 1919, transmitting several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2198. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing and re-establishing the grade of Wabash street, from Park way to Independence street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2190. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on "A" street, from Columbus avenue to Kirkbride street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2201. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalk on Proxim way, from Estella avenue to Montooth street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2205. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade of O'Hara street, from Boquet street to DeSoto street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Rauh
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2301. Report of the Committee on Filtration and Water for February 18, 1919, transmitting several resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2159. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the John F. Casey Company for \$3,379.63 for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at pumping stations during the month of January, 1919, and charging same to Account No. 1653, Wages, Temporary, Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2160. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John Rea, chief service inspector in the Distribution Division, Bureau of Water, for seven (7) days' lost time, amounting to \$31.48, and charging same to Bond Account No. 187-C, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2211. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuade & Sons Co. for \$4,507.15 for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant during the month of January, 1919, and charging same to Account No. 1645, Wages, Temporary, Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2302. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for February 20, 1919, transmitting two ordinances and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2227. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance prohibiting the obstruction or interception of funeral processions in the City, and providing a penalty therefor."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2194. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile for the Director of the Department of Public Safety, three (3) more or less auto patrols and three (3) more or less motorcycles for the Bureau of Police."

In Public Safety Committee February 20, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1 by striking out the words "one (1) automobile for the Director of the Department of Public Safety, at a cost not to exceed the sum of thirty-five hundred (\$3,500.00) dollars, the same to be payable from Code Account No. 1134," and in the title by striking out the words "one (1) automobile for the Director of the Department of Public Safety," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the amendments of the Public Safety Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2212. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Lawrence H. Dorgan, a Lieutenant in the Bureau of Fire, for the sum of \$142.00, for expenses paid by him for services of nurses at Allegheny General Hospital, for 34 days, and automobile hire, and charging same to Code Account No. 1163, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Fire.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 2303. Report of the Committee on Health and Sanitation for February 25, 1919, transmitting two resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2244. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the American Reduction Company in the sum of \$97,647.39 for the removal of garbage and the collection of rubbish during the months of October, November and December, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1259.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second time.

Mr. Rauh arose and said:

"Mr. President, we all understand that this resolution came from the Controller's office, and at the meeting of the Finance Committee last week the Assistant Controller said that the City Controller was not entirely satisfied with the proposition of paying the garbage companies, as the work was not properly done, and for that reason he would not pay the bills unless approved by Council. The very fact that these bills are presented shows that there is something wrong or they would not have to submit them to us for approval.

"I don't believe the companies should be deprived of money that is due them, but in this instance I am not entirely satisfied with the transaction and must register my protest against same.

"I want to serve notice upon my colleagues that I am going to ask that an item of \$500,000.00 be included in the proposed people's bond issue for the purpose of having the City do its own work. As you all know, there is now at the disposal of the City \$90,000.00 to build disposal plants and, with the \$500,000.00 additional, I believe sufficient money will be at the City's disposal to do all the work incidental to the collection, removal and disposal of garbage and rubbish in this City. As to the method to be employed, that can be worked out later."

And the resolution was read a third time, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Winters

Noes—Mr.

Rauh

Ayes—6.

Noes—1.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2245. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$41,913.38 for the removal of 4,477.37 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 4,771.06 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$10,031.05 for the removal of 1,680.89 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 754.17 tons

of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health, the tonnage rates set forth in this resolution being the rates as established by the contractors for the period ending December 31, 1918.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Winters

Noes—Mr.

Rauh

Ayes—6.

Noes—1.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2304. Whereas, There will be included in the proposed bond issue the project heretofore known as the "Monongahela Boulevard;" and

Whereas, The name "Monongahela" is already well established in our local history by the river of that name, which flows through our district; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in treating with this projected boulevard hereafter it shall be known and designated on all plans and documents as "The Boulevard of the Allies," in order that should the people so decide that the contemplated boulevard be built, it may, by its name, commemorate the great war in which America and the Allies were engaged; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to His Honor, the Mayor, with request that he instruct the Director of the Department of Public Works to govern himself accordingly.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. Garland,

Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, March 10, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Bailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Absent—Mr.
Burke

The Chair stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for March 3, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Garland moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for March 3, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2305. Resolution authorizing and directing the Department of Law to satisfy of record the lien filed at No. 132, April Term, 1919, against the property of Henry Lewis Keehn for sewer assessment on Oakdale street,

Twenty-sixth ward, and charging the costs thereon to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2306. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for repaving certain avenues and streets and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Also

No. 2307. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	\$67.08	1417
Duquesne Tool Mfg. Co.....	4.85	1516
Andrew Engel.....	59.95	1516
B. H. Frazier.....	35.50	1516
Hacker Bros.....	6.90	1516
H. Hunziker.....	74.00	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.....	67.10	1516
George Purdy.....	28.45	1516
C. G. Ruhland Wagon Works.....	65.50	1516
Zahn-Larkin.....	21.00	1520
H. Hunziker.....	1.50	1525
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	29.39	1557
Andrew Amrhein & Bro.....	3.20	1663

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2308. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without

competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 5.35	1130
Keystone Laundry Co.....	84.67	1147
St. Joseph's Hospital.....	17.00	1147
W. S. Brown.....	62.00	1150
Bunting Stamp Co.....	1.50	1150
American Typewriter Inspection Co.....	2.00	1150

Also

No. 2309. An Ordinance providing for the licensing and regulating of second-hand dealers in the City of Pittsburgh and providing penalties for violation thereof.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 2310. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$34,200.95 for the removal of 3,665.82 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 3,885.56 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$8,365.63 for the removal of 1,395.45 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 633.01 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, during the month of February, 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health.

Also

No. 2311. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$26,674.49, in full for the amount due it for the removal of garbage and rubbish up until December 31, 1918, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1259.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2312. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Lange Motor Truck Co. \$	1.00	1656
Turner-Fricke Manufacturing Co.....	255.22	1582

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Alling & Cory Co.....	2.47	1096
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American City, The.....	3.00	1818
American Medical Association.....	3.00	145
Beltz, Charles F.....	.80	147
Brahm Co., A. L.....	9.13	124
Business Furniture Co.....	24.00	18-B
Chandler Boyd Supply Co.....	110.73	85-A
Chesterton Co., A. W.....	10.26	155
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	3.30	149
Doubleday-Hill Electric Co.....	45.37	181 Bond
Engineering News Record.....	5.00	118
Gasoline Supply Co.....	1.15	126
Kennedy Co., D. J.....	13.82	135
Leggett Co., William T.....	572.88	85-A
Liberty Engraving Co.....	3.00	148
McKenna Brass & Manufacturing Co.....	46.00	1548
McKnight Hardware Co., Samuel.....	21.72	1590
Maloney & Son, T. D.....	13.00	163
Matthews & Co., Jas. H.....	3.85	172
Murphy Iron Works.....	675.00	156
Orton & Steinbrenner Co.....	4.36	156
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.....	123.25	85-A
Point Motor Co.....	15.82	132
Point Motor Co.....	2.90	109
Smolevitz, M.....	6.00	172
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.....	10.00	132
Strain, James D.....	2.40	1555
Treat & Co., E. B.....	4.00	1245
Taylor-Wilson Manufacturing Co.....	717.40	1556
United Oil Co.....	55.46	1555

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2313. An Ordinance widening Webster avenue, in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Fullerton street to Crawford street, and from the westerly line of Tannehill street to Roberts street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2314. An Ordinance opening Webster avenue, in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from the easterly line of Crawford street to the westerly line of Tannehill street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2315. An Ordinance regulating the use of streets and parks by motor trucks commonly called "sight-seeing cars."

Also

No. 2316. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalks and establishing the grade of the easterly curb line of Beltzhoover avenue, from Hartford way to the north curb line of Michigan street produced.

Also

No. 2317. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on Carson street west, from a point 221.53 feet westwardly from South Main street to a point 419.91 feet eastwardly from South Main street.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 2318. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for concrete floor and other repairs at the Mount Washington Police Station, corner of Virginia avenue and Shiloh street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Raub presented

No. 2319. Communication from William J. Morgan, suggesting that the Council and the County Commissioners exempt all dwelling houses costing \$3,500.00 or less erected from April 1, 1919, to April 1, 1920, from taxation of any kind for a period of five years.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2320. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on Exeter street, from Greenfield avenue to Frank street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2321. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Gordon & Wehling for the sum of \$15.70, for lowering lateral connections to the main sewer in front of Nos. 921-923 Benton avenue, and charging same to Code Account No. 42-M, Contingent Fund.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2322. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Murphy Iron Works, in the sum of \$856.40, or so much of the same as may be necessary, for furnace parts to be used at Ross Pumping Station, and charging same to Code Account No. 1588, Bureau of Water.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Filtration and Water.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2323. Whereas, The following accounts were contracted by the Department of the City Treasurer for advertising and for repairs, without solicitation of competitive bids, and the work being done, the moneys are due; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following in payment of the several claims as scheduled below, and charge the amounts to the respective appropriations as shown:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
The Pittsburgh Sun.....	\$ 12.16	1062
Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph	100.80	1062
The Pittsburgh Post.....	21.01	1062
Pittsburgh Gazette Times..	56.00	1062
Press Publishing Co.....	81.00	1062
Dispatch Publishing Co.....	75.60	1062
Neeb - Hirsch Publishing Co.....	25.00	1062
M. E. Cunningham Co.....	4.00	1065

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2324. An Ordinance authorizing the making of a contract or contracts for the laying and construction of concrete sidewalks in the City of Pittsburgh, and providing for the payments thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2325. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Robert Dickey & Company in the sum of \$505.62, or so much of the same as may be necessary, for broom corn, for use at the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, at Mayview, Pennsylvania, and charging same to Code Account No. 1320, Department of Charities.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Charities and Correction.

The Chair presented

No. 2326. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$174,000.00), and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount, to provide for the improvement and extension of the water system, including the purchase and installation of meters, the acquiring of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and

Improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, and the acquiring of real estate, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Also

No. 2327. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a written lease with A. V. Hurd for a certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Thirteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for playground purposes, and fixing the terms and conditions thereof.

Also

No. 2328. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following for expenses incurred by the Home Defense League, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund:

Army and Navy Store Co.....	\$ 40.00
Gasoline Supply Co.....	30.00
Kaufmann Department Stores.....	100.00
W. Stokes Kirk.....	150.00
Penn Motor Supply Co.....	60.00
Rosenbaum Co.....	125.00

Also

No. 2329. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Mailometer Sales Co., in the sum of \$585.00, for the purchase of a mailometer for the Department of City Treasurer, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42-H, Contingent Fund, filling equipment.

Also

No. 2330. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of J. P. Zimmerman in the sum of \$20.00, refunding him for amount deducted from his salary as clerk in the City Treasurer's office on account of an error in accepting a \$1.00 Federal reserve note which was raised to a \$20.00 note, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2331. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Mary Coll in the amount of \$——, in full payment for injuries received by being run down by a hook and ladder company belonging to the City, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2332. Resolution authorizing and directing the Department of Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of Lawrence A. DeRoy for property in the Twenty-second ward, North Side, used by the City of Pittsburgh as a playground, for City taxes in the sum of \$1,295.67 for the year 1919.

Also

No. 2333. Communication from the North Side Chamber of Commerce, asking that certain items be included in the proposed bond issue affecting the North Side.

Also

No. 2334. Communication from Emma L. Hoerle, asking to be compensated for damages to her property by reason of the improvement of Russell street, North Side.

Also

No. 2335. Communication from the Homewood Realty Company suggesting that the vacant property owned by the City be turned over to a private corporation for building homes thereon.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2336.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Pittsburgh, February 25, 1919.

To the Honorable, the Council
of the City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I am requested to advise you concerning Bill No. 2254, as concerning the rights of a landlord with respect to families having children. Please be advised:

For some considerable time past I have heard that landlords were refusing to lease their properties to people who have children. To say that such a practice is un-American is putting it mildly. Our children are the greatest factor in our development as a nation, and it is to them we must look as the years roll by to protect our country and to protect our national ideals. No law is on the statute books, and I fail to see how any law can weather the gale of court criticism, which would compel a landlord to renew a lease with any tenant. A landlord does not have to have an excuse of any kind for insisting that the relation of landlord and tenant be dissolved on the termination of the lease. That is his inalienable right, as it is likewise the inalienable right of the tenant to move if he so desires for no reason whatsoever upon the termination of the contract or lease. There is sufficient law in the statute books to protect a tenant from ouster by his landlord in the event, during the tenancy, a man and his wife are blessed by having children.

The meat of the question, as I understand it, is connected solely with the rights of the tenant on and after the expiration of the contract or lease. The contract having expired, the tenant has no right to remain.

Respectfully yours,

STEPHEN STONE,
City Solicitor.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2337. Report of the Committee on Finance for March 6, 1919, transmitting sundry resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2259. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following persons and firms for repair accounts contracted for by the Division of Motor Vehicles, and charging same to Code Account No. 1033:

H. S. Anderson.....	\$105.96
Banker Windshield Co.....	16.30
H. Hunziker.....	91.00
Iron City Spring Co.....	31.80
Liberty Brazing & Welding Co.....	152.75
Penn Storage Battery Co.....	9.00
Pruyn Co.....	157.79

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2261. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	No.
Otis Elevator Co.....	\$ 1.20	1582
Speck-Marshall Co.....	14.00	1526

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Atlantic Refining Co.....	.25	1655
Atlantic Refining Co.....	28.42	1224
Bailey-Farrell Manufacturing Co.....	20.84	1175
Baur Bros. Bakery (Ward Baking Co.).....	23.88	1148
Baur Bros. Bakery (Ward Baking Co.).....	21.40	1745
B. B. & H. Trunk Co.....	10.00	1809
Beckert Seed Store.....	1.70	1776
Byrnes & Klefer.....	3.60	1321
Chatfield & Woods.....	3.75	1663
Colonial Supply Co.....	92.00	1656
Consumers Auto Supply Co.....	2.40	1032
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	3.30	1090
Cotton & Co., R. H.....	25.00	1328
Cudahy Packing Co.....	125.64	1224
Dreer, Henry A., Inc.....	1.67	1320
Doubleday-Hill Electric Co.....	2.99	1656
DuPont DeNemours & Co., E. I.....	255.48	185-A
East End Battery Service Co.....	60.60	1164
Elliott Co., B. K.....	27.14	1430
Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.....	584.10	1165
Front Drive Motor Co., The.....	1,658.51	1165
Fort Pitt Hardware Co.....	14.45	1809
Harbison-Walker Refractories Co.....	707.00	1556
Heeren Brothers & Co.....	1.10	1175
Hersey Manufacturing Co.....	299.89	1664
Hollis & Smith Motion Co.....	11.75	1809
Hollis & Smith Motion Co.....	23.00	1811
Hopkins Press, The John.....	5.00	1323
Johnston, William G., Co.....	410.00	1016
Johnston, William G., Co.....	3.50	1249
Knox Motor Associates.....	187.70	1165
Ladow Co., Edward R.....	4.56	1165
Larkin Manufacturing Co.....	240.00	1168
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.....	.35	1016
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.....	1.15	1570
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.....	1.55	1656
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.....	.35	1658
McKenna Drug Co.....	12.50	1232
Mosby, C. V., Medical Book & Pub. Co.....	5.00	1218
Munhall & Co.....	38.50	1131
National Municipal Review	5.00	1018
Newell Schneider Co.....	4.00	1232
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	3.00	1100
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	.45	1647
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	8.65	1556
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.....	.25	1590
Rust Engineering Co.....	30.00	1656
Smith Co., Lee S.....	27.75	1320
Speck-Marshall Co.....	3.00	1618
Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Co.....	26.51	185-A
Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Co.....	1.56	1809

Standard Underground		
Cable Co.....	15.88	1175
Voorhees Rubber Co.....	254.72	1656
Welsbach Co.....	11.28	1224
Welsbach Co.....	6.24	1808
Westinghouse Electric &		
Manufacturing Co.....	31.83	1673
Woodwell Co., Joseph.....	19.20	1165

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2262. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Robert Martin for \$858.00, for one car of bran, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account St. F., Department of Supplies.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2263. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in

payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	No.
Duquesne Light Co.....	\$ 19.59	1516
Andrew Engel.....	22.50	1516
James A. McKenna.....	268.75	1563
Profit Sharing Laundry Co.....	228.00	1568
United Exterminating &		
Chemical Co.....	9.72	1568
Allegheny Repair Co.....	16.03	1575
United Exterminating &		
Chemical Co.....	9.72	1579
James A. McKenna.....	14.06	1583
Allegheny Garbage Co.....	174.30	1588
United Exterminating &		
Chemical Co.....	9.73	1588
Allegheny Repair Co.....	57.95	1591
James A. McKenna.....	36.30	1591
Doubleday-Hill Electric Co.....	22.00	1622
James A. McKenna.....	371.57	1622
The White Co.....	392.76	1657
Maurice S. Martin.....	88.10	1803
Miss Naomi Brand.....	.60	1807
The Peoples Natural Gas		
Co.....	112.44	187-A
Liberty Flag & Decorating		
Co.....	12.00	Oliver Bath
East End Auto Lamp &		
Radiator Repair Co.....	14.00	1775
East End Auto Lamp &		
Radiator Repair Co.....	15.00	1685

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1862. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to exonerate the property of John C. Thompson, at 1602-04-06 Clark street, Third ward, Pittsburgh, in the sum of \$52.82, being the difference between the metered rate and the flat rate for the second quarter of 1918.

In Finance Committee, March 4, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the

words "\$52.82, being the difference between the metered rate and the flat rate for the second quarter of 1918," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "\$26.42, being the amount recommended by the Board of Water Assessors," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2197. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to adjust the water rates charged on premises of W. H. Heselbarth at 440 and 440½ South Main street, taking into consideration the annual flat rates for said buildings.

In Finance Committee, March 4, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the word "adjust" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the word "exonerate" and by striking out the words "taking into consideration the annual flat rates for said building," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "in the sum of \$36.72, as recommended by the Board of Water Assessors," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
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Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2202. Resolution empowering and directing the Board of Water Assessors to make an adjustment of water rates on four dwellings on corner of Quince way and Pride street, belonging to Mrs. R. D. McQuillen, taking as a basis the flat rate.

In Finance Committee, March 4, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the word "adjustment" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the word "exoneration," and by striking out the words "taking as a basis the flat rate," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "in the sum of \$38.49, as recommended by the Board of Water Assessors," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2208. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to adjust the water rates charged on premises of Ella A. Kearney at 1212 Colwell street, by exonerating her from the payment of \$125.16, as shown by the meter for the second quarter of 1918, and placing same on the flat rate, which would be \$6.00.

In Finance Committee, March 4, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the words "from the payment of \$125.16, as shown by the meter for the second quarter of 1918, and placing same on the flat rate, which would be \$6.00," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "in the sum of \$59.18, as recommended by the Board of Water Assessors," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also, with a negative recommendation.

Bill No. 2150. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Philip Brady for the sum of \$77.00, being on account of sickness contracted in the discharge of his duties as an employee of the Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, and in payment of doctor bill, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 2338. Report of the Committee on Public Works for March 4, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2060. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Howley street, from Main street to Friendship avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2061. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to certain width, paving and curbing of Alexis street, from Saline street to an unnamed 10-foot way at the easterly line of A. R. Neeb's Forward Avenue Plan of Lots, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2115. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Beechwood boulevard at its intersection with Hazelwood avenue, in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the

bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2116. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Greenfield avenue at the intersection with Hazelwood avenue, in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2118. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance extending and opening Hatfield street, in the Ninth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Fiftieth street to Fifty-first street; fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway; establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2339. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for March 4, 1919, transmitting several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1993. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance vacating Johnston avenue, in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Glenwood avenue to the first angle in Johnston avenue southwestwardly from Glenwood avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1996. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance accepting the dedication of certain property in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes for the widening of the intersection at Johnston and Glenwood avenues."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2291. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, East Pittsburgh, Pa., its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use an underground pipe and meter pit for their Homewood service plant's sprinkler system, located on Susquehanna street, 97 feet southeast of Dallas avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
English Rauh
Garland Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2340. Report of the Committee on Filtration and Water for March 4, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2281. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of George R. Elchenlaub for the sum of \$1,108.18, for all labor and material furnished for and the making of all necessary repairs to roof at the Brilliant Pumping Station, and that the same be charged to Appropriation No. 1657, Bureau of Water, Mechanical Division.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
English Rauh
Garland Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 2341. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for March 4, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2260. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the

following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.....	\$ 15.15	1147
I. K. King, M. D.....	15.00	1147
W. H. Champ.....	43.77	1150
Bunting Stamp Co.....	.75	1150
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.	22.67	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros.		
Typewriter Co.....	4.20	1150
William C. Lauer.....	16.00	1150
K. Solomon & Co.....	3.25	1159-O
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh, Inc.....	910.43	1160

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
English Rauh
Garland Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2283. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of five (5) motor-driven fuel wagons for the Bureau of Fire."

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2284. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of four (4) district chiefs' runabouts, for the Bureau of Fire."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third reading and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also, with a negative recommendation,

Bill No. 2282. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of five (5) motor-driven fuel wagons for the Bureau of Fire."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That further action on the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2342. Resolved, That the Librarian of the Carnegie Free Library of Allegheny be and he is hereby authorized and directed to grant the free use of the Music Hall on Friday evening, April 4, 1919, for a public demonstration of Boy Scout activities.

Which were read.

Mr. Garland moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. McArdle

Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, March 17, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

The **Chair** stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for March 10, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. **Dalley** moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for March 10, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. **Burke** presented

No. 2343. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading and paving of Mulberry way, from Barbeau street to Fancourt street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. **Dalley** presented

No. 2344. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Joseph H. Dye for \$27.50 for expenses incurred as Commissioner of Police, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1158 A. M., Department of Public Safety.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. **English** presented

No. 2345. Communication from O. P. Garriss, 3369 Francisco street, asking that Moyer street, between Francisco street and Allendale street, be improved in connection with the improvement of Francisco street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2346. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalk and establishing the grade of the south curb line of Stadium street, from Stafford street to Radcliffe street.

Also

No. 2347. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Stafford street, from Stadium street to the first angle southwardly therefrom.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 2348. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Douds Coal Co.....	\$ 6.00	1164
Gilchrist's Sons Co., J. M..	28.74	1164

Horne Co., Joseph.....	6.00	1066
Houston Brothers Co.....	18.00	1533
Pittsburgh Piping & Equip- ment Co.....	64.35	1656
Seagrave Co., The.....	826.41	1165
Speck-Marshall Co.....	9.00	1526
Turner Co., C. A.....	17.62	1664
Youghiogheny Coal Co.....	140.55	1164

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-
COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Allis-Chalmers Co.....	1,292.07	1656
American Architect, The....	10.00	1117
Atlantic Refining Co.....	.63	1655
Baur Brothers Co.....	121.75	1232
B. B. & B. Trunk Co.....	9.00	1700
Bearings Service Co.....	1.44	1032
Beckert Seed Store.....	11.40	1745
Donnelly, James.....	21.66	1232
Dyke Motor Supply Co.....	1.15	1032
Elliott-Fischer Co.....	.90	1063
Garlock Packing Co.....	61.97	1655
Gilchrist's Sons Co., J. M.....	82.08	1655
Gray, Alexander.....	4.45	1673
Jarecki Manufacturing Co.....	2.00	1648
Keystone Brass Foundry Co.....	5.70	1165
Kinney & Levan Co.....	170.00	1323
Knox Motor Associates.....	24.90	1165
Machinist Supply Co.....	8.00	1804
Michel & Co., C. A.....	25.38	1165
Point Motor Co.....	5.22	1032
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	3.00	1683
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	3.30	1808
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	3.30	1556
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	2.95	1569
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.....	8.67	185-A
Rising & Radcliffe.....	25.00	1808
Relck Co., Edward E.....	250.30	1232
Scientific Materials Co.....	3.51	1647
Seven Baker Brothers.....	138.13	1224
Singer Pen & Gift Shop.....	1.25	1016
Turner, Inc., C. A.....	18.00	1323
Valley Camp Coal Co.....	25.63	1320
Winton Co., The.....	3.00	1165

Also

No. 2349. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Julia Gallagher for the sum of \$50.00, in full settlement of all claims and demands against the City of Pittsburgh for injuries received by either falling in the subway in the West Penn Hospital leading out to Corday way, or on Corday way, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2350. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and construction of steel filing cases in the office of the City Clerk.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2351. An Ordinance granting unto the National Casket Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a switch siding on Mumford street, in the Twenty-first ward, City of Pittsburgh; said track to extend from the Pittsburgh and Western Division of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad to a point 65 feet south of the southeast building line of Reedsdale street, a distance of approximately 485.6 lineal feet, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., to the buildings of the National Casket Company situated on Mumford street at Reedsdale street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2352. Communication from A. W. Lynch, editor of the Pittsburgh American, transmitting data relative to increase of rents on properties in the Fifth ward rented by colored people.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2353. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for bids and to award a contract or contracts for replacing treads on the steps of the Washington street tunnel under Bigelow boulevard, and also for making certain repairs to the floor system of the Radcliffe street bridge over the Ohio Connecting Railroad, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Also

No. 2354. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mannella Construction Company for the sum of \$50.00 for extra work done on the contract for making certain repairs to the roadway of the California avenue bridge, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, 1918.

Also

No. 2355. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Andrew Armhein Bros.....	\$ 7.65	1516
East End Stair Co.....	36.00	1557
I. J. Glatch.....	2.00	1525
H. Hunziker.....	20.00	1462
H. Hunziker.....	4.80	1516

Independent Towel Supply Co.	2.75	1554
Keystone Wagon Co.	30.00	1525
Laurel Land Co.	105.35	1528
Lincoln Laundry Co.	1.49	1807
L. K. Mearkle & Bros.	206.80	1513
C. C. Mellor Co.	16.00	1807
Miller & Woodward, Inc.	5.50	1810
McQuillan Brothers	2.00	1657
National Gear Wheel Foundry	82.20	1557
Sigmund Paulat.	9.40	1767
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	1.90	1404
Henry Rectanus.	10.25	1665
Joseph Schiller	16.35	1516
The S. Hamilton Co.	119.25	1810
The Humboldt Fire Insurance Co.	34.06	1513
The Empire Laundry Co.	3.40	1807
Wappet Gear Works.	57.42	1557

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2356. An Ordinance establishing the grade on Bessie avenue, from Mina street to South Side avenue.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 2357. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and placing of steel filing cases in the Bureau of Water, Distribution Division.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Filtration and Water.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2358. An Ordinance establishing the grade of Bricelyn street, from Tokio street to Wilkinsburg avenue.

Also

No. 2359. An Ordinance establishing the grade of Race street, from North Braddock avenue to Brushton avenue.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

The Chair presented

No. 2360. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Robert W. Ardary for the sum of \$58.00, refunding amount overpaid for City taxes for the year 1918 on his property in the Sixth ward, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding City Taxes.

Also

No. 2361. Communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health, transmitting comparative report showing the removal of garbage and rubbish during the month of February, 1919, and the month of February, 1918.

Also

No. 2362. Communication from City weighmasters in the Division of Sanitation, Department of Public Health, asking that justice be done them in the matter of civil service classification.

Also

No. 2363. Communication from John F. Lent, relative to the City acquiring title to the Exposition buildings and the use to which they should be put.

Also

No. 2364. Communication from the Hazelwood Board of Trade, submitting list of items it requests to be placed in the proposed bond issue.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2365. Communication from F. E. McGillick, complaining of the nuisance caused by the operation of the Brushton swimming pool on Tioga street.

Also

No. 2366. Communication from D. A. Ritz, asking permission to place three houses at 511 Braddock avenue on a one nine-inch sewer connection.

Also

No. 2367. Communication from the Brushton Board of Trade, asking that the City swimming pool on Tioga street be reopened.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2368. Communication from E. K. Morse, Transit Commissioner, concerning new routes for street car transportation by the Pittsburgh Railways Company.

Also

No. 2369. Communication from R. J. Wheeler, superintendent of parks and public property, Allentown, Pa., asking the City of Pittsburgh to co-operate with the City of Allentown to have an Act passed by the Legislature modifying the Public Service Commission Law so as to allow cities and boroughs of Pennsylvania to build and operate public utilities.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 2370. Communication from Walter J. Depp, Edward J. Kraus and Leo H. Brandt, volunteering their services as members of the Junior Police Force of the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also
No. 2371. Communication from the Oakland Board of Trade, approving the item for the construction of a boulevard from the downtown section of the City to the Oakland district, and recommending the change in name from Monongahela boulevard to the Boulevard of the Allies.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also
No. 2372.
Pittsburgh, March 10, 1919.
Mr. John S. Herron, President,
Council of the City of Pittsburgh,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Mr. Herron—In behalf of my sisters and brothers and myself, I wish to thank, through you, the members of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh for the engrossed copy of the resolutions adopted by them in memory of our father.

The expression of sympathy by the Council and the thoughtfulness which prompted this action is very deeply appreciated by us.

I beg to remain,

Most gratefully yours,

GEORGE S. OLIVER.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also
No. 2373.
CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PA.
March 17, 1919.
President and Members of Council
of the City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I hereby nominate, to serve during my term of office as Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh, Lieutenant-Colonel B. L. Succop to be Police Magistrate.

This nomination is submitted in keeping with the action of your Honorable Body in appropriating the money necessary to provide an additional Police Magistrate. It is my desire to re-establish the South Side Police Court.

Lieutenant-Colonel Succop is 41 years old, has a wife and two children and lives at 1110 Carson street. He is at present the highest ranking officer of the old Eighteenth Regiment. He saw service in the Spanish-American war and also on the Mexican border. He has just returned from France, where he served his country with great distinction as lieutenant-colonel of the One Hundred and Eleventh Infantry. During his con-

nection with the One Hundred and Eleventh Infantry he was the summary court officer of his regiment. Previous to his going to the front he was in the real estate business.

Lieutenant-Colonel Succop is a high type of a man. His character, temperament and education and experience as summary court officer of his regiment, in my opinion, eminently fit him for the position.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

That the communication be received and filed and the appointment of the Mayor confirmed.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"Mr. President, it is with a great deal of pleasure that I move to have the nomination of Lieutenant-Colonel Succop as Police Magistrate confirmed by Council.

"I have known Colonel Succop since birth. He was born within a square of my birthplace, and we have been good friends all our lives. I know he will be a credit to the administration and to the City of Pittsburgh. I think he has the sense of responsibility of the position to administer the duties in a way which I believe is the proper one for a Police Magistrate.

"Lieutenant-Colonel Succop is a high type of man. He has the temperament and humanity and the good common sense, together with his military training, to make a good Police Magistrate; and if he makes as good a Police Magistrate as his father, who occupied the same position on the South Side, I know he will prove entirely satisfactory.

"I take it that the Mayor's appointment is largely a recognition to the soldier boys who went from this vicinity to help win the world war, and Colonel Succop has an enviable record in that war. He served in the National Guard and Army for twenty-two years, having seen service in the Spanish-American war, on the Mexican border, and more recently in the great world war. It was his privilege and honor to participate in the second battle of the Marne, when the Huns were turned back and which made it possible for the Allies to save the world for civilization; just as the boys from Pennsylvania turned back the Confederate army at Gettysburg and saved the Union. He was in the battles of Chateau Thierry, the Marne and Pismes, and when the armistice went into effect he was standing on the firing line, just outside the strongly fortified city of Metz, with his watch in his hand to

signal that the time had arrived to stop hostilities. It was at this place that the Americans were preparing their offensive preparatory to capturing this strongly fortified city.

"This appointment of Colonel Succop is not only a compliment to the soldier for his military record, but is also a compliment to the type of man he is. His personal character and his personal standing in the community makes a very good combination with his military record, and I think Mayor Babcock should be complimented on his appointment."

Mr. **Rauh** arose and said:

"Mr. President, it gives me great pleasure to vote for the confirmation of the Mayor's nomination of Lieutenant-Colonel Succop as Police Magistrate. The Mayor is to be complimented for selecting a man of the type of Mr. Succop and also for the reason that the position, being on the South Side, should be filled by a man from that section of the City. Mr. Succop's military training eminently fits him for the position."

Mr. **McArdle** arose and said:

"Mr. President, I want to say that I am pleased to be able to support with so much satisfaction to myself the appointment that the Mayor has made. I have had the pleasure of an acquaintance with Lieutenant-Colonel Succop for several years, and whether he had achieved the record that is now his in the military service or not, he would still come to us splendidly equipped and fitted for the performance of the duties that will be his under this appointment. I am extremely glad that the Mayor has made such a wise choice in the selection of the man who has to do this extremely important work, and it is with gratification that I vote for the confirmation of Lieutenant-Colonel Succop's appointment."

Mr. **English** arose and said:

"Mr. President, having cast the deciding vote in Finance Committee to include in the budget the appropriation for one additional Police Magistrate, it gives me pleasure at this time to vote for the confirmation of the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel Succop."

"It is an honor as well as a pleasure to have the opportunity to welcome to the service of the City a man who has served our country so well. Lieutenant-Colonel Succop is well equipped to serve the City. This opportunity argues well for the future, and I hope His Honor, the Mayor, will continue to appoint men of the temperament, character and ability of Lieutenant-Colonel Succop."

Mr. **Burke** arose and said:

"Mr. President, as one member who voted against the creation of another

position of Police Magistrate, I want to say that it gives me great pleasure to second the motion of my colleague and esteemed friend of the South Side for the confirmation of the appointment of Colonel Succop. Mayor Babcock is to be commended for selecting such a man as Lieutenant-Colonel Succop. I have known him for a good many years. He is well fitted and well qualified to perform the duties of a Police Magistrate, and he will do splendid service and will be a credit to the City of Pittsburgh."

And the question recurring on the motion to receive and file the communication and to confirm the appointment of the Mayor, the ayes and noes were ordered taken, agreeably to law, and, being taken, were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Mr. **McArdle** called up

Bill No. 2231. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the payment of additional compensation to certain employees in the Bureaus of Fire and Electricity in the Department of Public Safety for the period from July 1, 1918, to January 21, 1919, both inclusive."

In Council, March 3, 1919. Rule suspended, bill read three times and failed for lack of a legal majority of votes.

Which was read.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 2374. Report of the Committee on Finance for March 11, 1919,

transmitting sundry resolutions and an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2327. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a written lease with A. V. Hurd for a certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Thirteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for playground purposes, and fixing the terms and conditions thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2264. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of M. H. Gottschall for the sum of \$42.50, which sum was expended by him in renewing his commission as notary public for service of the City in transaction of official business, and charging same to Code Account No. 1015, Miscellaneous Services, Mayor's Office.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2271. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James L. Stuart in the amount of \$2,084.30, in payment of services of hoist in new City-County Building during the years 1917 and 1918 in moving the furniture of the various City departments, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2312. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Lange Motor Truck Co.	\$ 1.00	1656
Turner-Fricke Manufacturing Co.	255.22	1582

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Ailing & Cory Co.	2.47	1096
American City, The	3.00	1018

American Medical Association	3.00	1245
Beltz, Charles F.	.80	1647
Brahm Co., A. L.	9.13	1224
Business Furniture Co.	20.00	1018-B
Chandler Boyd Supply Co.	110.73	185-A
Chesterton Co., A. W.	10.26	1655
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	3.30	1249
Doubleday-Hill Electric Co.	45.37	183-Bond
Engineering News Record	5.00	1018
Gasoline Supply Co.	1.15	1428
Kennedy Co., D. J.	13.82	1535
Leggett Co., William T.	572.88	185-A
Liberty Engraving Co.	3.00	1148
McKenna Brass & Manufacturing Co.	46.00	1648
McKnight Hardware Co., Samuel	21.72	1590
Maloney & Son, T. D.	13.00	1663
Matthews & Co., Jas. H.	3.85	1572
Murphy Iron Works	675.00	1656
Orton & Steinbrenner Co.	4.36	1556
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.	123.25	185-A
Point Motor Co.	15.88	1032
Point Motor Co.	2.90	1809
Smolevitz, M.	6.00	1572
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.	10.00	1032
Strain, James D.	2.40	1555
Treat & Co., E. B.	4.00	1245
Taylor-Wilson Manufacturing Co.	717.40	1556
United Oil Co.	55.46	1655

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2321. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Gordon & Wehling for the sum of \$15.70, for lowering lateral connections in front of 921-923 Benton avenue,

and charging same to Code Account No. 42-M, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2323. Whereas, The following accounts were contracted by the Department of the City Treasurer for advertising and for repairs, without solicitation of competitive bids, and the work being done, the moneys are due; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following in payment of the several claims as scheduled below, and charge the amounts to the respective appropriations as shown:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
The Pittsburgh Sun	\$ 12.16	1062
Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph	100.80	1062
The Pittsburgh Post	21.01	1062
Pittsburgh Gazette Times	56.00	1062
Press Publishing Co.	81.00	1062
Dispatch Publishing Co.	75.60	1062
Neeb - Hirsch Publishing Co.	25.00	1062
M. E. Cunningham Co.	4.00	1065

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2328. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following for expenses incurred by the Home Defense League, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund:

Army and Navy Store Co.	\$ 40.00
Gasoline Supply Co.	30.00
Kaufmann Department Stores	100.00
W. Stokes Kirk	150.00
Penn Motor Supply Co.	60.00
Rosenbaum Co.	125.00

Which was read.

Mr. **Garland** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2329. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Mailometer Sales Company in the sum of \$585.00, for the purchase of a mailometer for the Department of City Treasurer, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 42-H, Contingent Fund, filing equipment.

Which was read.

Mr. **Garland** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and

third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2330. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of J. P. Zimmerman in the sum of \$20.00, refunding the amount deducted from his wages on account of taking a \$1.00 Federal Reserve Note, which had been raised to a \$20.00 note, while employed as a clerk in the City Treasurer's office, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. **Garland** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2331. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Mary Coll in the amount of —, in full payment for damages caused by injuries received by being run down by a hook and ladder truck belonging to the City on Penn avenue, between Fairmount and Roup streets, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

In Finance Committee, March 11, 1919. Read and amended by inserting in blank space "\$1,000.00" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2124. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to J. J. Wadle in the sum of \$39.60, for water rent for the year 1918 on property at 921 East street, North Side, leased from Joseph Standfest.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2258. Resolution authorizing and directing the Collector of Delinquent Taxes to have liens filed at No. 4, January Term, 1916; No. 93, April

Term, 1916; No. 102, April Term, 1917, and No. 130, April Term, 1918, satisfied of record upon the payment by the Congregation of Tiphereth Israel of the sum of \$163.60, with interest to date (being at the rate of \$40.90 per annum as agreed upon by the Board of Water Assessors), and authorizing the said collector to accept the sum of \$40.90, with interest to date, as payment in full for water rent for the year 1916, assessed against the property of said congregation at corner of Fullerton and Clark streets, the costs in each case to be charged to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2332. Resolution authorizing and directing the Department of Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of Lawrence A. DeRoy for property in the Twenty-second ward, North Side, used by the City of Pittsburgh as a playground, for City taxes in the sum of \$1,295.67 for the year 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2266. Resolution authorizing the City Solicitor to satisfy liens at No. 63, December Term, 1899, for \$396.66; No. 34, December Term, 1900, for \$207.86, and No. 38, March Term, 1902, for \$220.50, on property or right of way obtained from the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company by the Fort Pitt Incline Plane Company, and charging the costs thereof to the City.

In Finance Committee, March 11, 1919. Read and amended by inserting before the words "Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company" the words "Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad Company, now the" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2269. Resolution authorizing the City Treasurer (Collector of Delinquent Taxes) to grant an exoneration to Walter Coleman for \$22.50 for the year 1916 and \$23.50 for the year 1917 for water rent on his property at 4902 Yew street.

In Finance Committee, March 11, 1919. Read and amended by striking out, after the words "Resolution authorizing," the entire resolution, and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "and directing

the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Walter Coleman in the sum of \$46.00 for water rent on his property at 4902 Yew street, for the years 1916 and 1917," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also, with a negative recommendation.

Bill No. 1872. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of W. P. Schmidt in the sum of \$122.53, damages to automobile by running into hole in street on north side of Penn avenue, east of Linden avenue, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2028. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Dr. H. J. Carten in the sum of \$204.83, in full settlement of all claims against the City on account of damages to his automobile by running into a hole on the Twenty-second street bridge, and charging the same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2375. Report of the Committee on Public Works for March 11, 1919, transmitting three ordinances and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2140. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Stevenson street, from Bluff street to end of present pavement at a point 330 feet northwardly, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2158. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the paving and curbing of Marshall avenue, from Linwood avenue to Brighton road, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2324. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the making of a contract or contracts for the laying and construction of concrete sidewalks in the City of Pittsburgh, and providing for the payments thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2307. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
R. W. Lemmon Co.....	\$67.08	1417
Duquesne Tool Mfg. Co.....	4.85	1516
Andrew Engel	59.95	1516
B. H. Frazier.....	35.50	1516
Hacker Bros.	6.90	1516
H. Hunziker	74.00	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.....	67.10	1516
George Purdy	28.45	1516
C. G. Ituhland Wagon Works	65.50	1516
Zahn-Larkin	21.00	1520
H. Hunziker	1.50	1525
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	29.39	1557
Andrew Amrhein & Bro.....	3.20	1665

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2376. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for March 11, 1919, transmitting three ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2316. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalks and establishing the grade of the easterly curb line of Beltzhoover avenue, from Hartford way to the north curb line of Michigan street produced."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2317. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on Carson street West from a point 221.53 feet westwardly from South Main street to a point 419.91 feet eastwardly from South Main street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2320. An Ordinance en-

titled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Exeter street, from Greenfield avenue to Frank street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2377. Report of the Committee on Filtration and Water for March 11, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2322. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Murphy Iron Works for the sum of \$856.40, or so much of the same as may be necessary, for furnace parts to be used at Ross Pumping Station, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1588, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2378. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for March 11, 1919, transmitting an ordinance and two resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2318. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for concrete floor and other repairs at the Mount Washington Police Station, corner of Virginia avenue and Shiloh street."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2055. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of W. J. Tener & Company in the sum of \$92.64, for insurance on boilers in the Public Safety Building, and charging same to Miscellaneous Services, Item B-1130.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage th

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Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2308. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 5.35	1130
Keystone Laundry Co.....	84.67	1147
St. Joseph's Hospital.....	17.00	1147
W. S. Brown.....	62.00	1150
Hunting Stamp Co.....	1.50	1150
American Typewriter Inspection Co.....	2.00	1150

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2379. Report of the Committee on Charities and Correction for March 11, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2325. Resolution au-

thorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Robert Dickey & Company in the sum of \$505.62, or so much of the same as may be necessary, for broom corn for use at the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, at Mayview, Pa., same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1320, Department of Charities.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. English presented

No. 2380. Report of the Committee on Health and Sanitation for March 11, 1919, transmitting two resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2310. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$34,200.95, for the removal of 3,665.82 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 3,885.56 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$8,365.63 for the removal of 1,395.45 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 633.01 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health, the tonnage rates set forth in this resolution being the rates as established by the contractors for the period ending December 31, 1918.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and

third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Noes—Mr.

Rauh

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2311. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Allegheny Garbage Company in the sum of \$26,674.49, in full for the amount due it for the removal of garbage and rubbish up until December 31, 1918, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1259.

Which was read.

Mr. English presented

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Noes—Mr.

Rauh

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 2381.

THE RIGHTS OF A TENANT.

A bill which has been introduced at Harrisburg "concerning landlords and tenants and to afford relief to tenants where excessive rents are charged," offers the vehicle by which the problem of the dispossessed or "boosted" tenant, which has been a continuing disturbance in Pittsburgh for the past six months and is

just now becoming aggravated, may be reached for investigation and discussion.

Reduced from its legal verbiage of the statute, the measure provides, in substance, that where a landlord shall seek to oust a tenant or by similar process shall attempt to advance the rent from the price agreed upon at the time of hiring, and the tenant shall allege that the new demand is exorbitant, the latter shall have the right of appeal to the Court of Common Pleas in the County, and that his petition setting up the claim that the rental asked is unfair or unreasonable shall act as a stay on the writ of dispossession. Within thirty days the court shall grant a hearing and if, in its judgment, the claim is well founded, an issue shall be ordered to be tried before a jury, who may determine what shall be a fair rental for the property.

Hundreds of families in Pittsburgh who lay no claim to familiarity or even understanding of all the intricacies of the law of property and, therefore, will not attempt to argue legal points involved, will feel that the proposed law squares with what is to their mind justice and equity, and because it appears to reach and remedy what in their recent experience has cut deeply as an act of injustice, its spirit and purpose deserve to be recognized, even if in its present form it may be open to objection.

The complaints of the tenant householders in the City, which have been recurrent since a sudden influx of workers and their families created an acute condition in the housing supply of the City last year, are not wisely to be ignored or lightly treated. The actual shortage in the housing supply which existed for a time no longer exists in equal degree. New construction, under Federal patronage, has offered some relief, and still more has been afforded by the scattering of the temporary population. But, in spite of these changed circumstances, which should have their effect in the operation of the law of supply and demand, rentals are even more difficult to obtain in the City than they were six months ago, and the tenant with no place to go is at the mercy of his landlord, who may require him to pay an arbitrary advance in rent or may ask him to buy at an arbitrary price, with no alternative of rental. The terms in either case may be grossly unjust, if the landlord be so minded, but the tenant who must maintain a roof over his head and those of his family has no redress or recourse. Such a situation is by no means imaginary but is an accurate statement of the situation in which many tenants have found themselves and to which they have been compelled to accommodate their budgets, already hard pressed by general living prices.

Resultant murmurings and discontent are not surprising, and if it be true that

the law of the Commonwealth, as it stands today, provides no recourse and relief for them, it ought to be recognized as the part of good and wise law-making to search out the facts of the situation in detail and to devise an adequate statute of relief. Speculation to the extent of manipulating corners and forcing artificial levels of prices in the food markets and the necessities of life is generally condemned, although law has not been found adequate to prevent it, but none of these abuses is more serious in its effect on the community than the application of such tactics in the market of homes.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. **Rauh**, received and filed, and ordered printed in full in the Record.

Mr. **Robertson** presented

No. 2382. Resolved, By the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, that the improvement of the Pittsburgh, Butler and Erie state highway, from the boundary line of the City of Pittsburgh, where said highway connects with East Ohio street in said City, northeastwardly through the Borough of Millvale and a portion of Shaler Township, to the Borough of Etna, a distance of approximately one and one-half miles, thus connecting the City of Pittsburgh with the proposed 1919 State improvement of said highway to Butler and northwardly therefrom to the Mercer County line, as indicated by Hon. Lewis S. Sadler, State Highway Commissioner, on February 14, 1919, when, in conference with the committee representing the Pittsburgh, Butler and Erie State Highway Association, be and the same is hereby endorsed; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to Hon. William C. Sproul, Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and Hon. Lewis S. Sadler, State Highway Commissioner.

Which was read.

Mr. **Robertson** moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 2383. Resolved, That the City Solicitor be requested to prepare and present to Council, at its next session, an ordinance providing for free water in the public schools of the City.

Which were read.

Mr. **Garland** moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **McArdle** presented

No. 2384. Resolution providing

for the interpretation of the provisions of the salary ordinance, in which salary is fixed by a graduated scale, so as to allow any time spent in the United States army, navy or marines as a part of the time of their employment with the City of Pittsburgh as fully and to the same extent as though they had been continuously on duty in said employment during said period of the war.

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

That the resolution be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Upon which motion Mr. **Rauh** demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Robertson
English	Winters
Rauh	

Noes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
Garland	McArdle

Ayes—5.

Noes—4.

And a majority of the votes being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2385. Whereas, As the result of negligence or indifference to the public interests the streets of the City of Pittsburgh are from time to time littered with broken glass, resulting in great damage to automobile tires and involving danger to vehicular traffic; and

Whereas, This practice should be stopped at once; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the attention of the Department of Public Safety is hereby called to the existence of this condition and the request made of the department to take immediate steps to break up the practice or habit by the adoption of such punitive measures as may be necessary, and that the Department of Public Safety co-operate with the Bureau of Highways and Sewers in an endeavor to minimize the evil effects of this condition and to place responsibility for each particular case that comes under the notice of either department.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

The **Chair** presented

No. 2386. Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to

furnish Council with an estimate of the cost of improving Baker street, from Butler street to Morningside avenue.

Which was read.

Mr. **English** moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2387, Communication from the Mayor, transmitting communication from the life managers of the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society, offering to sell the society's leasehold, buildings and property to the City of Pittsburgh for a sum not less than \$360,000.00.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. **Dalley**, referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

That no further hearings on the

items for the proposed bond issue be held after March 31, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Winters** presented

No. 2388. Resolved, That the Clerk of Council be requested to get ready an itemized list of the bond improvements, as suggested by the various boards of trade, and transmit same to Director Swan, of the Department of Public Works, for a separate estimate on each item, the first estimate to be on those items which are proper items for a bond issue; the estimates on the other items to be furnished thereafter as promptly as possible.

Which was read.

Mr. **Winters** moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. **Robertson**,
Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, March 24, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey.....McArdle
English.....Rauh
Garland.....Robertson
Herron (President).....Winters

Absent—Mr.
Burke

The Chair stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for March 17, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for March 17, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2389. Resolved That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without com-

petitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$175.72	1163
Mercy Hospital.....	19.43	1163
Passavant Hospital.....	8.25	1163
Duquesne Light Co.....	3.00	1163
Dayton Rubber Mfg. Co.....	4.27	1163
Iron City Spring Co.....	51.00	1166
Terheyden Co.....	9.00	1166
A. H. Johnson.....	29.80	1166
Bertram G. Case.....	73.08	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.....	11.25	1166
James Rees & Sons Co.....	7.60	1166
H. W. Johns-Manville Co.....	2.20	1166
A. H. Johnson.....	5.75	1176
Allegheny General Hospital.....	201.00	1163

Also

No. 2390. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at the Woods Run Police Station, Bureau of Police.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 2391. Resolution authorizing and directing the Department of Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of Stewart H. Clapp and Walter H. Hawkins for taxes on property in the Twenty-first ward used by the North Side Board of Trade as an athletic field and playground, in the sum of \$693.00 for the year 1919.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2392. An Ordinance amending Line 7, Section 17, Department of Assessors, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved by the Mayor January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2393. Resolution authorizing the Department of Assessors to issue an exoneration to Mrs. Anna R. Trace for the amount of taxes on Lots 11, 12, 13 and 14, and also to issue an exoneration to John T. Birch for the amount of taxes on Lot No. 15 in the Birch Plan of Lots. Nineteenth ward, located on Hall-lock street, for the period of three years, commencing with the year 1919, on account of said property being used for tennis courts.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2394. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalk and establishing the grade of Middle-town road, from Tyndall street to Berry street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Raub presented

No. 2395. An Ordinance suspending temporarily until May, 1920, the operation of Section 42 of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance to carry into effect in the City of Pittsburgh an Act for the government of cities of the second class, approved March 7, 1901, etc., etc.," approved January 7, 1902.

Also

No. 2396. An Ordinance fixing and determining the exoneration to be allowed public institutions for water heretofore or hereafter used by said institutions for swimming pools or shower baths available to the general public without charge.

Also

No. 2297. Whereas. The following accounts were contracted without solicitation of competitive bids by the Division of Motor Vehicles as shown below; and

Whereas, The repairs were performed, and the moneys therefore are honestly due the creditor to the amount shown; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following named firms for the respective amounts hereinafter named, to-wit:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Electric Motor Repairs Co.	\$ 33.53	1033
Iron City Spring Co.	69.95	1033
Liberty Brazing & Welding Co.	209.00	1033
Otis Elevator Co.	174.75	1033
The Pruyn Co.	82.75	1033

The Security Co.	156.00	1033
C. L. Sullivan Co.	65.00	1033

Total.....\$791.23

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2398. An Ordinance authorizing the making of a contract or contracts for the laying and construction of concrete sidewalks in the City of Pittsburgh, and providing for the payment thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2399. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$4,000.00 from Appropriation No. 171-C, "Refund for Water Meters Installed by Private Parties," to Appropriation No. 171-A, "Salaries and Expenses," Bureau of Water, for the purpose of payment of engineering, mechanical and other services performed by employees of, or furnished to, the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, in the improvement and extension of water system, installation of meters, etc., and materials and supplies in connection with such work.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2400. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on Eberhardt avenue, from Froman street to a point 193.49 feet eastwardly therefrom.

Also

No. 2401. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on Froman street, from Harpster street to Eberhardt avenue.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2402. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at Center Avenue Police Station, corner Center avenue and Devilliers street, Bureau of Police.

Also

No. 2403. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract for furnishing one (1) auto patrol wagon for the Bureau of Police.

Also

No. 2404. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$57.79 from Code Account No. 42, Item M. Con-

tingent Fund, to Code Account No. 1178, Item A-M, Operators' Equalization Fund, Bureau of Electricity.

Also

No. 2405. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$1,500.00 from Code Account No. 1673, Materials, to Code Account 1675, Equipment and Machinery, Bureau of Light, Department of Public Works, to be used in addition to the amount of \$2,000.00 appropriated for the purchase of a new two (2) ton auto truck for the Bureau of Light.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2406. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Elevator Equipment and Repair Company for \$809.96 for repairs to elevators at the Diamond Market, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1583, Repairs Diamond Market, Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2407. An Ordinance directing the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh to issue exonerations for water used during the year 1918 by the public schools of the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 2408. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Colonial Art Furniture Co.	\$18.00	1066
Pittsburgh Carbon Brush Co.	18.00	1620
Phillips, J. & H.	11.50	1535
Solomon, I.	119.56	1321

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Atlantic Refining Co.	21.33	1320
American Type Founders Co.	17.60	1321
Baur Brothers Co.	20.66	1745
Bunting Stamp Co.	1.85	1099
Business Furniture Co.	17.00	1026
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	3.30	1048
Derrick Publishing Co.	48.33	1063

Dyke Motor Supply Co.	17.08	1032
Edlis Co.	38.25	1811
Erie City Iron Works	7.50	1321
Fallert, Paul	10.00	1811
Frick & Lindsay Co.	92.40	185-A
Garlock Packing Co.	65.32	1320
Garlock Packing Co.	17.66	1569
Hill, E. M.	166.55	1541
Houston Bros. Co.	2.59	1533
Knox Motor Associates	181.27	1165
McCloskey, J. R.	5.00	1811
Manufacturers Light & Heat Co.	554.28	1320
National Process Co., Inc.	48.75	1415
Nuttall Co., R. D.	10.75	1656
Painter-Dunn Co.	33.50	1032
Penn Storage Co.	1.05	1032
Point Motor Co.	75.27	1032
Pittsburgh Insect Exterminating Co.	8.40	S.T.F.
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.	11.10	1656
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	1.25	1016
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	.45	1025
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	4.15	1174
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.	57.50	1321
Pyrene Manufacturing Co.	36.00	1555
Reed & Witting	15.00	1048
Rieck Co., Edward E.	497.44	1224
Rieck Co., Edward E.	65.80	1745
Rising & Radcliffe	5.00	1808
Seven Baker Brothers	154.63	1224
Sauter Co., John	163.50	1331
Shipley Massingham Co.	7.50	1243
Underwood Typewriter Co.	1.00	1331
Woodwell Co., Joseph	32.00	1165

Also

No. 2409. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. A. R. Coughlin for \$100.00 for loss of personal property and personal injuries by reason of falling on Collins avenue, due to defective condition of the street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 2410. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of the Eagle Lubricating Oil Company for \$19.56 in place of warrant No. 13887, dated June 26, 1916, in favor of said company for Eagle lubricant delivered to Brilliant Pumping Station, which was either lost or mislaid, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1655.

Also

No. 2411. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to apportion the sewer assessment amounting to \$406.98, interest and costs, assessed against Mrs. Mary Young for sewer on Campania avenue, Twelfth ward, in order that the St. Walburga

church can pay its pro rata share of said assessment, interest and costs, which now amounts to \$81.39, and authorizing the City Solicitor to satisfy all liens filed against that portion of said lot owned by the church upon the payment of said sum, interest and costs to the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 2412. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Patrick McInerney in the sum of \$141.28 for the year 1917 and the sum of \$64.00 for the first quarter of 1918 on property at 231 Soho street, and the sum of \$14.98 for the first quarter of 1918 on property at 318 Soho street, Fifth ward.

Also

No. 2413. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Mrs. Hannah Sarraf in the sum of \$19.52 water rent on her property at 1109-1111 Bedford avenue, Third ward, for the year 1918.

Also

No. 2414. Communication from the Pittsburgh Board of Trade, submitting a list of items it desires included in the proposed people's bond issue.

Also

No. 2415. Communication from the Allegheny County Medical Society, relative to items to be included in the proposed bond issue for improvements at the Municipal Hospital and the Tuberculosis Hospital.

Also

No. 2416. Petition of Martha Walker for the placing of a water meter in each of her houses on Ridgway street, instead of one meter for five houses.

Also

No. 2417. Communication from W. M. McMillin, president of the Homewood Realty Company, relative to the proposal to form a corporation to build homes on vacant property owned by the City.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2418. An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 235 entitled, "An Ordinance widening Dakota street, from a point distant 256.68 feet eastwardly from the easterly line of Bryn Mawr road to a point distant 194.33 feet southwardly from the center line of Iowa street, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from prop-

erty benefited thereby," approved August 5, 1918.

Also

No. 2419. An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 538 entitled, "An Ordinance opening Dakota street, from Alpena street to the northerly line of Joseph R. Fricke's Plan of Lots in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, fixing the width and positions of the sidewalk and roadway, establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from property benefited thereby," approved December 21, 1917.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2420. An Ordinance locating Thomas street, in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from the southerly line of North Lexington street to the southerly line of North Richland street.

Also

No. 2421. An Ordinance vacating Meade street, in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from the southerly line of North Lexington street to the southerly line of North Richland street, as opened by Ordinance No. 274, approved June 28, 1916.

Also

No. 2422. Communication from J. H. O'Donnell, submitting suggestions for the relief of congested traffic conditions in the downtown section of the City.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2423. Report of the Committee on Finance for March 18, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2111. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending certain portions of Sections 53, 57 and 58, Division of Surveys, Bureau of Engineering, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

Mr. English moved

To reconsider the vote by which the bill was read a second and third times and agreed to.

Upon which motion Mr. English demanded a call of the ayes and noes and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were ordered taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English Rauh
Herron (President) Winters

Noes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson

Ayes—4.

Noes—4.

And there not being a majority of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the motion did not prevail.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson

Noes—Messrs.

English Rauh
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—4.

Noes—4.

And there not being a majority of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill failed to pass finally.

Mr. McArdle moved

To reconsider the vote by which the bill was read a second and third times and agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill as read a third time be agreed to?"

The motion did not prevail.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill as read a second time be agreed to?"

The motion did not prevail.

Mr. McArdle moved

To recommit the bill to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2350. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and construction of steel filing cases in the office of the City Clerk."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
English Rauh
Garland Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2233. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the purchase from Joseph P. Reed of a certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Fifth ward, City of Pittsburgh, containing 2.9162 acres, for the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00), and making appropriation therefor."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey Herron (President)
English Rauh
Garland

Noes—Messrs.
McArdle Winters
Robertson
Ayes—5.
Noes—3.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2234. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the purchase from the Wagman Estate of a tract or piece of land, situate in the Fifth ward, City of Pittsburgh, containing two (2) acres, more or less, and making appropriation therefor."

In Finance Committee, March 18, 1919. Read and amended in the preamble by inserting before the words "26° 30' east," the word "South" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley Herron (President)
English Rauh
Garland

Noes—Messrs.

McArdle Winters
Robertson

Ayes—5.

Noes—3.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2348. Resolved That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Con-

troller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Douds Coal Co.....	\$ 6.00	1164
Gilchrist's Sons Co., J. M.....	28.75	1164
Horne Co., Joseph.....	6.00	1066
Houston Brothers Co.....	18.00	1533
Pittsburgh Piping & Equipment Co.....	64.30	1656
Seagrave Co., The.....	826.40	1165
Speck-Marshall Co.....	9.00	1526
Turner Co., C. A.....	17.60	1664
Youghiogheny Coal Co.....	140.50	1164

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Allis-Chalmers Co.....	1,292.00	1656
American Architect, The.....	10.00	1117
Atlantic Refining Co.....	.60	1655
Baur Brothers Co.....	121.75	1232
B. B. & B. Trunk Co.....	9.00	1700
Bearings Service Co.....	1.40	1032
Beckert Seed Store.....	11.40	1745
Donnelly, James.....	21.60	1232
Dyke Motor Supply Co.....	1.10	1032
Elliott-Fischer Co.....	.90	1063
Garlock Packing Co.....	61.90	1655
Gilchrist's Sons Co., J. M.....	82.00	1655
Gray, Alexander.....	4.40	1673
Jarecki Manufacturing Co.....	2.00	1648
Keystone Brass Foundry Co.....	5.70	1165
Kinney & Levan Co.....	170.00	1323
Knox Motor Associates.....	24.90	1165
Machinist Supply Co.....	8.00	1804
Michel & Co., C. A.....	25.28	1165
Point Motor Co.....	5.22	1032
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	3.00	1683
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	3.30	1808
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	3.30	1556
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	2.95	1569
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.....	8.67	185-A
Rising & Radcliffe.....	25.00	1808
Reick Co., Edward E.....	250.30	1232
Scientific Materials Co.....	3.51	1647
Seven Baker Brothers.....	138.13	1224
Singer Pen & Gift Shop.....	1.25	1016
Turner, Inc., C. A.....	18.00	1323
Valley Camp Coal Co.....	25.63	1320
Winton Co., The.....	3.00	1165

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2360. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Robert W. Ardary for the sum of \$58.00, refunding amount overpaid for City taxes for the year 1918 on his property in the Sixth ward, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding City Taxes.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there, being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2270. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to exonerate Amelia Reefer from the payment of the sum of \$150.00, assessment for the construction of a sewer on Bascom street.

In Finance Committee, March 18, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the entire resolution and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the following: "Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor, on the payment by Amelia Reefer of the sum of \$60.00 into the City treasury, on account of an assessment for the construction of a sewer on Bascom street, to issue a receipt to Amelia Reefer in full of said assessment, and charging the remainder to the City."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2326. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$174,000.00), and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount, to provide for the improvement and extension of the water system, including the purchase and installation of meters, the acquiring of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, and the acquiring of real estate, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read a first time.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2424. Whereas, The Twenty-third ward of the City of Pittsburgh is one of the most densely populated wards of the City and has no playground; the children being compelled to play on the streets, thus endangering their lives by reason of the excessive automobile and vehicle traffic on these streets; and

Whereas, If given permission to play in the East Park, the danger from acci-

dents would be greatly lessened; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to allow the children the use of the entire East Park, east of Federal street, for playground purposes.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2425. Whereas, The Good Roads Convention, held in the City of Erie, Pa. on January 20, 1917, selected the highway from Pittsburgh to Erie to be known as the "Perry Highway," to be rebuilt and reconstructed as a paved road extending from Pittsburgh to Perrysville, to Wexford, to Zellenople, to Porterville, to Harlansburg, to Mercer, to Sheakleyville, to Meadville, to Saegertown, to Venango, to Edinboro, to McKean and to Kearsarge, to Erie; and

Whereas, The Perry Highway is the most direct road from Pittsburgh to Erie the two largest cities in Western Pennsylvania, and its improvement will afford the farmer an all-year round market for his product; will encourage agricultural pursuits and will benefit the City merchant by reason of better transportation facilities; and

Whereas, The Pittsburgh district justly demands a trunk line road by the shortest and best route to the City of Erie; and

Whereas, The Perry Highway Association, a chartered organization, has encouraged the prompt construction and maintenance of the Perry Highway as a paved, permanent, commercial and military highway, and has the endorsement of the Chamber of Commerce of Pittsburgh, the Automobile Club of Pittsburgh, the North Side Chamber of Commerce of Pittsburgh, the Board of Commerce of Erie and many other organizations throughout the several counties traversed by the Perry Highway; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Pittsburgh petition Governor William C. Sproul, of the State of Pennsylvania, and Highway Commissioner Lewis S. Sadler, of the State Highway Department, to improve the said Perry Highway and maintain it as a broad, hard-surfaced, permanent, commercial and military highway and that from this improvement lateral roads be constructed to county seats and other principal cities and towns.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. English presented

No. 2426. Whereas, The safety, comfort and welfare of the people of Pittsburgh and surrounding districts have been abused and menaced for years through the inability of the Pittsburgh Railways Company to maintain a decent and adequate street car transportation system; and

Whereas, It is only a matter of time until some change or reorganization of the Pittsburgh Railways Company must take place; and

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh should be in a position to control the Pittsburgh Railways Company to furnish decent and adequate transportation, including rapid transit at reasonable cost; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Council and the Mayor hereby direct the attention of the people to careful study of Section 15, Article 9, of the Pennsylvania State Constitution, as amended November 1, 1913, which section permits the City of Pittsburgh to acquire and construct subways and street railways; and be it further

Resolved, That the matter of street car transportation and rapid transit be submitted to the voters of the City of Pittsburgh at the municipal election for bond improvements and, in order to avoid confusion, that a separate ballot be provided; and be it finally

Resolved, That if any item regarding transit or street car transportation is submitted to the electorate, said item shall contain a clause which shall require that control of any transportation system which might be purchased or built by the City shall always remain in the hands of the people.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2427. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants not to exceed in the aggregate the sum of \$— for the purpose of defraying the operating expenses of the Women's Employment Committee of the Council of National Defense, to be disbursed upon vouchers and payrolls to be approved and certified by the Mayor, and charging same to Appropriation — until such time as Congress shall appropriate the necessary funds to defray the expenses of said committee.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

And, on motion of **Mr. Winters**,

Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK ..Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, March 31, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
English Robertson
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Absent—Messrs.

Burke Rauh

The Chair stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, March 24, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Dailey moved.

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, March 24, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2428. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of five (5) triple combination motor pumping engines; two (2) 75-foot aerial trucks (motor driven) and one (1) combination

hose and chemical wagon (motor driven) for the Bureau of Fire.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 2429. Communication from John Stenger, 2761 Merwyn avenue, asking at what price the City will sell property at 3214 Stafford street, Twentieth ward.

Also

No. 2430. Communication from Joseph L. Steinberg, relative to his offer for property on Floyd street, Fifth ward.

Also

No. 2431. Communication from the Fort Pitt Machine Company, Inc., relative to Firemen's Protective Association soliciting subscriptions for advertising in the Official Bulletin.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2432. Whereas. The following bills for material and repairs were contracted by the Department of Public Health without competitive bids and, consequently, can be paid only by authority of a resolution passed by Council, in conformity with the Act of 1874; and

Whereas, Said material and repairs were furnished, accepted and used by the City; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of firms and persons in payment of claims listed below, and charge amounts to the appropriation items as shown in said list:

Name.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Keystone Typewriter Service Co., repairs.....	\$ 5.50	1197
Scientific Materials Company, repairs	3.50	1217
A. H. Johnson, repairs	4.95	1217

William McNabb, repairs.....	35.00	1217
Bernard Gloekler Company, repairs	3.75	1226
Bernard Gloekler Company, repairs	13.08	1235
The Mayer Wagon Company, repairs	10.00	1226

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2433. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Axwell Equipment Co.....	\$ 5.04	1165
Axwell Equipment Co.....	10.00	1168
Atlantic Refining Co.....	5.11	1320
Atlantic Refining Co.....	18.11	1523
Atlantic Refining Co.....	2.28	1555
Alexander Bros. Co., Inc....	19.80	1148
Bockstoce, E. Wolz.....	7.50	1215
Burner, J. M.....	80.00	1165
Bunting Stamp Co.....	11.50	1550
Bunting Stamp Co.....	1.50	1016
Brahm Co., A. L.....	97.94	1224
Brahm Co., A. L.....	215.64	1232
Bearings Service Co.....	3.91	1032
Baur Bros. Bakery (Ward Baking Co.)	32.32	1148
Cunningham, M. E.....	.75	1331
Crosby Steam Gage & Valve Co.	8.14	1655
Colvin-Atwell Co.....	3.25	1320
Chain Belt Co.....	45.33	1556
Dayton Tire & Rubber Co.	404.57	1165
Dayton Tire & Rubber Co.	404.57	1165
Equitable Gas Co.....	2.40	1519
Elliott Co., B. K.....	5.00	1148
Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.	315.05	1165
Feick Bros. Co.....	4.50	1218
Feick Bros. Co.....	48.85	1236
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.....	2.67	1016
Houston Bros.....	33.36	1533
Heeren Bros. & Co.....	5.00	1156
Iron City Electric Co.....	20.54	1031
Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.	10.97	1570
Knapp Bros. Co.....	1.85	1320
Knock, Henry	41.34	1320
Kaufmann's "The Big Store"	8.98	1811
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.	96.00	185-A
Ludebuehl & Son, P.....	390.00	1320
Pittsburgh Printing Co.....	5.65	1506
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	23.00	183
Pittsburgh Paint Co.....	56.75	1165
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	19.75	1433

Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	1.08	1415
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.	9.55	1656
Pittsburgh Foundry & Machine Co.	125.84	1664
Pittsburgh Electrical & Machine Works	1.25	1663
Pittsburgh Desk & Chair Co.	66.67	1022
Pittsburgh Block & Mfg. Co.	24.72	1664
Polk & Co., R. L.....	12.00	1086
Phillips, J. & H.....	.60	1655
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.	18.35	1656
Reed & Witting.....	4.06	1048
Robbins Electric Co.....	27.34	1164
Stewart Speedometer Service Station	10.56	1032
Sterling Equipment & Supply Co.	146.96	1320
Standard Scale & Supply Co.	1.38	1331
Standard Motor Car Co.....	16.50	1032
Spitzer Printing Co.....	19.00	1148
Spalding & Brother, A. G.	60.23	1811
Smith & Co., Elmer D.....	27.6	1707
Slentz Manufacturing Co.	19.50	1321
Slentz Manufacturing Co.	2.22	1331
Shore, William, Jr.....	2.0	1550
Service Co., The.....	2.22	1081
Service Co., The.....	2.22	1655
Scott Co., I. W.....	22.4	1320
Woodwell Co., Joseph.....	6.50	1330
Williams Art Shop, C. L.....	30.00	1611
Weldin Co., J. R.....	1.50	1048

Also

No. 2434. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the National Supply Company for \$72.00, in payment for 6,000 used paving brick received by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance

Also

No. 2435. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
A. B. C. Engineering Co....	\$ 52.50	1557
Allegheny Garbage Co.....	160.23	1588
P. F. Bartley.....	34.50	1583
W. S. Brown.....	1.25	1665
Burrighs Adding Machine Co.	6.10	1525
Business Office Furniture Co.	4.75	1640
R. W. Deisroth.....	6.00	1722
B. H. Frazier.....	1.00	1665

James T. Fox.....	1.50	1725
John Gehb Co.....	10.00	1599
John Gehb Co.....	356.35	1602
P. J. Guina.....	2.50	1665
Hacker Brothers.....	3.00	1665
Independent Towel Supply Co.....	1.75	1508
A. E. Jones Co.....	81.30	1568
H. W. Johns-Manville Co..	2.00	1525
M. M. Kidney Elevator Co.	11.00	1583
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	.63	1417
James E. Mercer.....	30.75	1520
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	30.65	1557
Packard Motor Co.....	1.50	1557
Pennsylvania Electrical Repair Co.....	13.00	1583
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.....	1.70	1425
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.....	1.40	1487
Remington Typewriter Co.	2.00	1657
John Sauter Co.....	3.65	1583
Speck Marshall Co.....	8.10	1571
H. W. Swishholm.....	81.00	1516
Underwood Typewriter Co.	.75	1665
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	29.17	1579
Wappat Gear Works.....	3.25	1588
Home Defense Band.....	132.00	1520
		1783

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2436. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver deeds to Ralph D. Young for Lots Nos. 781, 782, 783 Chalfont street, Eighteenth ward, upon the payment of \$1,100.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 2437. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to L. I. Grote for Lots

Nos. 248 and 249 at the corner of Alger and Winterburn streets, Fifteenth ward, upon the payment of the sum of \$1,000.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2438. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of six (6) roadster automobiles for the Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2439. Petition of property owners for change of name of Lorenz avenue, Twentieth ward, to Argonne-Meuse avenue.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 2440. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of David Braun for \$2,080.72 for soap furnished the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals and charging same to Code Account No. 1320.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Charities and Correction.

Also

No. 2441.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 18, 1919.

To the President and

Members of Council.

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Joint Committee on City Hall-Court House Building, held this day, the following changes were recommended:

Mcs. No.	Description.	Add.	Deduct.
669	The Lamson Co., Invoice October 11, 1918, Job Order No. 3-H.....	\$47.25	
670	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co., glazing: Invoice October 24, 1918, Job Order No. 23-H..... Invoice November 18, 1918, Job Order No. 24-H.....	104.69 144.00	
671	Joseph Horne Co., Invoice October 23, 1918, Job Order No. 50-H.....	48.00	
672	Weldon & Kelly Co., Invoice November 13, 1918, cleaning and hauling rubbish.....	67.86	
673	Otis Elevator Co., Invoice November 4, 1918, Job Order No. 579.....	32.00	
674	Vermont Marble Co., Invoice November 18, 1918, Job Order No. 4-H.....	406.66	
675	Craig Electric Co.— Invoice Oct. 31, 1918, Job Order No. 32-H.....\$ Invoice Oct. 31, 1918, Job Order No. 27-H..... Invoice Oct. 31, 1918, Job Order No. 28-H..... Invoice Nov. 15, 1918, Job Order No. 29-H..... Invoice Nov. 15, 1918, Job Order No. 14-H..... Invoice Nov. 15, 1918, Job Order No. 21-H..... Invoice Nov. 18, 1918, Job Order No. 31-H..... Invoice Dec. 5, 1918, Job Order No. 945.....	94.50 62.50 74.07 160.61 107.80 330.63 73.28 53.50	

	Invoice Dec. 31, 1918, Job Order No. 918.....	3,163.29	
	Invoice Dec. 31, 1918, Job Order No. 950.....	4,969.80	
			9,089.68
676	Bailey Reflector Co., Invoice November 29, 1918, 270 feet extra trough lighting.....		459.00
677	Baker, Smith & Co., Invoice December 14, 1918, Job Order No. 17-H		47.50
678	McNulty Brothers Co., to additional premium on bond.....		928.56
679	Weldon & Kelly Co., to additional premium on bond.....		1,620.33
680	Charles Peterson Co., to additional premium on bond.....		177.91
681	Perritt Iron & Roofing Co., to additional premium on bond..		90.26
682	The Gorham Co., omission of two type "U" fixtures at \$1,000.00 each		\$2,000.00
683	Winslow Bros. Co., Invoice January 10, 1919, Job Order No. 25-H		1,390.00
684	National Fireproofing Co.— Invoice November 1, 1918.....	\$116.34	
	McNulty Bros. Co.— Invoice November 13, 1918, \$45.25; Invoice December 19, 1918, \$35.70.....	80.95	
	Chas. Peterson Co., for J. L. Stuart— Labor and sundry invoices.....	437.68	
	McKnight Hardware Co.— Invoice October 23, 1918.....	20.11	
	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. (Carrara)— Invoice December 16, 1918.....	422.36	
	Weldon & Kelly Co.— Invoice December 19, 1918.....	681.53	
	Baker-Smith Co.— Invoice January 28, 1919.....	33.28	
	Craig Electric Co.— Invoice November 15, 1918.....	\$ 87.75	
	Invoice November 15, 1918.....	30.90	
	Invoice December 31, 1918.....	16.37	
		135.02	
			1,927.27
685	Lord Electric Co., credit for slate lining of panel boxes, doors; in original contract, but not installed.....		164.86
686	Joseph Horne Co., Invoice February 17, 1919, Job Order No. 26-H		1,514.51
687	Winslow Brothers Co., 8 revolving doors, furnished by J. R. Pitcairn.....		9,000.00
688	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. (Carrara Dept.), Invoice March 7, 1919, Job Order No. 16-H.....		2,093.34
689	Otis Elevator Co., Invoice June 24, 1918, Job Order No. 851, voted in Mcs. No. 627, meeting August 5, 1918— Change Order No. 496, amount of.....	\$ 90.00	
	Corrected Invoice, June 28, 1918.....	114.42	
	Difference.....		24.42
	Installation of 3x6 vault pneumatic tube to the Sheriff's office, located on the main floor of the old Court House		832.00
		\$27,048.38	\$2,164.86
		2,164.86	
		\$25,715.52	

It is understood that one-half of the amounts stipulated will be paid by the County and the other half by the City.

The Joint Committee asks your approval of this action.

Respectfully submitted,

P. J. McARDLE,
Chairman Pro Tem.

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

That the report be accepted and approved.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Robertson** presented

No. 2442. Communication from W. M. Hoerle, asking to be reimbursed for damages to his property by reason of the improvement of Russell street, North Side.

Also

No. 2443. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to E. L. Kirby for Lot No. 58, located on Warren street, Twenty-fifth ward, upon the payment of the sum of \$200.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 2444. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Myrtle I. McKee for a lot located on Henderson street, Twenty-fifth ward, upon the payment of the sum of \$50.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2445. An Ordinance authorizing an agreement with the leaseholders of the North Side Market, providing for refund to each leaseholder as compensation for reinstalling the four lights provided by the City.

Also

No. 2446. An Ordinance granting to the Twenty-fourth Ward Draftees Association the right and privilege to construct and maintain a memorial tablet on a certain piece of ground owned by the City of Pittsburgh at the intersection of Lowry, Froman and Ley streets in commemoration of the boys who have been called into the service of the present war.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. **Winters** presented

No. 2447. An Ordinance creating the position of assistant resident physician, Department of Charities, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospital, Mayview, and fixing the salary thereof.

Also

No. 2448. An Ordinance amending Section 56, Department of Public Works, Division of Bridges of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, by adding one

(1) chief bridge inspector at eighteen hundred (\$1,800.00) dollars per annum.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2449. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James T. Aston, an inspector in the Division of Bridges, for the sum of \$58.20 for time lost on account of illness, and charging same to Code Account No. 1449, A-4, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The **Chair** presented

No. 2450.

March 24 1919.

President and Members of
City Council.

Gentlemen—I am enclosing herewith copy of a letter I received from Controller E. S. Morrow, relative to the matter of paying bills. Under this order, it will be practically impossible to comply with the conditions set up by the Controller, as in many cases we are unable to secure more than one bid on supplies which are only made by one firm. Therefore, the fulfilling to the strict letter of his orders will not be to any economy, and will, no doubt, result in hardships in many cases. I am enclosing you this letter with the idea that you may be able to do something to relieve conditions.

Yours very truly,

JOHN SWAN,
Director.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER.

March 21, 1919.

To the Directors.

Gentlemen—A grave question has arisen as to the operation of the Act of 1874 in relation to bills contracted without due process of law. From the first day of April next I shall refuse payment by resolution for the purchase of goods or for work and labor done where the legal requirements have not been complied with.

In a letter sent your departments during January, 1918, I outlined a method which I believed would be legal, but the practice has grown to such an extent that it has been carried beyond legal limits. I provided the Department of Supplies with a stamp carrying the certification needed in this office to show that the goods purchased were purchased in conformity with law.

Work for which an ordinance could and should have been passed and bids solicited, and which have amounted to

over the \$500.00 limit, have been contracted and paid by resolution. The law of 1874 does not, nor was it intended to cover, cases of this character, and I feel compelled to warn you against this violation of the law.

The Act of 1874 also provides that for all labor and material furnished there must be a contract. If you desire to carry on the present practice your only way will be to have the Charter Act amended in order to allow the privilege. A fixed price per month for the performance of work, laundry, as an instance; this work is paid by the month and in a year amounts to over the \$500.00. Therefore, it requires an ordinance authorizing the contract and directing the entering into one, showing the estimated cost for the year, in order to comply with the law, which requires me to set aside a sufficient sum for the use of the contractor.

I trust this warning will be sufficient, as I will refuse to pay bills for which there is not a proper contract. Then, instead of a resolution, the Director himself or the Bureau Superintendent issuing the order may be held liable. Kindly send out notices to your several superintendents of my intention.

Respectfully,

(Signed) E. S. MORROW,
City Controller.

Also

No. 2451.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 25, 1919.

Committee on Public Works,
City Council.

Gentlemen—Referring to Council Bill No. 2099, being a resolution that the Director of the Department of Public Works furnish Council with an estimate of the cost of widening and improving East Carson street, from South Twenty-seventh street to the City line, etc., I attach hereto a complete report on the same from Division Engineer Arthur, of the Bureau of Engineering. From Mr. Arthur's report it would seem that this would cost at least \$1,000,000.00 and, to my mind, the cost of this improvement is entirely out of proportion to the benefits that would be derived from the same.

In view of the fact that the County is only contemplating a 24-foot roadway, it would seem that if our present roadway were widened to 36 feet, by narrowing the sidewalk 3 feet on each side, it would answer fully all the purpose required and save this great amount of property damage.

Yours very truly,

JOHN SWAN,
Director.

CARSON STREET EAST

March 12, 1919.

W. E. Gelston,

Assistant Chief Engineer,
Bureau of Engineering.

Dear Sir—In reply to the attached letter relative to Council Bill No. 2099, being a request for an estimate of the cost of widening Carson street East, from South Twenty-seventh street to the City line, etc., I beg to advise that I have made a preliminary estimate of the cost of this improvement, this estimate amounts to \$881,000.00 for property taken for the widening of this street to a width of eighty (80) feet.

In order to arrive at a more accurate estimate it will be necessary to have a complete survey made of this street, showing the individual holdings and buildings, extending back one block on either side of Carson street East. The engineering forces in this division are very limited and at the present time all are engaged on very important work and should not be diverted to this, unless it is thought advisable to enter into more minute details for the estimate.

Carson street East is now opened to a width of fifty feet, between South Twenty-seventh street and the City line, is improved with a thirty-foot roadway, on which is built a double track car line, and has two ten-foot sidewalks.

From the City line eastwardly through St. Clair Borough and Baldwin Township, the County has an open thirty-three foot road, which it proposes to improve with a twenty-four foot roadway. The Railways Company has a single track car line in operation over the present road.

I believe it should be the policy of the City to secure suitable connections between the primary street system and the principal improved highways leading from the City to the principal center of population outside of the City's limits. In this particular case, however, the extension of Carson street East beyond the City line is located between the P. & L. E. R. R. on the north and the tracks of the Monongahela Division of the P. R. R. on the south. The space between the tracks of these companies is very limited, and it is doubtful if at any future date the County will be able to widen the street to a width in excess of its present thirty-three foot road.

The fifty-foot street leading to the City line will undoubtedly accommodate as much traffic as the new County road leading towards McKeesport from the City line, and street system of the City co-ordinates as well with the highway system of the County in this particular case, under present conditions, as though Carson street East were widened to a width of eighty feet to conform with this street as at present opened between

South Seventeenth and South Twenty-seventh streets.

There are no arterial streets leading into Carson street East between South Twenty-seventh street and the City line. The first artery leading off the extension of this street is at Beck's Run, which extends up into Carrick Borough.

In order to widen Carson street East it would be necessary to take property on the southerly side from South Twenty-seventh street to South Thirty-first street; thence crossing diagonally to the northern side at South Thirty-second street, and from that point to the City line widening entirely on the northerly side.

On account of the cost of this proposed improvement, together with the reasons already stated, I would suggest that the street be left at its present width, and the sidewalks narrowed, so as to give a uniform width of roadway of at least 36 feet, which would provide ample space for vehicles to pass outside of the car tracks. A slight change of grade could be made near South Thirty-fourth street.

These two changes, in connection with the repaving of the street, would, I believe, give all the advantages of the widened street. The estimated cost, as stated above, I feel certain, is low, and if worked out in detail would increase the estimate to at least \$1,000,000.00.

Very truly yours,

U. N. ARTHUR,
Division Engineer.

Also

No. 2452.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 29, 1919.

The President and Members,
City Council.

Gentlemen—Referring to Council Bill No. 2386, that the Director of the Department of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to furnish Council with an estimate of the cost of improving Baker street, from Butler street to Morningside avenue, I beg to advise as follows:

Baker street, between Butler street and Morningside avenue, is laid out to a width of sixty feet, with rates of grade varying from 5 per cent. to 8.5 per cent. The length of the improvement is 2,200 feet. The improvement, upon which the following estimate is based, contemplates paving a twenty-foot roadway and the construction of one five-foot sidewalk. The abutting property is undeveloped and very hilly and is susceptible of very limited development.

The estimated cost of grading, paving and curbing, in accordance with the foregoing dimensions, is \$100,000.00, and of this amount we estimate that 90 per

cent. of the cost, or \$90,000.00, would be assessed against the City, for the reason previously stated. The improvement, however, is general in character, and would provide a very desirable connection between Butler street and the Morningside district, and would make a valuable extension to the highway system of the City.

Yours very truly,

JOHN SWAN,
Director.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Bill No. 2326. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$174,000.00), and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount, to provide for the improvement and extension of the water system, including the purchase and installation of meters, the acquiring of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, and the acquiring of real estate, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

In Council, March 24, 1919. Bill read a first time.

Which was read a second time and agreed to.

Mr. Garland moved

"A suspension of the rule to allow the third reading and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2453. Report of the Committee on Finance for March 25, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2219. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance prescribing the form of coupon and registered bonds to be issued in conformity with an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,134,000.00 for the purpose of funding existing unfunded indebtedness of the City, consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets, and the construction of sewers, and other floating indebtedness, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon,' approved by the Mayor March 5, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2402. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at Center Avenue Police Station, corner Center avenue and Devillers street, Bureau of Police."

In Finance Committee, March 25, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1 by striking out the words "42, Item M, Contingent

Fund," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2403. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract for furnishing one (1) auto patrol wagon for the Bureau of Police."

In Finance Committee, March 25, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the words "42, Item M, Contingent Fund," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "1156, Item F, Equipment and Machinery, Bureau of Police," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—6.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2107. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Republic Rubber Company in the sum of \$343.75, for hose furnished for the Bureau of Water, chargeable to Appropriation No. 1650.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
English Robertson
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2409. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. A. R. Cabaugh in the sum of \$100.00, for the loss of personal property and personal injuries caused by fall on defective sidewalk at the intersection of Penn avenue and Collins avenue, and charging the same to Contingent Fund, No. 42.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
English Robertson
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2408. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Colonial Art Furniture Co.	\$18.00	1066
Pittsburgh Carbon Brush Co.	18.00	1620
Phillips, J. & H.	11.50	1535
Solomon, I.	119.56	1321

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Atlantic Refining Co.	21.33	1320
American Type Founders Co.	17.60	1321
Baur Brothers Co.	20.66	1745
Bunting Stamp Co.	1.85	1099
Business Furniture Co.	17.00	1026
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	3.30	1048
Derrick Publishing Co.	48.33	1063
Dyke Motor Supply Co.	17.08	1032
Edlis Co.	38.25	1811
Erie City Iron Works.	7.50	1321
Fallert, Paul	10.00	1811
Frick & Lindsay Co.	92.40	185-A
Garlock Packing Co.	65.32	1320
Garlock Packing Co.	17.66	1569
Hill, E. M.	166.55	1541
Houston Bros. Co.	2.59	1533
Knox Motor Associates.	181.27	1165
McCloskey, J. R.	5.00	1811
Manufacturers Light & Heat Co.	554.28	1320
National Process Co., Inc.	48.75	1415
Nuttall Co., R. D.	10.75	1656
Painter-Dunn Co.	33.50	1032
Penn Storage Co.	1.65	1032

Point Motor Co.....	75.27	1032
Pittsburgh Insect Exter- minating Co.....	8.40	S.T.F.
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.	11.10	1656
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.	1.25	1016
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.	.45	1025
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.	4.15	1174
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.	57.50	1321
Pyrene Manufacturing Co..	36.00	1555
Reed & Witting.....	15.00	1048
Rieck Co., Edward E.....	497.44	1224
Rieck Co., Edward E.....	65.80	1745
Rising & Radcliffe.....	5.00	1808
Seven Baker Brothers.....	154.63	1224
Sauter Co., John.....	163.50	1331
Shipley Massingham Co....	7.50	1243
Underwood Typewriter Co.	1.00	1331
Woodwell Co., Joseph.....	32.00	1165

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-
low the second and third readings and
final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended,
the resolution was read a second and
third times, and upon final passage the
ayes and noes were taken, and being
taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the
votes of Council in the affirmative, the
resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2410. Resolution au-
thorizing the issuing of a duplicate war-
rant in favor of the Eagle Lubricating
Oil Company for \$19.56, in place of war-
rant No. 13887, dated June 26, 1916, which
was lost, and charging same to Appro-
priation No. 1655.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-
low the second and third readings and
final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended,
the resolution was read a second and
third times, and upon final passage the
ayes and noes were taken, and being
taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the
votes of Council in the affirmative, the
resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2427. Resolution au-
thorizing the issuing of warrants not
to exceed in the aggregate sum of \$—
for the purpose of defraying the operat-
ing expenses of the Women's Employ-
ment Committee of the Council of Na-
tional Defense, which shall be disbursed
upon vouchers and payrolls to be ap-
proved and certified by the Mayor, and
charging the same to Appropriation
—, until such time as Congress
shall appropriate the necessary funds to
defray the expenses of said committee.

In Finance Committee, March 25, 1919.
Read and amended by inserting in the
first blank space "\$6,000.00" and in the
second blank space the words "No. 42,
Contingent Fund," and, as amended, or-
dered returned to Council with an
affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the
Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in com-
mittee and agreed to by Council, was
read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-
low the second and third readings and
final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended,
the resolution was read a second and
third times, and upon final passage the
ayes and noes were taken, and being
taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the
votes of Council in the affirmative, the
resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2391. Resolution au-
thorizing and directing the Department
of Assessors to issue an exoneration in

favor of Stewart H. Clapp and Walter H. Hawkins for property in the Twenty-first ward, used by the North Side Board of Trade as an athletic field and playground, in the sum of \$693.00 for the year 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2399. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 171-C, "Refund for Water Meters Installed by Private Parties," to Appropriation No. 171-A, "Salaries and Expenses," Bureau of Water, the sum of \$4,000.00, for the purpose of payment of engineering, mechanical and other services performed by employees of, or furnished to, the Bureau of Water, etc.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also, with a negative recommendation.

Bill No. 2395. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance suspending tem-

porarily until May, 1920, the operation of Section 42, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance to carry into effect in the City of Pittsburgh an Act for the government of cities of the second class, approved March 7, 1901, etc., etc.,' approved January 7, 1902."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2305. Resolution authorizing and directing the Department of Law to satisfy of record the lien filed at No. 132, April Term, 1919, against the property of Henry Lewis Keehn for sewer assessment on Oakdale street, in the Twenty-sixth ward and charging the costs thereon to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2454. Report of the Committee on Public Works for March 26, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 329. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Bethoven way, from Harding street to Hancock street, in the Sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, changing the name thereof to Bethoven street and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley
English
Garland
Herron (President)

McArdle
Robertson
Winters

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2153. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of Warrington avenue, from Montooth street to West Liberty avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley
English
Garland
Herron (President)

McArdle
Robertson
Winters

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2353. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for bids and to award a contract or contracts for replacing treads on the steps of the Washington street tunnel under Bigelow boulevard, and also for making certain repairs to the floor system of the Radcliffe street bridge over the Ohio

Connecting Railroad, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley
English
Garland
Herron (President)

McArdle
Robertson
Winters

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2418. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 235, entitled, 'An Ordinance widening Dakota street, from a point distant 256.68 feet eastwardly from the easterly line of Bryn Mawr road to a point distant 194.33 feet southwardly from the center line of Iowa street, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from property benefited thereby,' approved August 5, 1918."

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English Robertson
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Noes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle

Ayes—5.

Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2419. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 538, entitled, 'An Ordinance opening Dakota street, from Alpena street to the northerly line of Joseph R. Fricke's Plan of Lots, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh; fixing the width and position of the sidewalk and roadway; establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from property benefited thereby,' approved December 21, 1917."

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time, and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English Robertson
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Noes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle

Ayes—5.

Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2355. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Andrew Armhein Bros.....	\$ 7.65	1516
East End Stair Co.....	36.00	1557
I. J. Glatch.....	2.00	1525
H. Hunziker.....	20.00	1462
H. Hunziker.....	4.80	1516
Independent Towel Supply Co.....	2.75	1554
Keystone Wagon Co.....	30.00	1525
Laurel Land Co.....	105.35	1528
Lincoln Laundry Co.....	1.49	1807
L. K. Mearkle & Bros.....	206.80	1513
C. C. Mellor Co.....	16.00	1807
Miller & Woodward, Inc.....	5.50	1810
McQuillan Brothers.....	2.00	1657
National Gear Wheel Foundry.....	82.20	1557
Sigmund Paulat.....	9.40	1767
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	1.90	1404
Henry Rectanus.....	10.25	1665
Joseph Schiller.....	16.35	1516
The S. Hamilton Co.....	119.25	1810
The Humboldt Fire Insurance Co.....	34.06	1513
The Empire Laundry Co.....	3.40	1807
Wappet Gear Works.....	57.42	1557

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
English Robertson
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2406. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Elevator Equipment and Repair Company in the amount of \$809.96, for repairs to elevators at the Diamond Market, same to be paid from Appropriation No. 1583, Repairs, Diamond Market, Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2424. Resolution authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to allow the children the use of the entire East Park, east of Federal street, for playground purposes.

In Public Works Committee, March 26, 1919. Read and amended by making it read "That the said Director be authorized and directed to allow the children of the City of Pittsburgh the use of all public parks in said City for playground purposes, provided it shall not endanger other park patrons," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

That the amendment of the Public Works Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2455. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys

for March 25, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2315. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the use of streets and parks by motor trucks commonly called 'sight-seeing cars.'"

In Public Service and Surveys Committee, March 25, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1 by inserting as shown in red and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the amendment of the Public Service and Surveys Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. McArdle also presented

No. 2456. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for March 26, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2346. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalk and establishing the grade of the

south curb line of Stadium street, from Stafford street to Radcliffe street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2247. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Stafford street, from Stadium street to the first angle southwardly therefrom."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2356. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade on Bessie avenue, from Mina street to South Side avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2358. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade of Bricelyn street, from Tokio street to Wilkinsburg avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also
Bill No. 2359. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade of Race street, from North Brad-dock avenue to Brushton avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2394. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalk and establishing the grade of Middletown road, from Tyndall street to Berry street."

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2400. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on Eberhardt avenue, from Froman street to a point 193.49 feet eastwardly therefrom."

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2401. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on Froman street, from Harpster street to Eberhardt avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2092. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance changing the lines of Frankstown avenue, in the Thirteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 43.25 feet west of Tokio street to the City line, by widening certain section of the street, as laid out and opened in 'Standard Place' Plan, the 'East View Plan' and the 'Perchment Addition to Brushton Borough,' and as widened by Ordinance No. 187, approved June 26, 1901, and vacating certain other sections of the street as laid out and opened in the 'Standard Place' Plan and the 'East View Plan,' and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 1323. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance vacating that portion of Arbuckle way which is bounded on the north by the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway's right of way, and on the south by a line which is parallel with the northerly line of Lacock street, and distant one hundred twenty-four and one-half (124½) feet northwardly from the northerly line of Lacock street."

In Committee on Public Service and Surveys, February 17, 1919. Read and amended by adding a new paragraph to Section 2, as shown in red, and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

In Council, February 24, 1919. Bill read and recommitted to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

In Committee on Public Service and Surveys, February 25, 1919. Read and ordered advertised.

In Committee on Public Service and Surveys, March 26, 1919. Ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the amendments of the Public Service and Surveys Committee of February 17, 1919, be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2457. Report of the Committee on Filtration and Water for March 26, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2357. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and placing of steel filing cases in the Bureau of Water, Distribution Division."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 2458. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for March 26, 1919, transmitting two resolutions and an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2344. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Joseph H. Dye for \$27.50, for claim against the Department of Public Safety, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1158-AM.

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2389. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$175.42	1163
Mercy Hospital.....	19.43	1163
Passavant Hospital.....	8.25	1163
Duquesne Light Co.....	3.40	1163
Dayton Rubber Mfg. Co.....	4.27	1163
Iron City Spring Co.....	51.00	1166
Terheyden Co.....	9.88	1166
A. H. Johnson.....	29.00	1166
Bertram G. Case.....	73.60	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co..	11.75	1166
James Rees & Sons Co.....	7.60	1166
H. W. Johns-Manville Co..	2.20	1166
A. H. Johnson.....	5.33	1176
Allegheny General Hospital	201.90	1163

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2390. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at the Woods Run Police Station, Bureau of Police."

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were—

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2459. Whereas, The Fifteenth Engineers were among the first American troops to land upon the soil of France, shortly after the declaration of war by this Nation, and have been engaged continuously since that time, a period of almost two years now; and

Whereas, The members of Pittsburgh City Council, in session assembled, do not wish to even suggest anything that may handicap our National Government in bringing to a satisfactory settlement the great questions involved, we earnestly and respectfully express the thought that if American troops are still needed in France, those who have been so long there can be recalled and be replaced by others from this side; and

Whereas, The mothers and fathers of the boys constituting the Fifteenth Engineers have been and are willing to make any sacrifice which is necessary to secure a lasting peace, they feel that, under existing conditions, those who have been there so long should be relieved and that the regiments which were first to arrive on the battle lines and served the longest should be the first to come home; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we request the Secretary of War to hasten the return of the Fifteenth Engineers and that copies of this resolution be forwarded to Governor William C. Sproul and United States Senators Bois Penrose and P. C. Knox, with the request that they take the matter up and lend their support to this request.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. English presented

No. 2460. Whereas, The patriotic mothers and fathers of the soldiers of Pittsburgh and vicinity have borne with patience and forbearance the stress and strain of the great war; and

Whereas, Some of these noble parents are suffering keenly, owing to the uncertainty of the return of the boys who were in battle and active service with the Fifteenth Engineers and the One Hundred Eleventh Engineers and other Pittsburgh soldiers; and

Whereas, The members of Council are informed that thousands of soldiers who arrived in Europe shortly before the armistice of November 11, 1918, have already returned without having reached the front-line trenches; and

Whereas, It is difficult to explain to parents and other relatives of the early volunteers the reasons for the delay in the return of their loved ones; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the President of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh is hereby authorized and directed to appoint a committee of Council to call on the Secretary of War and other government officials and urge that the return of Pittsburgh soldiers be hastened and definite sailing dates be announced, to relieve the anxiety of the people of Pittsburgh and vicinity.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

And the Chair appointed as members of said special committee Messrs. English, Dailey, Robertson and Winters.

Also

No. 2461. Resolved, That the Council of the City of Pittsburgh hereby endorses and encourages the efforts of the County Commissioners, Messrs. Gumbert, Harris and Myer, to interest Mr. Henry Ford in this community as a location for new automobile factories; and be it further

Resolved, That Council offers to the County Commissioners the support and co-operation of the City of Pittsburgh in this effort to secure new factories for the Pittsburgh district.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2462. Whereas, House Bill

No. 923. Session of 1919, proposes to further amend the Act of June 7, 1879, and its amendments, which Act, with its amendments, now provides that three-fourths of the net amount of tax on the return of property subject to taxation for State purposes shall be returned by the State Treasurer to the County paying such tax, so that the Amended Act shall provide for the return of only one-half of such tax to the County; and

Whereas, The passage of said Amended Act will deprive the Counties of the State, more particularly the County of Allegheny, of a large proportion of their revenues; and

Whereas, It is the belief of this Council that the diverting of such tax from the Counties will necessitate the placing of an additional tax upon real estate, and thereby injuriously affect the interests of the citizens of Pittsburgh; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor and the Council of the City of Pittsburgh hereby protest against the passage of said House Bill No. 923, and that copies of this resolution be sent to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the members of the Senate and House for Allegheny County and to the said County Commissioners of Allegheny County.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair presented

No. 2463.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PA.

March 31, 1919.

President and Members
of Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I hereby nominate and appoint to service during the remainder of my term as Mayor, Charles A. O'Brien, Esq., to be City Solicitor of the City of Pittsburgh, vice Stephen Stone, resigned; said resignation became effective at 9 A. M. on Monday, March 24, 1919, as is evidenced by a copy of the resignation of Mr. Stone, dated the 22nd inst., attached hereto.

Great changes in the personnel of the Department of Law should not now take place, for I believe that the best results will be accomplished if the members thereof remain practically as at present.

While many men in the Law Department have been connected therewith for several years and the entire force has worked during my administration honestly and zealously for the best interests of our City, I am reminded of the fact

that Mr. O'Brien has rendered the City ten full years of service and during that time has devoted himself almost exclusively to the study and practice of municipal law. I, therefore, commend him to your favorable consideration.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 22, 1919.

My Dear Mayor—I hereby tender my resignation as City Solicitor of the City of Pittsburgh, the same to become effective at 9 o'clock A. M., on Monday, March 24, 1919. I set this time for the reason that shortly thereafter I contemplate being qualified as one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County—a great honor, to be appreciated by any member of the Bar.

When I became City Solicitor in January of 1918, I fully expected to serve in such capacity during your term as Mayor. The pleasant associations which I have had with you and with the other members of your cabinet and with the Council will always remain with me as a cherished recollection.

The Law Department of the City of Pittsburgh is one of the most important branches of the City government, and I have had competent and efficient assistants throughout the department, and whatever success I have had as City Solicitor I owe in a great measure to them.

I leave the City Law Department regretfully, for my relations with everyone connected therewith have been extremely cordial. While this is all true, I must state very frankly that I regret exceedingly the severing of the cordial relations existing between you, as Mayor, and me, as City Solicitor, but I hope and trust as the years roll by our friendly relations will always continue.

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) STEPHEN STONE.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Garland moved

That the appointment of Mr. Charles A. O'Brien as City Solicitor be confirmed.

Upon which motion the ayes and noes were ordered taken, agreeably to law, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
English Robertson
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Mr. Dalley moved

That the Mayor be requested, when filling the vacancy which will no doubt exist by the elevation of the First Assistant City Solicitor to City Solicitor, to consider William Jacob, Esq., who was an Assistant City Solicitor and who resigned to enter the Aviation Corps when our country entered the war against Germany; Mr. Jacob having the necessary qualifications for the position, and having recently returned with an honorable discharge from the army.

Mr. Dalley said:

"Mr. President I know it is unusual to offer this resolution, but as there will be a vacancy in the Law Department by reason of the elevation of Mr. Charles A. O'Brien to the position of City Solicitor, I think it is opportune to state that when we entered the world war Mr. Jacob, who was then an Assistant City Solicitor, enlisted in the Aviation Corps and sent his resignation to Mayor Armstrong. Mr. Jacob has returned to Pittsburgh with an honorable discharge. He is well qualified to perform the duties of an Assistant City Solicitor, so I am informed, and I believe he should be given his former position.

"I know also that the appointment will be made by the City Solicitor, but my reason for asking the Chief Executive of the City to give it his consideration is prompted by the fact that the Mayor, in an address, later published in pamphlet form, says in part: 'No man returning from the camp, or from France's bloody fields, will find his place occupied by another, so far as our efforts can control. No draft evader should be allowed to shut out the Pittsburgh boy who has bared his breast to German bullets or who has gone through the mill of the mobilization camp.' I believe this is an opportunity to place a returning soldier in a position from which he resigned. I say again this is an unusual procedure, but it is a deserving case.

"Mr. President, the majority of the members of Council know Mr. Jacob could have taken advantage of drawing half pay from the City while he was away, but he did not do it. His work in the Law Department was always satisfactory, so I am told, and, to my mind, here is an opportunity to place a soldier in a position he is capable of filling. I

do not know if Mr. Jacob is an applicant, but, as His Honor, the Mayor, is on record for giving returning soldiers preference so far as positions are concerned, the young man should at least be considered."

Upon which motion Mr. Dalley demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were ordered taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley Herron (President)
English Robertson

Noes—Messrs.

Garland Winters

When the name of Mr. Garland was called he arose and said:

"Mr. President I am opposed to the motion because I think it is a function wholly outside the Council's duty, and we are simply butting it, if I may use that expression."

When the name of Mr. McArdle was called he arose and said:

"Mr. President, for the reason that I don't believe it is a proper subject for Council to pass upon, I want to be recorded as not voting."

When the name of Mr. Winters was called he arose and said:

"Mr. President, for the reason that I think it is absolutely unwise for Council to meddle in such affairs I vote No."

Ayes—4.

Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters moved

That it is the sense of Council that we recommend to His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Solicitor for their consideration in filling the position of First Assistant City Solicitor the name of Thomas M. Benner, Esq.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"Mr. Chairman, I take the position that it is not within our power to make any recommendations to the Mayor or the City Solicitor as to whom they shall appoint for the fulfillment of jobs which are created by ordinances passed by Council. I want to make this observation, that the logical application of the theory involved in this motion would inevitably inject into Council a system which would be subservient to the interests of the City and, in my judgment, result in a constant turmoil and inefficiency. For that reason I think the motion is out of order and should be so ruled by the Chairman."

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"I agree with the gentleman and voted 'No' on the previous motion because I think we have no jurisdiction in the matter. I am not serious about this motion and believe that the motion is out of order and, therefore, I desire to withdraw the motion."

Mr. English:

"Mr. President, a mover of a motion cannot withdraw it without the consent of this body."

Mr. Garland moved

That the consent of Council be given to the maker of the motion to withdraw it.

Upon which motion Mr. English demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were ordered taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—6.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

And the motion was withdrawn.

Mr. Winters moved

That the following members be excused for absence from Council and committee meetings:

Mr. Burke on February 17, 19, 25, 28, and March 4, 10, 11, 12, 24, 28 and 26, 1919.

Mr. Dailey on February 4, 17, and March 18 and 25, 1919.

Mr. English on February 4, 10, 24, 28, and March 3, 4 and 26, 1919.

Mr. Garland on February 6, 17, and March 20, 1919.

Mr. Bauh on February 13, 18 and 28, 1919.

Mr. Robertson on February 17, and March 3 and 4, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. Garland,
Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, April 7, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Absent—Mr.
Garland

The **Chair** stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for March 31, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. **Robertson** moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for March 31, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. **Dailey** presented

No. 2464. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a quit-claim deed to R. A. Phillips, Clara A. Bubb, widow; George S. Bubb, William C. Bubb, Sarah B. Schaefer, Charles K. Brown, guardian of Edward J. Bubb III, Mildred Bubb and

George Bubb, minors, and the Peoples Savings and Trust Company, formerly Safe Deposit and Trust Company of Pittsburgh, trustee of the estate of Margaret Louise Bubb, under the will of Edward J. Bubb, Sr., for property situated at the corner of Federal street (now St. Luke's Square) and Perrysville avenue, and releasing any and all right, title, interest, claim or demand that the City of Pittsburgh may have in or to the said above-described piece of property.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2465. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for laundry work for the Department of Public Safety and its several bureaus, for the year ending December 31, 1919.

Also

No. 2466. An Ordinance providing for the letting of contracts for telephone service in the City of Pittsburgh for the year 1919.

Also

No. 2467. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 5.37	1130
Keystone Laundry Co.....	76.45	1147
Dr. N. J. Weill.....	25.00	1147
Dr. C. E. Poellot.....	5.00	1147
Consolidated Ice Co.....	50.00	1150
The Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.....	35.45	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co.....	14.22	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co.....	19.80	1150
Animal Rescue League.....	888.53	1160

Western Union Telegraph
Co. 6.00 1173
Which were severally read and referred
to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 2468. Resolution approving the lease for property on the west side of Tunnel street, having a frontage of 64.17 feet, more or less, submitted by the Peoples Savings & Trust Company of Pittsburgh, a corporation, attorney-in-fact for Elizabeth Louise McLeod Mitchell, to the City of Pittsburgh, for a term of one (1) year beginning April 1, 1919, at a total rental of \$1,200.00, payable monthly at the rate of \$100.00, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Service. Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Also

No. 2469. Resolution approving the lease for a certain yard, together with the buildings thereon, situate on the west side of Tunnel street, having a frontage of 48.18 feet, more or less, submitted by the Peoples Savings & Trust Company, a corporation, attorney-in-fact for Elizabeth Louise McLeod Mitchell, to the City of Pittsburgh, for a term of one (1) year beginning April 1, 1919, at a total rental of \$1,200.00, payable monthly at the rate of \$100.00 per month, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Service. Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2470. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$41,175.32 for the removal of 4,186.57 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 4,822.24 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$9,628.18 for the removal of 1,470.40 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 814.87 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, during the month of March, 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2471. An Ordinance amending Section 15, Department of Law of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2472. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Westinghouse Air Brake Company

Band of Wilmerding for \$28.50 for music furnished in parades of draftees leaving from Local Board for Division No. 8 of Pittsburgh, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2473. Communication from the South Beechview Board of Trade, transmitting resolution adopted by said organization asking that certain streets in the Nineteenth district of the Nineteenth ward be improved.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2474. An Ordinance regulating the installation of wires for electric light, heat, power and signals in certain classes of buildings; requiring all wires in such buildings to be made and maintained in accordance with this ordinance; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof; all with a view of preventing loss of life, limb and property.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 2475. Communication from Local Board for Division No. 5, thanking Council and the Mayor for the use of the Mount Washington Police Station to carry on the work of the Board.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. McArdle, received and filed.

Also

No. 2476. Resolution adopted at the Beechview community mass meeting, March 31, 1919, relative to the high cost of living.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. McArdle, received and filed.

Mr. Eanh presented

No. 2477. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to William Burke for Lot No. 41 located on Kansas street, Fifteenth ward, upon the payment of the sum of \$400.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 2478. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$63,749.16 from Code Account 1784-E, "Road Resurfacing," Bureau of Parks, to several code accounts in the Asphalt Plant, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, to-wit:

Appropriation 1553, Wages,	
Temporary	\$25,200.00
Appropriation 1554, Miscellaneous Services.....	6,300.00

Appropriation 1555, Supplies..... 1,000.00
 Appropriation 1556, Materials.. 31,249.16

\$63,749.16

Which were read and referred to the
 Committee on Finance

Also

No. 2479. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Allegheny Repair Co.....	\$ 93.56	1563
Allegheny Repair Co.....	52.65	1575
Allegheny Repair Co.....	116.18	1591
John F. Brunner Co.....	3.48	1591
R. Doyle.....	18.50	1516
Jas. T. Fox.....	3.65	1725
D. Hastings.....	3.00	1775
Independent Towel Supply Co.....	2.50	1508
Keystone Laundry Co.....	2.72	1800
M. M. Kidney Elevator Co.....	6.85	1583
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	1.50	1417
William Morath.....	8.50	1516
James A. McKenna.....	161.46	1583
James A. McKenna.....	12.95	1591
James A. McKenna.....	22.35	1599
James A. McKenna.....	277.42	1622
Otis Elevator Co.....	12.00	1583
Penn Storage & Battery Co.....	23.35	1557
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.....	1.50	1425
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Machine Co.....	146.20	1525
Rising & Radcliffe.....	13.00	1432
Profit Sharing Laundry Co.....	114.00	1568
Ross Valve Manufacturing Co.....	3.90	1665
Royal Typewriter Co.....	1.10	1406
Royal Typewriter Co.....	1.10	1425
Special Electric Service Co.....	24.15	1520
H. W. Swisshelm.....	194.00	1516
The Erickson Co.....	.35	1404
Union Transfer Co.....	4.50	1772

Also

No. 2480. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Hillside street and private property of Robert T. Reineman et al, from a point about 40 feet west of Wallace street to the existing sewer on Wadsworth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the
 Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2481. Communication from the North Side Board of Trade, asking that the owners of the property known as the "Salt Works Grounds" be exonerated from the payment of taxes for the year 1916.

Which was read and referred to the
 Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2482. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Maple avenue, from Burgess street to the south line of August H. Lauman's Plan, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2483. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Harbor street, Hetzel street, Asylum street, Bader street, Admiral street, Fall way and private property, from Miles way to the existing sewer on Flrth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the
 Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2484. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John F. Casey Company for \$2,505.59 for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at pumping stations during the months of February and March, 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 1653, "Wages, Temporary," Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read and referred to the
 Committee on Filtration and Water.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2485: An Ordinance amending a portion of Section 43 of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance to carry into effect in the City of Pittsburgh an Act of Assembly entitled, 'An Act for the government of cities of the second class,' approved the 7th day of March, 1901; referring to the qualifications and appointments of the City Recorder; establishing the Departments of Public Safety Public Works, Collector of Delinquent Taxes, Assessors, City Treasurer, City Controller, Law, Charities and Correction, and Sinking Fund Commission; creating and fixing bureaus and the titles thereof, and subordinate officers and offices; prescribing the mode of their election or appointment; defining the duties and powers of such; fixing the amount of bonds to be given, and allot-

ting the various bureaus and other officers to the proper departments," approved by the City Recorder, January 7, 1902.

Also

No. 2486. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$4,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Appropriation No. 1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police, for the purpose of payment for repairs at the Center Avenue Police Station, corner Center avenue and Devilliers street.

Also

No. 2487. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$3,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, to Appropriation No. 1156, Item F, Equipment and Machinery, Bureau of Police, for the purpose of payment of one auto patrol wagon for the Bureau of Police.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2488. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Sidney street, from a point about 10 feet northwest of South Twenty-fifth street to the existing sewer on South Twenty-fourth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2489. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Fuller Co., R. I.....	\$ 8.50	1406-B
Houston Brothers Co.....	2.80	1533
Kennedy Co., D. J.....	28.23	1533
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.	22.00	1656

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Business Furniture Co....	26.00	1026
Cole Co., R. C.....	7.00	1084
Continental Motors Corporation	137.17	1556
Dravo-Doyle Co., The.....	724.00	187-A

Elliott Co., B. K.....	22.40	1412
Everready Flower Pot Cover Co.....	42.75	1716
Follansbee Brothers Co..	1.50	1655
Hall Mammoth Incubator Co., The.....	571.00	1323
Hyde & Co.....	576.00	185-A
Kaufmann's "The Big Store"	10.98	1305
Lange Motor Truck Co....	2.25	1656
Mulford Co., H. K.....	22.65	1206
Mott Iron Works, J. L....	4.20	1132
Morrow, David L.....	5.50	1504
National Valve & Manufacturing Co.....	97.7.	1656
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.....	116.0.	1165
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	7.80	1664
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.....	34.7.	1168
Phillips, J. & H.....	3.00	1656
Penn Storage Battery Co.....	37.3	1164
Remington Typewriter Co.....	121.50	1026
Stewart Produce Service Co.....	3.50	1656
Smith & Co., Elmer D....	16.3	1716
Scientific Materials Co..	3.9	1648
Taylor Instrument Co....	14.90	1655
United Presbyterian Board of Publication.....	8.60	1808
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	126.00	1134
United States Rubber Co.....	46.4	1655
Volkwein Bros.....	1.	1811Woo
Woodwell Co., Joseph.....	2.50	1165

Also

No. 2490. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$57,155.56 from Appropriation No. 1662-B, Miscellaneous Service, Bureau of Water, to Appropriation No. 1342-B, Miscellaneous Service, Board of Water Assessors.

Also

No. 2491. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration of water rent on property of J. H. Conner, 3300 and 3302 Cargill street, Sixth ward, for the year 1918, in the sum of \$146.46.

Also

No. 2492. Resolution directing the City Solicitor to satisfy the lien filed at D. T. D. No. 753, September Term 1911, against the property of Catherine W. Webbe (or Webb), and charging the costs of record to the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 2493. Resolution authorizing the execution and delivery of a deed to Ann Davies for a lot in the Fifteenth yard 25x100 feet on Lydia street, between Gertrude and Alma streets, upon

payment by her to the City of the debt, interest and cost and any taxes that may be unpaid against said property.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The **Chair** presented

No. 2494.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY
CONTROLLER.

Pittsburgh, April 7, 1919.

To the Council.

Gentlemen—After April 1 all City advertising must be done under orders issued by the City Controller and printed strictly in accordance with law. The law will be found in Article XV of the City Charter, which prescribes the manner and method. The legal papers are the Post, Sun and Leader.

The only exceptions to this ruling are those ordered by the Courts.

Respectfully,

E. S. MORROW,
City Controller.

Also

No. 2495.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Pittsburgh, April 3, 1919.

Mr. John S. Herron

President of Council.

Dear Sir—The Denny Estate, through their representative, Mr. Cree, have tendered us the use of vacant property held by them on Liberty avenue, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets. These grounds could be laid out to make a perfectly good baseball field, as I understand this property has been used for baseball purposes for a number of seasons. They offer us a lease on this property for the exoneration of taxes.

I am submitting this proposition to you to ascertain your desire in this matter.

Yours very truly,

JOHN SWAN,
Director.

Also

No. 2496. Communication from Robert G. Blackham, offering \$1,250.00 for property known as Lots 248 and 249 Alger and Winterburn streets.

Also

No. 2497. Communication from Page Bros. & Company, offering \$4,500.00 for the property known as the Garfield Pumping Station property, at the corner of Pacific avenue and Dearborn street.

Also

No. 2498. Communication from the Chamber of Commerce, transmitting

copy of report of the transit committee regarding rapid transit in the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 2499. Communication from M. G. Livingston, secretary and treasurer, Hunt and Penn Armories, asking the City to exonerate the Emerson street armory and the Penn avenue armory from the payment of water rents for the year 1918.

Also

No. 2500. Communication from Attorney William E. Minor, asking that a deed be executed and delivered to Miss Manifold for lots on Bell avenue, which were bought in by the City at Sheriff's sale.

Also

No. 2501. Resolution giving permission to the Fifteenth Ward Patriotic Association to erect an honor roll tablet on Engine House No. 13, corner of Second avenue and Glen Caladh street, providing it conforms to the architecture of the building and the plans are submitted to and approved by the City Architect.

Also

No. 2502. Report of the Department of Public Health, transmitting comparative report showing removal of garbage and rubbish during the month of March, 1919, and the month of March, 1918.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2503. Communication from the North Side Board of Trade, asking Council's assistance in having the American Locomotive Company keep its plant in the Manchester district in operation.

Which was read, received and filed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. **English** presented

No. 2504. Report of the Committee on Finance for April 1, 1919, transmitting sundry resolutions and an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2392. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Line 7, Section 17, Department of Assessors of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved by the Mayor January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Rauh McArdle
Dailey Burke
English Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2285. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Thomas L. Pfarr in the sum of \$307.50, being one-half of expenses incurred by reason of injuries sustained on November 4, 1916, while in the discharge of his duties as Fire Marshal at the Arbuckle fire, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Rauh McArdle
Dailey Burke
English Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2397. Whereas, The following accounts were contracted without solicitation of competitive bids by the Division of Motor Vehicles as shown below; and

Whereas, The repairs were performed

and the moneys therefore are honestly due the creditor to the amount shown; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following named firms for the respective amounts hereinafter named, to-wit:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Electric Motor Repairs Co.	\$ 33.5	1033
Iron City Spring Co.	69.5	1033
Liberty Brazing & Welding Co.	209.50	1033
Otis Elevator Co.	174.5	1033
The Pruyn Co.	82.5	1033
The Security Co.	156.5	1033
C. L. Sullivan Co.	65.00	1033

Total.....\$791.00

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dailey Rauh
English Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2433. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Axwell Equipment Co.	\$ 5.04	1165
Axwell Equipment Co.	10.00	1168
Atlantic Refining Co.	5.11	1320
Atlantic Refining Co.	18.11	1523
Atlantic Refining Co.	2.28	1555

Alexander Bros. Co., Inc.	19.80	1148
Bockstoce, E. Wolz	7.50	1215
Bursner, J. M.	80.00	1165
Bunting Stamp Co.	11.50	1550
Bunting Stamp Co.	1.50	1016
Brahm Co., A. L.	97.94	1224
Brahm Co., A. L.	215.64	1232
Bearings Service Co.	3.91	1032
Baur Bros. Bakery (Ward Baking Co.)	32.32	1148
Cunningham, M. E.	.75	1331
Crosby Steam Gage & Valve Co.	8.14	1655
Colvin-Atwell Co.	3.25	1320
Chain Belt Co.	45.33	1556
Dayton Tire & Rubber Co.	404.57	1165
Dayton Tire & Rubber Co.	404.57	1165
Equitable Gas Co.	2.40	1519
Elliott Co., B. K.	5.00	1148
Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.	315.05	1165
Feick Bros. Co.	4.50	1218
Feick Bros. Co.	48.85	1236
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.	2.67	1016
Houston Bros.	33.36	1533
Heeren Bros. & Co.	5.00	1156
Iron City Electric Co.	20.54	1031
Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.	10.97	1570
Knapp Bros. Co.	1.85	1320
Knock, Henry	41.34	1320
Kaufmann's "The Big Store"	8.98	1811
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.	96.00	185-A
Ludebuehl & Son, F.	390.00	1320
Pittsburgh Printing Co.	5.65	1506
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	23.00	183
Pittsburgh Paint Co.	56.75	1165
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	19.75	1433
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	1.08	1415
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.	9.55	1656
Pittsburgh Foundry & Machine Co.	125.54	1664
Pittsburgh Electrical & Machine Works	1.25	1663
Pittsburgh Desk & Chair Co.	66.67	1022
Pittsburgh Block & Mfg. Co.	24.75	1664
Polk & Co., R. L.	12.00	1086
Phillips, J. & H.	.60	1655
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.	18.35	1656
Reed & Witting	4.00	1048
Robbins Electric Co.	27.34	1164
Stewart Speedometer Service Station	10.50	1032
Sterling Equipment & Supply Co.	146.96	1320
Standard Scale & Supply Co.	1.35	1331
Standard Motor Car Co.	16.50	1032
Spitzer Printing Co.	19.00	1148
Spalding & Brother, A. G.	60.21	1811
Smith & Co., Elmer D.	27.65	1707
Slentz Manufacturing Co.	19.50	1321
Slentz Manufacturing Co.	2.25	1331
Shore, William, Jr.	2.07	1550
Service Co., The	2.25	1031
Service Co., The	2.25	1655

Scott Co., I. W.	22.40	1320
Woodwell Co., Joseph	6.50	1330
Williams Art Shop, C. L.	30.00	1611
Weldin Co., J. R.	1.50	1048

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2443. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lot No. 58 on Warren street, Twenty-fifth ward, to E. L. Kirby upon the payment to the City of Pittsburgh of the sum of \$200.00.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2412. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Patrick McInerney in the sum of \$141.28 for the year 1917, and the sum of \$64.00 for the first quarter of 1918 on property at 231 Soho street and the sum of \$14.98 for the first quarter of

1918 on property at 318 Soho street, Fifth ward.

In Finance Committee, April 1, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the words "In the sum of \$141.28 for the year 1917, and the sum of \$64.00 for the first quarter of 1918 on property at 231 Soho street, and the sum of \$14.98 for the first quarter of 1918 on property at 318 Soho street, Fifth ward," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words, "as follows: that \$61.64 be allowed for charge of year 1916; that \$73.14 be allowed for year 1917; that \$34.74 be allowed for charge of first quarter of 1918, this being 50 per cent. of charge made for these periods," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also, with a negative recommendation.

Bill No. 1245. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration for water rent charged to the St. Paul's A. M. E. Church, 1091 Brownsville avenue, for the years 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916 and 1917, amounting to \$70.56, and for so doing this shall be their sufficient authority.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2434. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the National Supply Company in the sum of \$72.00, in payment of 6,000 used paving brick taken from Venette street (which street has been vacated) by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, the same to be payable from and chargeable to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2505. Report of the Committee on Public Works for April 1, 1917, transmitting several resolutions and ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2438. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of six (6) roadster automobiles for the Bureau of Highways and Sewers."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2446. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting to the Twenty-fourth Ward Drafts' Association the right and privilege to construct and maintain a memorial tablet on a

certain piece of ground owned by the City of Pittsburgh at the intersection of Lowry, Froman and Ley streets, in commemoration of the boys who have been called into the service of the present war."

In Public Works Committee, April 1, 1919. Read and amended in Section 2 by inserting in two places the words "and the Art Commission," as shown in red and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

That the amendments of the Public Works Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dalley Rauh
English Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2354. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mannella Construction Company for the sum of \$50.00 for extra work done on the contract for making certain repairs to the roadway of the California avenue bridge, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, 1918.

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended,

the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dalley Rauh
English Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2435. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
A. B. C. Engineering Co.....	\$ 52.50	1557
Allegheny Garbage Co.....	160.23	1588
P. F. Bartley.....	34.50	1583
W. S. Brown.....	1.25	1665
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.	6.10	1525
Business Office Furniture Co.	4.75	1640
R. W. Deisroth.....	6.00	1722
B. H. Frazier.....	1.00	1665
James T. Fox.....	1.50	1725
John Gehb Co.....	10.00	1599
John Gehb Co.....	356.35	1602
P. J. Guina.....	2.50	1665
Lacker Brothers	3.00	1665
Independent Towel Supply Co.	1.75	1508
A. E. Jones Co.....	81.30	1568
H. W. Johns-Manville Co.	2.00	1525
M. M. Kidney Elevator Co.	11.00	1583
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	.63	1417
James E. Mercer.....	30.75	1520
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	30.65	1557
Packard Motor Co.....	1.50	1557
Pennsylvania Electrical Repair Co.....	13.00	1583
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.....	1.70	1425
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.....	1.40	1487
Remington Typewriter Co.	2.00	1657
John Sauter Co.....	3.65	1583
Speck Marshall Co.....	8.10	1571
H. W. Swishholm.....	81.00	1516
Underwood Typewriter Co.	.75	1665
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.	29.17	1568 1579 1588
Wappat Gear Works.....	3.25	1520
Home Defense Band.....	132.00	1783

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2449. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James T. Aston for the sum of \$58.20, for time lost during his illness while serving as an inspector in the Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, and charging same to Code Account No. 1449, A-4, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2506. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for April 1, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2428. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the

furnishing of five (5) triple combination motor pumping engines; two (2) 75-foot aerial trucks (motor driven) and one (1) combination hose and chemical wagon (motor driven) for the Bureau of Fire."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And the question recurring, "shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 2507. Report of the Committee on Health and Sanitation for April 1, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2432. Whereas, The following bills for material and repairs were contracted by the Department of Public Health without competitive bids and, consequently, can be paid only by authority of a resolution passed by Council, in conformity with the Act of 1874; and

Whereas, Said material and repairs were furnished, accepted and used by the City; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of firms and persons in payment of claims listed below, and charge amounts to the appropriation items as shown in said list:

Name.	Amount.	Appropriation
Keystone Typewriter Service Co., repairs	\$ 5.50	1197

Scientific Materials Com-		
pany, repairs	3.50	1217
A. H. Johnson, repairs	4.95	1217
William McNabb, repairs	35.00	1217
Bernard Gloekler Company,		
repairs	3.75	1226
Bernard Gloekler Company,		
repairs	13.08	1235
The Mayer Wagon Com-		
pany, repairs	10.00	1226
Which was read.		

Mr. **Bauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—2.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. **Dalley** moved

To reconsider the vote by which the Minutes of March 31, 1919, were this day approved.

Which motion prevailed.

And the question recurring, "Shall the Minutes of March 31, 1919, be approved?"

The motion did not prevail.

Mr. **Dalley** moved

That his remarks relative to the appointment of Mr. Jacob as Assistant City Solicitor be inserted in the said Minutes.

Which motion prevailed.

The **Chair** stated

That the Minutes would lay over until the next meeting of Council.

Mr. **Robertson** presented

No. 2508. Whereas, We are advised that the Secretary of War has renewed his peremptory order to the County Commissioners of Allegheny County for the raising of the Federal street, the Seventh street, and other bridges across the Allegheny river, and we, the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, are desirous of recording our earnest and strenuous objection to the execution of said order at the present time; we join with the County Commissioners in their

statement of protest and heartily concur in reasons given by them for the inexpediency and hardship on this whole community of the contemplated action of the government in the premises. The enormous cost of this project under present conditions, as compared to what it would be in normal times, is of itself sufficient reason, we firmly believe, for postponement of this action.

The supposed benefit to navigation at this point, to result from the raising of these bridges is in no way and in no sense a justifiable reason for the excessive burden to which the County of Allegheny and the City of Pittsburgh will be put if the Secretary's order is to be peremptorily carried out; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Council sincerely and earnestly urge that the said order be rescinded until such time as the same may be carried out without imposing and exacting hardships on the community.

Which was read.

Mr. **Robertson** moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Bauh** moved

That a copy of the resolution be submitted to the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce.

Upon which motion Mr. **Burke** demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were ordered taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Rauh
Dalley	Winters

Noes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Herron (President)	Robertson

Ayes—4.

Noes—4.

And there not being a majority of the votes in the affirmative, the motion did not prevail.

Mr. **English** moved

To reconsider the vote by which the resolution was adopted.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. **McArdle** presented

No. 2509. Whereas, House Bill No. 117 is now pending in the Legislature, which bill is intended so to amend Section 4 of the Act of 1913, creating the Public Service Commission, as to confer discretionary power on the Commission in the matter of suspending increased rates by public service companies upon hearing, etc.; and

Whereas, We deem this amendment to the existing law as of vital importance

to the people of this community. Ever since the enactment of our Public Service Commission law there has been arbitrary and abusive action upon the part of the Pittsburgh Railways Company in the matter of increased fares, and the rebate system adopted and put into effect by said company is troublesome and burdensome and results in a considerable injustice to the public, from whom unreasonable exactions have been made; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Council and the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh do earnestly endorse and recommend the passage of said amending Act by the Honorable, the House and Senate of Pennsylvania.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2510. Whereas, Representations have been made to the Mayor and to the Chamber of Commerce by the North Side Board of Trade that there is an imminent danger of the closing down of the plant of the American Locomotive Company, located in the Manchester district; and

Whereas, The American Locomotive Company owns and operates other large locomotive plants in other parts of the United States; and

Whereas, Pittsburgh and its environs through its railroad and large industrial plants, are large users of the products of the American Locomotive Company and require, at their hands, large amount of repair work on locomotives owned and operated by them; and

Whereas, The Pittsburgh district was, in the interest of the successful conduct of the war, almost completely transformed to the production of war material; and

Whereas, The discontinuance of the war has brought to Pittsburgh a serious problem of readjustment to a peace-time basis, the solution of which will require the fullest co-operation of all agencies; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Council hereby requests the officials of the American Locomotive Company to favorably consider the continued operation of that plant, at least until such times as industrial and commercial conditions have become more stabilized and Pittsburgh has had an opportunity of putting itself upon a peace-time basis.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the Clerk be instructed to transmit a copy of the resolutions to the proper persons.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair presented

No. 2511. Whereas, The ordinance granting the Pittsburgh Junction Railroad Company a right of way from the Monongahela river to the Allegheny river, with a branch along the Allegheny river, approved November 30, 1881, provides that said company shall use as fuel in its locomotives coke or some other non-smoke producing fuel; and

Whereas, During the war, owing to the scarcity of fuel, the company has been using bituminous coal as fuel in its locomotives; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the proper authorities of the City of Pittsburgh be and are hereby requested to enforce the provisions of the ordinance of November 30, 1881, requiring said Pittsburgh Junction Railroad Company to use coke as fuel in its locomotives.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2512. An Ordinance amending certain portions of Sections 53 and 58, Division of Surveys, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2513. An Ordinance amending parts of Section 1 and Section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating all public performances of moving picture exhibitions; prescribing and defining the arrangements and precautions in buildings, rooms, enclosures or hall in which such exhibitions are given; defining fully the equipment, size, covering, flooring, windows, doors, ventilation, wiring, of all operating booths connected with said exhibitions; licensing of said exhibitions, and providing fines and penalties for violation hereof," insofar as the same relate to seating capacity and exit requirements, approved 9th day of June, 1910.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

And, on motion of Mr. Winters,

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, April 14, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

The Chair stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meetings of Council for March 31 and April 7, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the minutes of the meetings of Council for March 31 and April 7, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 2514. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$300.00 from Code Account No. 1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1153, Item E Repairs, Mount Washington Police Station, Bureau of Police.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2515. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Swope street and way, from Ravenna street to Alder street, and providing that the costs damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2516. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Homer E. Crooks, City detective, for \$320.00, for expenses incurred by reason of injuries received while on duty, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1147.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2517. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Andrew Armhein Brother.	\$ 34 90	1516
Henry Bosau	1.00	1725
Callus Electric Co.	1.50	1810
Andrew Engel	59 15	1516
Dr. A. B. Ferguson	7.55	1810
B. H. Frazier	37 05	1516
B. H. Frazier	2.00	1525
John F. Friend Co.	4.50	1810
A. Gradner	5.00	1810
Hacker Bros.	14.80	1516
Hiland Automobile Co.	138.90	1810
H. Hunziker	111.00	1525
H. Hunziker	96.00	1516
Kuhn Mutchler Co.	5.55	1810
Laurel Land Co.	135 45	1528
Mayer Wagon Co.	30.50	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.	34.75	1525

C. C. Mellor Co.....	16.00	1807
Moore Bros.....	4.50	1701
Mutual Laundry Co.....	5.13	1807
Painter Dunn Co.....	2.00	1657
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	104.50	1557
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.....	3.00	1487
George Purdy.....	13.45	1516
Rosedale Foundry & Ma- chine Co.....	169.01	1657
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	19.75	1516
	2.50	1525
A. L. Slack.....	10.00	1807
The Empire Laundry Co....	6.63	1807
Underwood Typewriter Co.	6.00	1406-A

Also

No. 2518. An Ordinance repealing that portion of Ordinance No. 160 Series 1916, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for repaving certain avenues, streets and ways, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved May 2, 1916, which pertains to Preble avenue, from Eckert street to a point near Superior avenue viaduct, estimated cost \$12,700.00.

Also

No. 2519. An Ordinance repealing that portion of Ordinance No. 213, Series 1917, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for repaving certain avenues, streets and ways, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof" approved May 19, 1917, which pertains to Butler street, from main entrance to Allegheny cemetery to Stanton avenue, estimated cost \$15,000.00.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. English presented

No. 2520. Communication from the West End Board of Trade, regarding the Saw Mill Run boulevard.

Also

No. 2521. Communication from S. Horner Wood, asking the City to exempt the property of the Denny Estate, being part of the Saw Mill Run plan, located on Woodville, McKnight and Wabash streets, Twentieth ward, from taxation for the year 1919 and as long as it is used as a baseball field and playground by the boys of the Twentieth ward.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance

Also

No. 2522. Petition of property owners and residents of the Twentieth ward, asking for change of incandescent

lamp to that of an arc lamp at the corner of Narcissus and Glasgow streets.

Also

No. 2523. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Stadium street, from Stafford street to Radcliffe street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2524. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety to execute a lease with Mrs. Anna B. Lowrie, executrix of the estate of Martha Schmidt, deceased, for property situated at No. 133 Steuben street, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, for the period of one year beginning March 1, 1919, for police station house purposes.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2525. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Atlantic Refining Co.....	\$ 24.45	1320
Bailey-Farrell Mfg. Co....	14.75	1558
Chain Belt Co.....	226.09	1556
Chatfield & Woods Co....	7.79	1056
Chatfield & Woods Co....	1.72	1201
Childs & Co., H. L.....	165.00	1655
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	1.10	1403
Cunningham Co., M. E....	.77	1418
Elmer & Amend.....	10.00	1804
Elliott & Co., B. K.....	1.10	1423
Fairbanks Co. The.....	8.75	1139
Feick Bros. Co.....	8.00	1236
Gulf Refining Co.....	1.25	1164
Hill Top Lumber Co.....	152.71	1037
Hukill-Hunter Co.....	5.50	1684
Johnston & Co., Wm. G....	1.20	1100-M
Johns-Manville Co., H. W.	5.77	1165
Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.....	14.52	1570
Kurtz, Langbein & Swartz.....	1.20	1451
Motor Tire Repair & Supply Co.....	7.40	1236
Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co.....	103.40	1647

Pittsburgh Auto Equipment Co.	24.00	1165
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.	46.59	185-A
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	2.25	1224
Point Motor Co.	14.90	1032
Robbins Electric Co.	14.55	1165
Speck-Marshall Co.	45.50	1600
Standard Sanitary Mfg. Co.	36.00	1149
Standard Sanitary Mfg. Co.	6.13	1165
Walters, Charles W.	52.00	1746
Weaver Specialty Co.	4.80	1164
West Co., The	28.00	1256
Winton Co.	.91	1165
Workmaster, E. L.	1.00	1647

Also

No. 2526. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of each and every employee in the Department of City Treasurer for the amount of overtime each worked at the rate of 62 cents an hour for a period of 138 hours, preparing and properly handling the work of the collection of taxes for the year 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 1061-A-2, Salaries, Temporary Employees.

Also

No. 2527. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for water used at the armory located at 6757 Penn avenue in the sum of \$160.26, and at the armory located at Emerson street in the sum of \$209.48 for the year 1918.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2528. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading and paving of Azimuth way, from Bryant street to Mildred way, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2529. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to make a lease with Jennie P. A. Sullivan for certain property on Frazier street Fourth ward, and fixing the rental thereof.

Also

No. 2530. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a lease with Sawders & Fulton, Inc., for the use of a certain

piece of property belonging to the City of Pittsburgh, being 60x117 feet, fronting on the West Penn Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, adjacent to the 60-inch Montrose rising main in Sharpsburg, and bounded by properties now or late of Charles H. Walters, Boggs Jones Co., Ltd., and Christopher Lang, for the term of one year at the rental of \$— annually, together with the option of releasing same for a period of three years.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2531. An Ordinance opening and naming Tulsa street, in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Bedford avenue to White street, establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2532. An Ordinance granting to the Eastern Railroad Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use two additional overhead crossings over Hazelwood avenue, subject to the terms and conditions of this ordinance.

Also

No. 2533. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and re-establishing the grade of Perchment street, from Blackadore street to Standard avenue.

Also

No. 2534. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Singer street, from Tokio street to McKee street.

Also

No. 2535. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Stoneville street, from Perchment street to the City line.

Also

No. 2536. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and re-establishing the grade of Standard avenue, from Franks-town avenue to the City line.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 2537. An Ordinance amending Section 1 of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for concrete floor and other repairs at the Mount Washington Police Station, corner of

Virginia avenue and Shiloh street," approved March 19, A. D. 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 30, page 234.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2538. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to J. Grupp for property belonging to the City of Pittsburgh at the corner of Pacific avenue and Dearborn street, known as the "Garfield Pumping Station property," upon the payment into the City treasury of the sum of \$5,025.00.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2539. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of Blackhawk street, from Pocono street to the City line, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2540. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Commercial street, from Blackhawk street to Whipple street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2541. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of Homestead street from Nevada street to Pocono street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2542. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of Pocono street, from Whipple street to the City line, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2543. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of Whipple street, from Goodman street to the City line, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2544. An Ordinance amending Section 87, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Light, Line 1, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, by changing the rate of pay of trimmers from \$4.35 each per day to C. U. W.

Also

No. 2545. Resolution releasing and discharging C. B. Bratt from the payment of assessments against his property on Flora street, Twentieth ward, for the construction of a sewer connecting with a general sewer system, and authorizing the proper officers of the City to make such entries upon their books as are necessary to show that the assessments have been released and exonerated, and authorizing the Law Department to agree to the striking off of said assessments, on the hearing of any exceptions filed by the owner for that purpose.

Also

No. 2546. Resolution authorizing and directing the Department of Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of Stewart H. Clapp and Walter H. Hawkins for property in the Twenty-first ward, used by the North Side Board of Trade as an athletic field and playground, in the sum of \$557.50 for the year 1916.

Also

No. 2547. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed in proper form, to be approved by the City Solicitor to Mary Anna Kitchen and Sarah Jane Kitchen, of the Borough of Millvale, releasing and quit-claiming unto said parties, daughters and successors in title to said Thomas Kitchen, their heirs and assigns, any interest the City of Pittsburgh has as successor to the City of Allegheny in lots numbered 37 and 38 in Block No. 11, plan of lots laid out by the Directors of the Poor of Allegheny City, situate in the Borough of Millvale.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2548. Communication from R. Z. Joseph, offering \$2,500.00 for 34 lots on Bigelow boulevard, near Kirkpatrick street.

Also

No. 2549. An Ordinance creating and establishing a division in the Bureau of Engineering under the control

and direction of the Director of the Department of Public Works, to be known as the "Division of Parks and Playgrounds," providing for and fixing the number of employees and the rate of compensation thereof.

Also

No. 2550. An Ordinance amending Line 4, Section 55, Department of Public Works, Division of Design, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2551. Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer certain sums, amounting in the aggregate to \$25,040.68, from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, and to credit same to other code accounts in the Bureau of Engineering, to-wit:

To	
Code Account No. 1429, A-1,	
Salaries, Regular Employees,	
Division of Surveys.....	\$ 3,120.00
Code Account No. 1428, A-1,	
Salaries, Regular Employees,	
Division of Design.....	2,360.00
Code Account No. 1444, A-1,	
Salaries, Regular Employees,	
Division of Parks and Play-	
grounds	5 600.00
Code Account No. 1449, A-4,	
Wages, Temporary Em-	
ployees, Division of Bridges..	850.00
Code Account No. 1470, A-1,	
Salaries, Regular Employees,	
Division of Sewers.....	2,340.00
Code Account No. 1471, A-4,	
Wages, Temporary Em-	
ployees, Division of Sewers....	3,400.00
Code Account No. 1482, A-1,	
Salaries Regular Employees,	
Division of Streets.....	3,120.00
Code Account No. 1483, A-4,	
Wages, Temporary Em-	
ployees, Division of Streets....	4,250.00

Total.....\$25,040.00

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2552. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Sidney street, from South Twenty-fourth street to South Twenty-fifth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expensess of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The Chair presented

No. 2553.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

April 8, 1919.

Finance Committee,
City Council.

Gentlemen—Pursuant to your request of March 18, relative to Council Bill No. 2388, that I prepare an itemized list of bond improvements as suggested by the various boards of trade I attach hereto a list of the same.

The list as submitted to me contained certain improvement items which have already been included in the program previously considered by Council, and those items do not appear in the attached schedule; in other words, the schedule attached hereto is for additional bond issue improvements in excess of what was submitted to Council by His Honor, the Mayor, on February 1, 1919. The list also contained various items which were not properly items for bond issue. These were eliminated for that reason.

Yours very truly,

JOHN SWAN,
Director.

SPRING HILL BOARD OF TRADE:

- (1) Highway bridge over East street, from Charles street to Geyer road (entire cost)\$ 450,000.00
- (2) Acquisition of property for playgrounds adjoining school house on Hetzel street and Robinson road.. 20,000.00

HONORABLE JOHN M. GOEHRING:

- (3) Widening Bigelow boulevard, from Tunnel street to Grant street, from 50 to 70 feet..... 350,000.00
- (4) Acquisition of property bounded by Grant street, Sixth avenue and Bigelow boulevard, for a memorial for dead soldiers..... 125,000.00

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS BOARD OF TRADE:

- (5) Widening, opening and improving Arlington avenue, from South Twenty-seventh street to Clover street 150,000.00

WEST END BOARD OF TRADE:

- (6) Acquisition of property, parking and construction of a boulevard in Saw Mill Run valley, including the relocation and improvement of the channel of Saw Mill Run..... 2,000,000.00

**CIVIC CLUB OF ALLEGHENY
COUNTY:**

(7) Construction of six (6) comfort stations	150,000.00
(8) Construction of public bath houses for negroes in the Hill district.....	70,000.00

GREENFIELD BOARD OF TRADE:

(9) Acquisition of property for the construction of a playground in ravine bounded by Wheatland street, Greenfield avenue and the boulevard.....	30,000.00
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EAST END BUSINESS MEN'S ASSOCIATION:

(10) Reconstruction of highway bridges on Penn, Shady and Highland avenues over the Pennsylvania railroad.....	330,000.00
(11) Opening and straightening Center avenue at Penn avenue.....	450,000.00
(12) Opening and widening Broad street, from Negley avenue to Frankstown avenue	700,000.00

NORTH SIDE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE:

(13) Construction of a highway tunnel connecting Spring Garden Borough with East Ohio street.....	450,000.00
(14) Improvement and enlargement of Lake Elizabeth in West Park.....	95,000.00

HAZELWOOD BOARD OF TRADE:

(15) Improvement of a new thoroughfare above and parallel to Second avenue, from Greenfield avenue to Hazelwood avenue, including the elimination of grade crossings.....	350,000.00
(16) Highway bridge from Flowers avenue, connecting Hazelwood and Glenwood avenues.....	250,000.00

TROY HILL BOARD OF TRADE:

(17) Widening of Gardener street, from Troy Hill road to Lowrie street.....	10,000.00
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Total.....\$ 5,580,000.00

Also

No. 2554. Communication from Dr. R. V. Pitcairn, submitting offer for property owned by the City at the corner of Reedsdale street and Galveston avenue, North Side.

Also

No. 2555. Communication from the Oakland Board of Trade, transmit-

ting resolution requesting Council to include in the proposed bond issue a sufficient sum of money to cover the cost of opening Louisa street, Fourth ward, from Atwood street to Boquet street.

Also

No. 2556. Communication from W. E. Gelston, secretary of the City Planning Commission, to L. B. Reefried, in which it is stated that the City Planning Commission has no jurisdiction in the matter of the construction of the bridge over the East street valley.

Also

No. 2557. Communication from Federation of Civic Bodies of the North Side, asking that the re-routing and through routing of street cars be given a fair trial before either an elevated system or a subway is built.

Also

No. 2558. Communication from E. K. Morse, Transit Commissioner, in relation to a law to condemn and purchase street car systems, and asking the Council to approve of the enactment of such legislation at Harrisburg.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2559. Petition of residents and property owners on Tyndal street, Twentieth ward, asking for the opening of the 15-foot alley in the rear of their properties running from Middletown road.

Also

No. 2560. Communication from board of trustees of the First Presbyterian Church of Lawrenceville, protesting against the opening of Bandera street, from Thirty-eighth street to Thirty-ninth street.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2561.

UNITED STATES SENATE.

Washington, April 9, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,
Office of the City Clerk
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—Referring to recent correspondence concerning Bill No. 2459, being a resolution adopted by the City Council on March 31, concerning the hastening of the return of the Fifteenth Engineers, I enclose herewith a communication from Major General P. C. Harris, the adjutant general, which explains the situation.

The matter of the return of the Fifteenth Engineers has also been taken up with General Pershing in an effort to expedite their return.

When the enclosure has served your purpose, kindly return for my files.

Yours sincerely,

BOIES PENROSE.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

Washington, April 5, 1919.

Hon. Boies Penrose,
United States Senate.

My Dear Senator—I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of April 4, relative to the probable date of return of the Fifteenth Engineers.

The records of this office show that this organization has been assigned to early convoy, but no advices have been received as to the exact date of sailing. You are assured, however, that the War Department is making every effort to bring back the army from France as rapidly as the exigencies of the military situation will permit and as ocean transportation becomes available.

It is regretted that more definite information cannot be given you in this matter, but the return of personnel now with the American Expeditionary Forces is regulated by the commanding general of those forces.

The enclosures received with your letter are herewith returned as per your request.

Very respectfully,

P. C. HARRIS,
The Adjutant General.

Which was read, received and filed.

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, at this moment I have just received the following telegram from Congressman Guy E. Campbell, which might be of interest to Council. The councilmanic committee has arranged to get this information just as soon as possible from General March:

"W. Y. English,
Council Chamber,
City-County Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Chief of staff says Sixteenth Engineers sailed Saturday, but Fifteenth has not sailed to date. Will wire upon receipt of this information.

GUY E. CAMPBELL,
M. C."

Also

No. 2562.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

Washington, April 9, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,
City Clerk,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—I am directed by the Secretary of War to acknowledge receipt of your communication of April 2, 1919, enclosing a copy of resolutions adopted by the Council of the City of Pittsburgh requesting that the Fifteenth Engineers be returned from France at an early date, and to advise you that a cablegram lately received from overseas states that this regiment will sail from France between the 5th and 10th of this month.

It is the intention, shortly after the arrival of the Fifteenth Engineers in the United States, to have it stop in Pittsburgh for reception, en route to its demobilization camp, which, at this time, is believed to be Camp Sherman, Ohio.

Very truly yours,

P. C. HARRIS,
The Adjutant General.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

No. 2563.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

April 8, 1919.

To the Honorable,
The Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—Pursuant to the terms and provisions of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the salaries of the Director of the Department of Public Safety, of the Director of the Department of Public Works and of the City Solicitor at eight thousand (\$8,000.00) dollars per annum each on and after the first Monday of January, 1914, approved December 2, 1913," I send you herewith assignment of docket fees to the City of Pittsburgh, duly executed. I have also sent copies to the Mayor and the City Controller.

Respectfully yours,

CHARLES A. O'BRIEN,
City Solicitor.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. Dailey, received and filed.

Also

No. 2564.

ASSIGNMENT OF DOCKET FEES TO
THE CITY OF PITTSBURGH BY
THE CITY SOLICITOR.

Whereas, An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the salaries of the Di-

rector of the Department of Public Safety, of the Director of the Department of Public Works and of the City Solicitor at eight thousand (\$8,000.00) dollars per annum each, on and after the first Monday of January, 1914," was approved December 2, 1913; and

Whereas, The undersigned has qualified and been appointed City Solicitor of the City of Pittsburgh; now, therefore,

In accordance with the provisions of said ordinance, I hereby agree to and do assign to the City of Pittsburgh all docket fees, or other compensation other than the said salary which may come to me, or be received by me as City Solicitor of the City of Pittsburgh, and particularly all docket fees which may accrue subsequent to March 31, 1919, in any case in which the City of Pittsburgh is a party and which, by virtue of any Act of Assembly or otherwise, would belong to me as attorney or as solicitor for the City of Pittsburgh.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto attached my hand and seal this 8th day of April, A. D. 1919.

CHARLES A. O'BRIEN.

Witness:

S. K. BENNETT.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the agreement be approved and made part of the Record.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

2565.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, April 14, 1919.

President and Members
of Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—February 1, 1919, 73 days ago, after most careful study on my part and careful work and co-operation on the part of the Department of Public Works, I submitted to you a list of much-needed public improvements to be financed by a people's bond issue.

This list embodied the best thought and study of the Pittsburgh Planning Commission who, immediately after the signing of the armistice, November 11 last, took up an intensive study of the subject. The members of the Planning Commission personally visited the location of the proposed improvements and carefully inspected same. At a later date I submitted an additional item, being a downtown subway loop, at an estimated cost of \$6,000,000.00.

I now deem it my duty to reiterate that I am earnestly and devoutly inter-

ested in these improvements and favor them and am constrained to say now that I feel we are losing too much time in bringing the matter to a head. In fact, owing to the conditions we are in, I feel that further procrastination is little short of criminal.

Unemployed labor in our midst is daily increasing. The National Government is urging commonwealths and municipalities to proceed with public work as fast as possible. The new State administration is setting the right kind of a pace, showing the world how to do things. Let us follow their example.

The legislative process necessary to submit this proposition to the people is slow and cumbersome, but should be started and proceed forthwith and not allowed to lag.

This communication is not destined to scold or find fault, but to call your attention anew to the fact that unnecessary time is elapsing, which should not be the case. We should follow up this proposition and submit it to the people with all due diligence and haste, and I hereby urge you to do so.

I will not be able for a few days to be at work in the Mayor's office, but will be glad to see members of Council at my residence at any time to discuss this or other important business.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. Raub moved

That the communication from the Mayor be received and filed and that Council, sitting as the Finance Committee, set Thursday, April 17, 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M., as the time to commence the consideration of the items for the proposed bond issue, and should the members decide conferences with the Mayor are necessary, the time of the conferences can be arranged at this meeting.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2566.

City of Pittsburgh, Pa.,

April 10, 1919.

President and Members
of Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I return to you herewith, without my approval, Bill No. 329, "An Ordinance widening Bethoven way, from Harding street to Hancock street, in the Sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, etc." for the following reasons:

From information obtained from reliable sources and from the advices of

officials in the Department of Public Works, I am not convinced that there is a real public demand for this improvement at the present time. Its location and character are such that the larger part of the cost would necessarily fall upon the City and would amount to approximately \$40,000.00. Other expenditures in connection with this change would bring the total outlay up to \$50,000.00.

At present prices of labor and material I deem it unwise to take up any public improvements that cannot be classed as absolutely necessary, or, at least, present undertakings in the way of street improvements should be confined to those for which there is great need and a large public demand.

Furthermore, in respect to this improvement, the Bureau of Engineering does not consider the grade satisfactory, nor in harmony with the grades of adjacent streets.

For these reasons I cannot concur in this legislation.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

And

Bill No. 329. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Bethoven way, from Harding street to Hancock street, in the Sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, changing the name thereof to Bethoven street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

In Council, March 31, 1919. Rule suspended, bill read three times and finally passed by a three-fourths vote.

Was read.

Mr. English moved

That the communication and ordinance be laid over for one week and that a copy of the communication be furnished each member of Council.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2567.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 10, 1919.

President and Members
of Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I return you herewith, without my approval, Bill No. 2418, an ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 235, entitled, "An Ordinance widening Dakota street from a point distant 256.68 feet eastwardly from the easterly line of

Bryn Mawr road to a point distant 194.33 feet southwardly from the center line of Iowa street, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh," etc., for the following reasons:

No reasons are recited in this repealing ordinance for the action taken. The ordinance was submitted to Council, I am advised, without consultation with or approval of the Department of Public Works and interferes with the well-considered plan of public improvements of the said department. In my judgment, when the Council has passed a public improvement ordinance submitted or fully approved by the Director of Public Works, the same should not be repealed without advising and consulting with the said department and thoroughly considering the subject of repeal of such ordinance from all sides. In this case the director advises me that he was not consulted in the matter of the repeal and states that he does not favor the same.

Furthermore, I am advised that, owing to bad sewage conditions at this point, which are now practically a menace to the public health, that unless this improvement is carried out as planned in the original ordinance, it will become necessary to construct a temporary sewer to meet present demands at a cost of possibly \$6,000.00, which will eventually be a total loss to the City, as there will be therefor no sources of assessment.

In view of these facts, I do not feel that I should approve this legislation.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

And

Bill No. 2418. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 235, entitled 'An Ordinance widening Dakota street, from a point distant 256.68 feet eastwardly from the easterly line of Bryn Mawr road to a point distant 194.33 feet southwardly from the center line of Iowa street, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from property benefited thereby,' approved August 5, 1918."

In Council, March 31, 1919. Rule suspended, bill read three times and finally passed.

Was read.

Mr. English moved

That the communication and ordinance be laid over for one week and

that a copy of the communication be furnished each member of Council.
Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2568.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 10, 1919.

President and Members
of Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I return to you herewith, without my approval, Bill No. 2419, an ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 538, entitled, "An Ordinance opening Dakota street, from Alpena street to the northerly line of Joseph R. Fricke's Plan of Lots, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, fixing the width and position of the sidewalk and roadway, establishing the grade thereof," etc., for the following reasons, to-wit:

That the same was hasty and ill-considered legislation, passed without consultation with the Department of Public Works, as set forth more fully in my veto of Bill No. 2418.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

And

Bill No. 2419. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 538, entitled, 'An Ordinance opening Dakota street, from Alpena street to the northerly line of Joseph R. Fricke's Plan of Lots, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh; fixing the width and position of the sidewalk and roadway; establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from property benefited thereby,' approved December 21, 1917."

In Council, March 31, 1919. Rule suspended, bill read three times and finally passed.

Was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the communication and ordinance be laid over for one week and that a copy of the communication be furnished each member of Council.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2569.

City of Pittsburgh, Pa.,

April 11, 1919.

President and Members
of Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I herewith return, without

my approval, Bill No. 2424, authorizing East Park North Side, to be converted into a playground and directing the use of all public parks in the City for playground purposes.

I believe I am in sympathy with the sentiment that prompted Council to pass this resolution; that is, that our parks be used more freely by the children for play purposes, and that they be maintained less for ornamental purposes, and that not only the children but everybody derive more pleasure and comfort out of the parks by more general free use of them. At least I am in full accord with such a plan and shall strive to bring about such results.

This resolution is so loosely drawn that you could drive a team of horses through it. For instance, as I read it, the little breathing spot known as Friendship Park, in front of West Penn Hospital, would be immediately diverted into a children's playground, which is surely not desired by anybody.

While I cannot approve this resolution, I desire that the great mass of our people shall enjoy our parks to the full extreme and that the old signs, "Keep Off the Grass," be removed and new signs, "This Is Your Grass, Enjoy It," replace them. In doing this, however, we must preserve the beautiful and oft-times rare flowers, trees and shrubbery that we have been years and years producing. In other words, we must use our parks and not misuse them.

The North Side is badly in need of grounds devoted to playground purposes, and I shall be pleased to see some movement made along the line of securing same.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. Dailey, received and filed.

And

Bill No. 2424. Resolution authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to allow the children of the City of Pittsburgh the use of all public parks in said City for playground purposes, provided it shall not endanger other park patrons.

In Council, March 31, 1919. Read and committee amendments agreed to, rule suspended, read three times and finally passed.

Was read.

And on the question, "Shall the resolution become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?"

Mr. Burke arose and said:

"Mr. President and Members of Council, there is no man more in sympathy

with the idea of allowing children to use the parks of Pittsburgh for recreation purposes than I am, but I want to call your attention to a few things that have come under my observation within the past few days. Only today, when I was on my way over to town, I walked through the parks and I saw seven boys roller skating in the parks, and these boys, through carelessness, would tear up the grass and ground for two or three inches. Another incident occurred when I was going through the park on another occasion. The young boy in my employ at the farm accompanied me, and when we were going through the park we met three boys who whistled to the young man with me, and I asked him who they were, and he said they were boys who broke away from the home at Warrendale. These boys sort of made a rendezvous out of the park, and if this resolution becomes a law these boys would have mingled with the other children in their games and probably done some mischief.

"The resolution does not provide for rules and regulations in the parks; and if there are no rules governing, the children will simply take possession of the park and do what they please. They will have no regard for the trees, shrubbery and flowers. If ball games are played there is always more or less danger of some one being injured.

"I am for the parks being used by the women and children of the city. If more ball grounds are needed, let us put them where they will do the least injury; for instance, set aside a section in the lower end of West Park.

"The former City of Allegheny tried the experiment of allowing the children of the city to use the parks. On account of the excessive damage to trees and other things the practice was stopped.

"I am fearful that the same condition will result if this resolution is put into law. The trees, shrubbery and flowers in the parks will be injured and destroyed if the ground is allowed to be used without any restrictions or regulations.

"If the larger and older boys are allowed to use the parks the small children will be prevented from using them. I say I am opposed to the passage of this resolution, but I will be for an ordinance which will set apart a portion of the park for recreation purposes or provide a day or days each week for use of all the parks. I want to see the women and children enjoy themselves in the parks, but I believe under this resolution, where no restrictions are placed upon the use to which the parks are to be put, the beauty of the parks will be destroyed."

Mr. Robertson arose and said:

"Mr. President, for the reasons given

by Mr. Burke for being opposed to the passage of the resolution, more so should I be for the resolution. He said three boys broke away from the home at Warrendale. Why were these boys committed to this institution? Because they had no place to play and were allowed to sow their wild oats in somebody's back yard or in places where no one could see them. The boys of the North Side are not any worse than the boys of any other district; but if they are not permitted to play in the open, where everybody can see them, they are more or less liable to mischief. One of the objectors to allowing the use of the parks to children came to me and said that he allowed the boys of the district to use his back yard for garden purposes, but instead of the boys making use of the plot for the raising of vegetables and eatables, they made use of the ground for other purposes. They got so bad that he had to restrict them from using the property. They broke his windows. They were concealed in that yard, and nobody knew what they were doing. My purpose is to allow them to play out in the open, where everybody can see them. When children are exposed to view they will not commit crimes.

"If we allow the children to use the parks as playgrounds it will prevent them from being run down on the streets (where they are now compelled to play) by the fast-moving automobile and motor truck vehicles. I believe, too, that they will be better off in the parks than any other place.

"Nobody knows better than Senator Burke that the boy is not as bad out in the open as he would be in some back yard, where nobody can see him.

"The reason no restrictions or regulations were prescribed in the resolution is for the reason that the Director of the Department of Public Works will have jurisdiction of this function, and it will be up to him to make rules and regulations governing these parks. I have confidence in the Director of Public Works that he will see to it that the trees shrubbery and flower beds in the parks will not be destroyed, and that he will set aside special places where the children can play. I don't believe we should wantonly allow the children to use every spot in the park for play purposes. I don't want the children to break down the trees or destroy the flowers. If they do, I believe we have sufficient patrolmen over there to prevent it. Some of the policemen who are sitting around and doing nothing could be used in these parks as watchmen. They do it in other cities; also in River-view Park, Schenley Park and Highland Park, and no one hears of the children destroying the flowers in these parks.

"I believe the children will use and not misuse the parks. The Twenty-third

ward is one of the most thickly populated wards in Pittsburgh, and we should afford every opportunity to these children to prevent them from playing on the streets. I don't think the Mayor understands the matter."

Mr. **Burke** arose and said:

"Mr. President, Councilman Robertson and I are not so far apart on this matter. I fully agree with him, and when I was a boy I loved to play ball and play on the grass.

"Mr. President, there is no question in my mind but that the parks of the City should be open to the people for comfort, for rest and enjoyment.

"During the warm summer months the freedom of the parks to the tired mothers and the little children is a godsend. Stifled by the City's heat, the parks afford a great majority of them the only relief obtainable.

"Our park on the North Side is truly the park of the working people, and is also the pride of the people on the North Side. We want it for the use of the people; we want its beauty kept up; its trees, shrubbery and flower beds taken care of, in order that the enjoyment of the parks may be greater. Unsightly places are seldom attractive, and when repulsive to view, are usually deserted.

"In my opinion it is not good policy to throw open the parks in their entirety for playgrounds. Good judgment should be used in this matter. I believe some restriction should be made, and some part of the parks set aside for playground purposes. We know, for instance, that a group of boys playing ball or any other games are usually so enthusiastic in their games as to be negligent or careless of the rights of others who may be around, some perhaps sitting on the park benches for rest or comfort.

"Recreation for the aged usually takes the form of quietly sitting on the park benches, chatting over past events; mothers securing their enjoyment by seeking shady spots and watching the little tots playing around.

"When parks are open for the public good and for the protection of all and the enjoyment of the greatest number, they serve their purpose, and serve it well.

"As it is my belief that greater good can be accomplished by setting aside a part or parts of the parks for playground purposes, leaving the rest of the park for the enjoyment and benefit of those who find comfort, rest and quiet, I must vote to sustain the Mayor's veto."

Mr. **McArdle** arose and said:

"Mr. President, I think the opposition to this bill is predicated upon a wrong

notion of what the bill is or what it will be after it becomes effective.

"We have, perhaps, appropriated nearly a million dollars for the purchase of playgrounds and recreation centers, and, in addition to that we have converted a great deal more to the same use, which were formerly small parks or property taken on tax liens and in every one of them there is necessity for regulation, even if they are small playgrounds. They are presumed to be there for the benefit of the boy. The Department of Public Works does not take it that a boy is allowed to go in there and do anything he wants. The only thing involved in this is simply a slight change in the policy of the department in the operation of its parks to allow a freer latitude to the children who may make use of it for play purposes; and if the department would not permit in the operation of its playgrounds or recreation centers, boys or patrons of the ground to so conduct themselves as to menace the safety of other patrons of the neighborhood, why they are expected to do the very same thing under this resolution after it passes.

"The Mayor raises the objection about Friendship Park. It seems ridiculous to me that it is presumed by the Mayor or anyone else that we are going to turn Friendship Park into a playground. It is governed already by the rules that govern any neighborhood which surrounds a hospital; and if it is possible to keep the children that live in and around the hospital and Friendship Park within the rules laid down by the department, the same protection will be afforded after the passage of this resolution. The reasons advanced by the Mayor as applying to Friendship Park adjacent to the West Penn Hospital should be no reason why this whole project should be attacked. I don't think the interest of anyone is in danger.

"The measure in time, as the author has explained, will be an element to benefit the boys who are to profit by it, assuming, of course, that the department which will have jurisdiction over them will administer the functions in sympathy with the purposes of the resolution, just as if they were playgrounds bought for that purpose. If the boys in that neighborhood can be controlled, I don't see why they cannot be controlled in the parks. There is lesser danger of them doing evil in the parks, where God's sun is shining upon them and where everybody can see them, than in the dark alleys and by-ways of the City. In the parks the boys and children can spend their energy in constructive play and where their minds can be trained to think of good things. We are now changing our course of thinking more of the grass than the children to that of more of the children and less of the grass."

And the question recurring, "Shall the resolution become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?" The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.

Burke

When the name of Mr. Winters was called, he arose and said:

"Mr. President, the subject to which the parks would be used under the provisions of this resolution was thoroughly discussed prior to the passage of the bill; and, if I recall rightly, the original thought was to allow the women and children in these neighborhoods to take advantage of the green spots in the Allegheny Parks and not in any sense to play baseball or activities of that kind. As I recall it, not even an opportunity is given to do so on those grounds if the boys wanted to do so, because of the trees and shrubbery. That was discussed at the time, and it was the thought of Council that if such things were attempted, it was the duty of the employees of the Department of Public Works in charge of those parks or police department to stop any games that would have a tendency to injure life or property of any person, or mar the pleasure of the women and children.

"We have purchased and set aside the property known as parks for more purposes than merely for people to look at; they have been purchased for the people to use them. I have in mind the statement of the Mayor that the "Keep Off the Grass" signs in the parks should be removed, and I heard different members of Council express themselves on this subject several times, and I think it would be well to try this proposition out; and if the privileges are abused and the abuses continue to such an extent that those in authority cannot stop them, then it will be the duty of Council to rescind its action.

"I believe that all of the objections made by the Mayor can be overcome by sane, sensible and reasonable supervision by those in authority, and that these breathing spots could be enjoyed by those who have little opportunity to get into the country, the outlying districts of the City or in the big parks of the City; and for these various reasons I am for the bill, and will vote for it, notwithstanding the veto of the Mayor."

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the

resolution became a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor.

Mr. English moved

That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to furnish the Committee on Public Works, by Wednesday of this week, a report giving the names of the officials that gave the Mayor the information he says he received on the Bethoven street ordinance, and also the names of the officials and engineers in the Department of Public Works who prepared the ordinance and submitted it as a proper ordinance for Council to enact into a law.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle moved

To reconsider the vote by which Bill No. 2566 (communication from the Mayor) and Bill No. 329 (ordinance widening Bethoven street) were laid over for one week and copies to be furnished each member of Council.

Which motion prevailed.

And the question recurring, "Shall the communication and ordinance laid over for one week and copies furnished each member of Council?"

The motion did not prevail.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"Mr. President, my reason for making that motion is to clear the record—to get the ordinance back here and to allow the Chair to declare that there is no action to be taken on the bill by Council."

And

Bill No. 2566.

City of Pittsburgh, Pa.,

April 10, 1919.

President and Members
of Council of the

City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I return to you herewith, without my approval Bill No. 329, "An Ordinance widening Bethoven way, from Harding street to Hancock street, in the Sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, etc.," for the following reasons:

From information obtained from reliable sources and from the advices of officials in the Department of Public Works, I am not convinced that there is a real public demand for this improvement at the present time. Its location and character are such that the larger part of the cost would necessarily fall upon the City and would amount to approximately \$40,000.00. Other expenditures in connection with this change would bring the total outlay up to \$50,000.00.

At present prices of labor and material I deem it unwise to take up any

public improvements that cannot be classed as absolutely necessary, or, at least, present undertakings in the way of street improvements should be confined to those for which there is great need and a large public demand.

Furthermore, in respect to this improvement, the Bureau of Engineering does not consider the grade satisfactory, nor in harmony with the grades of adjacent streets.

For these reasons I cannot concur in this legislation.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Was read and, on motion of Mr. McArdle, received and filed.

And

Bill No. 329. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Bethoven way, from Harding street to Hancock street, in the Sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh; changing the name thereof to Bethoven street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Was read.

And the ordinance, having been returned by the Mayor without his approval, fails to become a law, under the provisions of the Act of May 22, 1895, which requires that all improvement ordinances under the provisions of said Act be passed by a three-fourths vote of the members of Council and shall be approved by the Mayor.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2570. Report of the Committee on Finance for April 8, 1919, transmitting an ordinance and several resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2111. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending certain portions of Sections 53, 57 and 58, Division of Surveys, Bureau of Engineering, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And the question recurring, "shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2265. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Duquesne Light Company in the amount of \$386.80, for light furnished at Schenley Oval for soldiers' camp, and charging same to Contingent Fund, Code Account No. 42.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2268. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. A. H. West for \$200.00, in payment of all damages on account of injuries received by falling into a hole at Shakespeare street and Shady avenue, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42. Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2472. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the Westinghouse Air Brake Company Band, of Wilmerding, for services to local board of Zone No. 8, Pittsburgh, in sending selective men into the service of the United States, and charging to Appropriation No. 42:

For services on July 22, 1918.....	\$110.50
For services on July 31, 1918.....	119.00
For services on August 29, 1918.....	119.00

\$348.50

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2489. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by

the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Fuller Co., R. I.....	\$ 8.50	1406-B
Houston Brothers Co.....	2.80	1533
Kennedy Co., D. J.....	28.23	1533
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.	22.00	1656

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Business Furniture Co....	26.00	1026
Cole Co., R. C.....	7.00	1084
Continental Motors Corporation	137.17	1556
Dravo-Doyle Co., The.....	724.00	187-A
Elliott Co., B. K.....	22.40	1412
Eveready Flower Pot Cover Co.....	42.75	1716
Follansbee Brothers Co..	1.50	1655
Hall Mammoth Incubator Co., The.....	571.00	1323
Hyde & Co.....	576.00	185-A
Kaufmann's "The Big Store"	10.98	1305
Lange Motor Truck Co....	2.29	1656
Mulford Co., H. K.....	22.65	1206
Mott Iron Works J. L....	4.20	1132
Morrow, David L.....	5.50	1504
National Valve & Manufacturing Co.....	97.75	1656
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.	116.00	1165
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.	7.80	1664
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.....	34.75	1168
Phillips, J. & H.....	3.00	1656
Penn Storage Battery Co.	37.38	1164
Remington Typewriter Co.	121.50	1026
Stewart Produce Service Co.	3.50	1656
Smith & Co., Elmer D....	16.35	1716
Scientific Materials Co..	3.90	1648
Taylor Instrument Co....	14.96	1655
United Presbyterian Board of Publication....	8.64	1808
Underwood Typewriter Co.	126.06	1134
United States Rubber Co.	46.43	1655
Volkwein Bros.	.15	1811Woo
Woodwell Co., Joseph....	2.50	1165

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2478. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$63,749.16 from Code Account 1784-E, "Road Resurfacing," Bureau of Parks, to several code accounts in the Asphalt Plant, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, to-wit:

Appropriation 1553, Wages, Temporary	\$25,200.00
Appropriation 1554, Miscellaneous Services	6,300.00
Appropriation 1555, Supplies	1,000.00
Appropriation 1556, Materials	31,249.16
	\$63,749.16

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2486. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Appropriation No. 1150, Item E, Repairs Bureau of Police, the sum of \$4,000.00, for the purpose of payment for repairs at the Center Avenue Police Station, corner Center avenue and Devilliers street.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2490. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 1662-B, Miscellaneous Service, Bureau of Water, the balance in said fund, viz: \$57,155.56, to Appropriation No. 1342-B, Miscellaneous Service, Board of Water Assessors, for the purpose of equalizing the cost of water in the district furnished by the South Pittsburgh Water Company.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2491. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration of water rent on property of J. H. Conner, 3300 and 3302 Cargill street, Sixth ward, for the year 1918, in the sum of \$146.46.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2492. Resolution authorizing the execution and delivery of a deed to Ann Davies, on payment by her to the City of the debt, interest and cost, and any taxes that may be unpaid against it, for lot in the Fifteenth ward, 25x100 feet, on Lydia street, between Gertrude and Alma streets, being lot No. 46 in Schenley Park Land Company Plan.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2487. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Appropriation No. 1156, Item F, Equipment and Machinery, Bureau of Police, the sum of \$3,000.00 for the purpose of payment of one auto patrol wagon for the Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also, with a negative recommendation.

Bill No. 2392. Resolution authorizing the Department of Assessors to issue an exoneration to Mrs. Anna R. Trace for the amount of taxes on Lots 11, 12, 13 and 14, and also to issue an exoneration to John T. Birch for the amount of taxes on Lot No. 15 in the Birch Plan of Lots, Nineteenth ward, located on Hallock street, for the period of three years, commencing with the year 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2571. Report of the Committee on Public Works for April 8, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2468. Resolution approving the lease for property on the west side of Tunnel street, having a frontage of 64.17 feet, more or less, submitted by the Peoples Savings & Trust Company of Pittsburgh, a corporation, attorney-in-fact for Elizabeth Louise McLeod Mitchell, to the City of Pittsburgh, for a term of one (1) year beginning April 1, 1919, at a total rental of \$1,200.00, payable monthly at the rate of \$100.00, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Service Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2469. Resolution approving the lease for a certain yard, together with the buildings thereon, situate on the west side of Tunnel street, having a frontage of 48.18 feet, more or less, submitted by the Peoples Savings & Trust Company, a corporation, attorney-in-fact for Elizabeth Louise McLeod Mitchell, to the City of Pittsburgh, for a term of one (1) year beginning April 1, 1919, at a total rental of \$1,200.00, payable monthly at the rate of \$100.00 per month, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Service Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2479. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in

payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Allegheny Repair Co.....	\$ 93.56	1563
Allegheny Repair Co.....	52.95	1575
Allegheny Repair Co.....	116.08	1591
John F. Brunner Co.....	3.08	1591
R. Doyle	18.50	1516
Jas. T. Fox.....	3.25	1725
D. Hastings	3.90	1775
Independent Towel Supply Co.....	2.50	1508
Keystone Laundry Co.....	2.42	1800
M. M. Kidney Elevator Co.....	6.85	1583
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	1.50	1417
William Morath	8.50	1516
James A. McKenna.....	161.46	1583
James A. McKenna.....	12.05	1591
James A. McKenna.....	22.45	1599
James A. McKenna.....	277.02	1622
Otis Elevator Co.....	12.00	1583
Penn Storage & Battery Co.....	23.45	1557
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.....	1.50	1425
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Machine Co.....	146.20	1525
Rising & Radcliffe.....	15.00	1432
Profit Sharing Laundry Co.....	11.00	1568
Ross Valve Manufacturing Co.....	3.00	1665
Royal Typewriter Co.....	1.10	1406
Royal Typewriter Co.....	1.10	1425
Special Electric Service Co.....	21.15	1520
H. W. Swisshelm.....	191.00	1516
The Erickson Co.....	1.35	1404
Union Transfer Co.....	4.50	1772

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2480. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and

directing the construction of a public sewer on Hillside street and private property of Robert T. Reineman et al. from a point about 40 feet west of Wallace street to the existing sewer on Wadsworth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2483. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Harbor street, Hetzel street, Asylum street, Bader street, Admiral street, Fall way and private property, from Miles way to the existing sewer on Fifth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Rauh	McArdle
Dailey	Burke
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2488. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Sidney street, from a point about 10 feet northwest of South Twenty-fifth street to the existing sewer on South Twenty-fourth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1252. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Andover terrace, from Bryn Mawr road to Alpena street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
Herron (President)	

Noes—Messrs.

English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Ayes—5.

Noes—4.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2572. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for April 8, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2351. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the National Casket Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a switch siding on Mumford street in the Twenty-first ward, City of Pittsburgh; said track to extend from the Pittsburgh and Western Division of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad to a point 65 feet south of the southeast building line of Reedsdale street, a distance of approximately 485 6 lineal feet, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., to the buildings of the National Casket Company situated on Mumford street at Reedsdale street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2573. Report of the Committee on Filtration and Water for April 8, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2484. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John F. Casey Company for \$2,505.59, for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at pumping stations during the months of February and March, 1919, and charging same to Account No. 1653, "Wages, Temporary," Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2574. Report of the Committee on Health and Sanitation for April 8, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2470. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$41,175.32 for the removal of 4,186.57 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 4,822.24 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$9,628.18 for the removal of 1,470.40 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 814.87 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health, the tonnage rates set forth in this resolution being the rates as established by the contractors for the period ending December 31, 1918.

Which was read.

Mr Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2575. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for April 8, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2465. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for laundry work for the Department of Public Safety and its several bureaus, for the year ending December 31, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2466. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of contracts for telephone service in the City of Pittsburgh for the year 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2467. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Appropriation	
	Amount.	No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 5.37	1130
Keystone Laundry Co.....	76.45	1147
Dr. N. J. Weill.....	25.00	1147
Dr. C. E. Poellot.....	5.00	1147
Consolidated Ice Co.....	50.00	1150
The Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.....	35.45	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros. Type-writer Co.....	14.22	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros. Type-writer Co.....	19.80	1150
Animal Rescue League.....	888.53	1160
Western Union Telegraph Co.....	6.00	1173

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2474. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the installation of wires for electric light, heat, power and signals in certain classes of buildings; requiring all wires in such buildings to be made and maintained in accordance with this ordinance; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof; all with a view of preventing loss of life, limb and property."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Public Safety.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair presented

No. 2576. Communication from the Building Code Committee, submitting objections to Bill No. 2474, "An Ordinance regulating the installation of wires for electric light, heat, power and signals in certain buildings."

Also

No. 2577. Communication from the Board of Fire Underwriters, submitting objections to Bill No. 2474, "An Ordinance regulating the installation of wires for electric light, heat, power and signals in certain buildings."

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2578. Whereas, It has been called to Council's attention by certain citizens that the children will destroy trees and shrubbery and act in a manner that may cause danger to younger children; and

Whereas, In the opinion of Council, this will not be necessary under proper supervision; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be requested to direct the Director of the Department of Public Works to set aside certain portions of each park for play purposes and to have the same properly supervised and regulated; provided, that no park in close proximity to a hospital be so used.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2579. Whereas, A bill has been introduced into the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, known as Bill No. 408, entitled, "An Act creating additional subjects of taxation in cities of the second class by subjecting all real estate situated in cities of the second class and owned or possessed by any public service or quasi public corporation to taxation for city and school purposes the same as other real estate in said cities, and defining the term 'real estate' as used herein," and

Whereas, Said bill will correct certain defects in the law relative to cities of the second class and subject to taxation therein, for city and school purposes, important class of property, which are not taxed at the present time for said purposes, and for the purpose of securing additional revenue for the cities of the second class and equalizing taxation therein, said bill should become a law; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Council of the City of Pittsburgh that the Legislature of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is urgently requested to pass said bill, and the Governor of the Commonwealth is urgently requested to approve the same.

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

The adoption of the resolution
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Burke** moved

That the Clerk of Council send a copy of the resolution to the Governor and to each member of the Senate and the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2580. Whereas, A bill has been introduced into the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania known as Bill No. 727 entitled, "An Act to amend an Act approved the seventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (Pamphlet Laws six hundred and seventy-two) entitled, 'An Act relating to and regulating motor vehicles and vehicles trailing after or propelled by motor vehicles, controlling their speed upon the public streets and highways in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, providing for their registration and licensing of certain operators by the State Highway Department, prohibiting the operation of any motor vehicle by any person when intoxicated or without the consent of the owner, forbidding the passage of any law laying a tax upon or requiring the registration of motor vehicles or licensing of any operator or regulating the speed of motor vehicles by any county, borough, city, incorporated town or township, establishing the rights of motor vehicles upon the public highways with relation to other vehicles, providing for their equipment and for the width of tires to be used upon motor vehicles, regulating the service of process and proceedings in actions for damages arising therefrom, providing for arrest and for service of process and proceedings for violation of this Act, prescribing the penalties therefor, and providing for the disposition of fees collected and fines imposed thereunder' providing for the return of one-half of the license fees from registration

to the several cities, boroughs and counties to be used for highway purposes;" and

Whereas, Said bill, if enacted into a law, will greatly benefit the treasury of the City of Pittsburgh by bringing into it large sums of money that are now received by the Commonwealth and which will be applied to the improvement of the streets and highways in this City that have become dilapidated by reason principally of the great number of motor vehicles using the same; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, that the Legislature of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is urgently requested to pass said bill, and the Governor of the Commonwealth urgently requested to approve the same.

Which was read.

Mr. **Burke** moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Burke** moved

That the Clerk of Council send a copy of the resolution to the Governor and to each member of the Senate and the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **English** presented

No. 2581. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the regrading, repaving and recurring of Stafford street, from Stadium street to a point 234.08 feet southwardly therefrom, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

And, on motion of Mr. **Winters**,
Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, April 21, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

The **Chair** stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for April 14, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. **Robertson** moved

That the minutes of Council for April 14, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. **Dalley** presented

No. 2582. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Peter P. Walsh, Commissioner in the Bureau of Police, for the sum of \$30.05, covering expenses incurred by him in obtaining evidence against disorderly houses and gambling houses, and charging same to Code Account No. 1153, Item M. Local Secret Service Fund, Bureau of Police.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. **English** presented

No. 2583. Communication from Martha Walker in regard to excessive water rent on her property at 2201-3-5-7-9 Ridgway street Fifth ward, and that the Bureau of Water threatens to shut off the water on said premises.

Also

No. 2584. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Emerson L. Duff in the sum of \$45.28, being one-half of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate for the quarter ending December 7, 1918., on property at 434 South Main street, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance

Also

No. 2585. Communication from mill workers of the Carnegie mills, who fear they will lose their positions on account of the widening of West Carson street.

Also

No. 2586. An Ordinance extending and opening Wabash street, in the Twentieth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Wilmerding street to Woodstock street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 2587. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Armour & Co.....	\$ 3.86	1224
Burkhart Helen A.....	6.25	1811
Elliott & Co., B. K.....	14.45	1307
Hill, Edwin M.....	303.02	1541
Hill, Edwin M.....	1,157.95	1541

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

American Atmos Co.....	2.00	1307
Baur Bros. (Ward Baking Co.).....	34.44	1148
Bolster, Louis.....	1.72	1148
Brown, W. S.....	18.00	1149
Childs & Co., H. L.....	31.47	1655
Campbell Neidringhaus Co.....	157.28	1656
Donnelly, James.....	3.42	1232
Gulf Refining Co., The.....	25.00	1031
General Contractors Assn.....	2.00	1550
Gailbraith, James R.....	50.00	1169
Hill, Edwin M.....	347.64	1541
Johanssen, F.....	71.50	1236
McKenna Drug Co.....	16.80	1232
Mueller Bros.....	36.98	1165
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	6.05	1236
Pittsburgh Meter Co.....	1,514.76	1664
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	2.88	1232
Pittsburgh Foundry & Machine Co.....	175.00	1648
Pittsburgh Foundry & Machine Co.....	10.20	1656
Pittsburgh Coal Co.....	111.27	1655
Painter Dunn Co.....	9.25	1165
Scientific Materials Co.....	115.03	1218
Seven Baker Brothers.....	172.38	1224
Smith Brothers Co.....	.80	1683
Ward Baking Co.....	152.00	1232

Also

No. 2588. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Laura McClure in the sum of \$60.00 in full settlement of all claims for damages against the City of Pittsburgh for injuries received by falling on boardwalk on Savannah street on March 15, 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 42 Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2589. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to make, execute and deliver a deed to Ira H. Edmundson for Lots 40 and 41 in Hugh S. Fleming's Plan, situate on the east side of Dike street, Fifteenth ward, upon the payment to the City Treasurer of the sum of \$365.56.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2590. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of

Jennie P. A. Sullivan in the sum of \$397.00, refunding taxes on property on Frazier street, Fourth ward, which has been leased by the City for playground purposes, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding City Taxes.

Also

No. 2591. Resolution authorizing and directing the Department of Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of John Drhew for the sum of \$302.05, refunding amount of City taxes paid on property in the Twenty-sixth ward, being Lots 1, 2, 3 and 15 in the Drhew Plan, situate at the corner of Perrysville avenue and Semicir street, which property was condemned by the School District of Pittsburgh by resolution passed March 21, 1916, and authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of said John Drhew for \$302.05, refunding said City taxes, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding City Taxes.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2592. An Ordinance establishing the grade of Armour way, from Secane avenue to Eureka street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 2593. An Ordinance regulating the installation of wires for electric light, heat, power and certain signal systems in certain classes of buildings; requiring all such wires hereafter installed in such buildings to be made and maintained in accordance with this ordinance; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof, all with a view of preventing loss of life, limb and property.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Raub presented

No. 2594. Resolution authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to make such improvements as he deems necessary to the property of Mrs. Marie Mendel, located on the south side of Romanhoff street, about 300 feet west of Rockledge street (which was damaged by reason of the improvement of said Romanhoff street), at a cost not to exceed \$500.00, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2595. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$2,500.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Code Ac-

count No. 1561, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of City Property.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2596. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Forbes street, from Beechwood boulevard to the westerly end of the bridge over Nine Mile Run, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2597. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Forbes street, from the easterly end of the bridge over Nine Mile Run to Peebles street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2598. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$256.50 from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, to Contract No. 766, Howard Street Repaving, Bureau of Engineering.

Also

No. 2599. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Z. Segall and J. Horowitz in the sum of of \$28.94 for a quarter of 1918 on their property at 2010 Rose street, Fifth ward.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2600. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Hering Brothers House Moving Company for \$225.00 for services rendered in investigation of and preparation of the estimates of raising buildings abutting upon the lines of Chestnut street, between South Canal street and the Allegheny river to the proposed grade to meet the new Sixteenth street bridge, and charging same to Appropriation No. —

Also

No. 2601. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Appropriation No. 1204, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Transmis-

sible Diseases, Department of Public Health.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2602. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Campbell Niedringhaus		
Tire Service Co.....	\$ 4.99	1417
B. H. Frazier.....	31.75	1665
A. Gapen	149.55	1563
Gillespie Machine Co.....	2.50	1665
Iron City Harness Co.....	2.50	1516
Kilgore Auto Repair Co....	4.50	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.....	55.25	1665
C. E. McKnight.....	14.00	1516
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.....	1.00	1425
The Carter Electric Co.....	65.00	1583
Samuel Ward	4.15	1525
Samuel Ward	136.75	1516

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The Chair presented

No. 2603.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Pittsburgh, April 16, 1919.

City Council.

Gentlemen—Referring to Council Bill No. 2101, requesting that:

"The Director of the Department of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to furnish Council with an estimate of the cost of widening and improving Berlin way, between Fifty-first street and Fifty-sixth street."

I beg to advise you that the estimated cost of opening and widening Berlin way, between Fifty-first and Fifty-sixth streets, to a width of 50 feet, is \$343,766.00. The estimated cost of grading and paving is \$43,500.00, making the total net estimated cost of the improvement \$387,266.00.

Yours very truly,

JOHN SWAN,
Director.

Also

No. 2604. Communication from Joseph C. Marcus, Esq., asking that the Duquesne Market on Duquesne way, between Sixth and Seventh streets, be leased to his client, the Exhibitors' Service Company, for garage.

Also

No. 2605. Communication from the North Side Chamber of Commerce, asking that all the items, advocated by the different trade and civic bodies for incorporation in the bond issue be submitted to the people for their approval or disapproval.

Also

No. 2606. Petition of John Korenic in the matter of his wife, Mrs. Kate Korenic, being attacked by an insane patient at the City Home and Hospital, Mayview, while she was an inmate there and, as a result of said assault, her eyesight has been destroyed forever.

Also

No. 2607. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John Jorenin in the sum of \$——, in full settlement of all claims against the City for the loss of his wife's aid, comfort and usefulness by reason of losing her eyesight as a result of being attacked by an insane patient at the City Home and Hospital, Mayview, where she was also a patient, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2608. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of H. F. Krear in the sum of \$68.50, for repairing lateral sewer in front of his property at 7213 Race street, and charging same to Code Account No. 42 Contingent Fund.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2609. Communication from J. A. Rattigan, complaining of the contractor on Winton street, Eighteenth ward, using the sidewalk for storage purposes.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2610.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

Pittsburgh, April 15, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,
City Clerk.

Dear Sir—Referring to your letter of April 8, forwarding a copy of Bill No. 2511, in reference to the Pittsburgh Junction Railroad Company, I beg to advise that in January, 1918, on account of the position taken by the United States Fuel Administrator of this district, this department did not insist upon the use of coke in the locomotives of the railroad in question. At the same

time, the provisions of the general smoke laws were enforced against this company. I have now notified the general superintendent of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad at Pittsburgh that the use of coke must be resumed.

Yours very truly,

WILLIAM H. DAVIS,

Director.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

No. 2611. Communication from the Manchester Liberty Loan Committee, asking the members of Council to participate in a parade and mass meeting for the Victory Loan campaign on Tuesday evening, April 22.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the communication be received and filed and as many members as possible participate in the parade and attend the mass meeting.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2612. Communication from the North Side Board of Trade, thanking Council for its courteous treatment in the hearing given its delegation in the matter of items for the proposed bond issue.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2613. Communication from the West End Board of Trade, inviting the members of Council to go over the route of the proposed Saw Mill Run boulevard and attend their regular meeting on Thursday, April 24.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the Clerk inform the secretary of the West End Board of Trade that the members of Council will be unable to accept the invitation as they will be in New York on said date to welcome the Fifteenth Engineers home, and that if agreeable to the West End Board of Trade, the members of Council will be glad to meet with them on Saturday afternoon, April 26, at an hour suitable to the Board of Trade.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. L. H. Burnett, chairman of the Mayor's Welcome Committee, was given the privilege of the floor and said:

"Mr. President and Gentlemen of Coun-

cil, we have been looking somewhat into the conditions down in New York harbor in reference to welcoming home the Fifteenth Engineers. We find that there are a great many troubles to overcome.

"In order that the City might officially be represented, the Mayor has appointed a committee from the Mayor's Welcoming Committee, including the President and Members of Council, to go to New York to welcome these boys home. He has asked me, owing to the fact that he is unable to be here himself, to convey to you his wishes that as many members of Council, including the President, as can arrange, go to New York and welcome the soldiers.

"Congressman Campbell will go to Washington tonight. We have arranged for accommodations on the boat of the Mayor's Welcoming Committee of New York City. However, Congressman Campbell believes that, since the harbor strike has been settled, he can get a government tug.

"The Mayor is anxious to have as many members of Council as possible go to New York to welcome these boys. Three or four members of the Mayor's Welcoming Committee will also go.

"We have not yet decided on headquarters in New York, but this will be done tomorrow.

"The transport is scheduled to arrive in New York harbor on Thursday. We have no way of knowing whether the boat will arrive in the morning or afternoon, and for that reason it will be necessary for those who go to arrive in New York not later than Wednesday. Most of them will go tomorrow night.

"There is only one question that I desire to ask of Council, and that is, that all who intend to go to New York notify Mr. Schooley, secretary of the Mayor's Welcoming Committee, so that we will know what arrangements to make."

Also

No. 2614.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PA.

April 17, 1919.

President and Members of the

Council of the City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I herewith return without my approval, Bill No. 2285. This bill provides for the payment of one-half the expenses of County Fire Marshal Thomas L. Pfarr for an accident which occurred in the year 1916.

The Law Department report herewith attached says that this is plainly and clearly not a liability of the City of Pittsburgh. I am not in favor of tapping the City's till for moneys the City is not legally liable for. It is quite evident to me that if this was a just claim and should have been paid by the City,

it would have been taken care of by my predecessor in office.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

City of Pittsburgh, Penna.,

March 28, 1919.

Finance Committee of Council.

Gentlemen—On Bill No. 2285, a communication from Mr. Thomas L. Pfarr, Chief Fire Marshal of Allegheny County, asking to be reimbursed by the City of Pittsburgh of a proportion of certain expenses incurred by him by reason of an accident to him by which he was injured at a fire in Arbuckle Brothers' store on November 4, 1916:

The Fire Marshal of Allegheny County is not a City official. He is appointed by the Court of Common Pleas, pursuant to the Act of April 4, 1864, P. L. 465, which Act was supplemented by Act of April 14, 1870, P. L. 1173, and Act of May 10, 1871, P. L. 672. The principal purpose of the creation of this office was to protect property from pillage, theft, injury and destruction at fires; also to investigate and ascertain the origin of fires. For these purposes, he has certain powers conferred by the statute.

So far as Mr. Pfarr's relation to the City of Pittsburgh is concerned, he was only a volunteer in assisting the regular City fire force, and the law is clear that no liability arises in this case for damages or injury received. I express no opinion as to the liability of the County under the circumstances, and make no suggestions as to what course it should pursue in the premises.

Respectfully yours,

CHARLES A. O'BRIEN,

First Assistant City Solicitor.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. Robertson, received and filed.

And

Bill No. 2285. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Thomas L. Pfarr in the sum of \$307.50, being one-half the expensess incurred by reason of injuries sustained by accident on November 4, 1916, while in the discharge of his duties at the Arbuckle fire and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

In Council, April 7, 1919. Rule suspended, read three times and finally passed by a two-thirds vote.

Was read.

And on the question, "Shall the resolution become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?" the ayes and

noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dalley	McArdle
English	

Noes—Messrs.

Garland	Robertson
Rauh	Winters

Ayes—5.

Noes—4.

And there not being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution failed to become a law.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2615. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300 000.00), and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount, to provide for the grading of the hillside, building of retaining walls, laying of sidewalks and curbing, regrading and repaving the roadways at the intersection of Seventh avenue and otherwise improving Bigelow boulevard, between Tunnel and Craig streets, including the payment of property damages and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Bill No. 2567. Communication from the Mayor returning, without his approval, Bill No. 2418, "An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 235, entitled, 'An Ordinance widening Dakota street, from a point distant 256.68 feet eastwardly from the easterly line of Bryn Mawr road to a point distant 194.33 feet southwardly from the center line of Iowa street, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh.'"

In Council, April 14, 1919. Read and laid over for one week and copy furnished each member.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. McArdle, received and filed.

And

Bill No. 2418. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 235, entitled, 'An Ordinance widening Dakota street, from a point distant 256.68 feet eastwardly from the easterly line of Bryn Mawr road to a point distant 194.33 feet southwardly from the center line of Iowa street in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected

from property benefited thereby,' approved August 5, 1918."

In Council March 31, 1919. Rule suspended, read three times and finally passed.

In Council April 14, 1919. Bill read and laid over for one week.

Was read.

And on the question, "Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?" the ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
Garland	

Ayes—4.

Noes—5.

And there not being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill failed to become a law.

Also

Bill No. 2568. Communication from the Mayor, returning, without his approval, Bill No. 2419, "An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 538, entitled 'An Ordinance opening Dakota street, from Alpena street to the northerly line of Joseph R. Fricke's Plan of Lots, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, fixing the width and position of the sidewalk and roadway, establishing the grade thereof, etc.'"

In Council, April 14, 1919. Read and laid over for one week and copy furnished each member.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. Garland, received and filed.

And

Bill No. 2419. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 538, entitled, 'An Ordinance opening Dakota street from Alpena street to the northerly line of Joseph R. Fricke's Plan of Lots, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh fixing the width and position of the sidewalk and roadway; establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from property benefited thereby,' approved December 21, 1917."

In Council, March 31, 1919. Rule suspended, bill read three times and finally passed.

In Council, April 14, 1919. Bill read and laid over for one week.

Was read.

And on the question, "Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?" the ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Noes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dalley Rauh
Garland

Ayes—4.

Noes—5.

And there not being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill failed to become a law.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2616. Report of the Committee on Finance for April 15, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2549. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating and establishing a division in the Bureau of Engineering under the control and supervision of the Director of the Department of Public Works, to be known as the 'Division of Parks and playgrounds,' providing for and fixing the number of employees and the rate of compensation thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke Herron (President)
Dalley Rauh
English Robertson
Garland Winters

Noes—Mr.

McArdle

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council

being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2069. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending certain sections (Department of Public Works) of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919, as shown in Section 1 of this ordinance."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dalley Rauh
English Robertson
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2471. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 15, Department of Law, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2529. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to make a lease with Jennie P. A. Sullivan for certain property on Frazier street, Fourth ward, and fixing the rental thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2544. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 87, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Light. Line 13, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919, by changing the rate of pay of trimmers from \$4.35 each per day to C. U. W."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2550. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Line 4, Section 55, Department of Public Works Division of Design, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also
 Bill No. 2514. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$300.00 from Code Account No. 1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1153, Item E, Repairs, Mount Washington Police Station, Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2551. Resolved That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer certain sums, amounting in the aggregate to \$25,040.68, from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, and to credit same to other code accounts in the Bureau of Engineering, to-wit:

To

Code Account No. 1429, A-1.	
Salaries, Regular Employees,	
Division of Surveys.....	\$ 3,120.00
Code Account No. 1428, A-1,	
Salaries, Regular Employees,	
Division of Design.....	2,360.00
Code Account No. 1444, A-1,	
Salaries, Regular Employees,	
Division of Parks and Play-	
grounds	5,600.00
Code Account No. 1449, A-4.	
Wages, Temporary Em-	
ployees, Division of Bridges..	850.00
Code Account No. 1470, A-1,	
Salaries, Regular Employees,	
Division of Sewers.....	2,340.00
Code Account No. 1471, A-4,	
Wages, Temporary Em-	
ployees, Division of Sewers....	3,400.00
Code Account No. 1482, A-1,	
Salaries Regular Employees,	
Division of Streets.....	3,120.00

Code Account No. 1483, A-4.
 Wages, Temporary Em-
 ployees, Division of Streets.... 4,250.00

Total.....\$25,040.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2527. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the water used at the armory located at 6357 Penn avenue in the sum of \$160.26, and at the armory located at Emerson street in the sum of \$209.48 for the year 1918 (which properties were used for war work).

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2546. Resolution au-

thorizing and directing the Department of Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of Stewart H. Ciapp and Walter H. Hawkins for property in the Twenty-first ward used by the North Side Board of Trade as an athletic field and playground, in the sum of \$557.55, for the year 1916.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2538. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver to J. Grupp a deed for property belonging to the City of Pittsburgh at the corner of Pacific avenue and Dearborn street, known as the "Garfield Pumping Station property," upon the payment by the said J. Grupp into the City Treasury of the sum of \$5,025.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2547. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed in proper form, to be approved by the City Solicitor, to Mary Anna Kitchen and Sarah Jane Kitchen, of the Borough of Millvale, releasing and quit-claiming unto said parties, daughters and successors in title to said Thomas Kitchen, their heirs and assigns, any interest the City of Pittsburgh has as successor to the City of Allegheny in lots numbered 37 and 38 in Block No. 11, plan of lots laid out by the Directors of the Poor of Allegheny City, situate in the Borough of Millvale.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2525. Resolved That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Appropriation	
	Amount.	No.
Atlantic Refining Co.....	\$ 24.48	1320
Bailey-Farrell Mfg. Co.....	14.75	1558
Chain Belt Co.....	226.00	1556
Chatfield & Woods Co.....	7.79	1056
Chatfield & Woods Co.....	1.72	1201
Childs & Co., H. L.....	165.00	1655
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	1.10	1403
Cunningham Co., M. E.....	.77	1418
Elmer & Amend.....	10.00	1804
Elliott & Co., B. K.....	1.10	1423
Fairbanks Co., The.....	8.75	1139
Felck Bros. Co.....	8.00	1236

Gulf Refining Co.....	1.25	1164
Hill Top Lumber Co.....	152.71	1037
Hukill-Hunter Co.....	5.50	1684
Johnston & Co., Wm. G..	1.20	1100-M
Johns-Manville Co., H. W.	5.77	1165
Keystone Jobbers Wall		
Paper Co.....	14.52	1570
Kurtz, Langbein &		
Swartz.....	1.20	1451
Motor Tire Repair &		
Supply Co.....	7.40	1236
Pennsylvania Salt Mfg.		
Co.....	103.40	1647
Pittsburgh Auto Equip-		
ment Co.....	24.00	1165
Pittsburgh Gage & Sup-		
ply Co.....	46.59	185-A
Pittsburgh Office Equip-		
ment Co.....	2.25	1224
Point Motor Co.....	14.90	1032
Robbins Electric Co.....	14.55	1165
Speck-Marshall Co.....	45.50	1600
Standard Sanitary Mfg.		
Co.....	36.00	1149
Standard Sanitary Mfg.		
Co.....	6.13	1165
Walters, Charles W.....	52.00	1746
Weaver Specialty Co.....	4.80	1164
West Co., The.....	28.00	1256
Winton Co.....	.91	1165
Workmaster, E. L.....	1.00	1647

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2526. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in payment of the wages or salary of clerks and employees performing extra service in the City Treasurer's office during the collection of taxes for the year 1919, at the rate of 62 cents per hour, and charging the same to Code Account No. 1061, A-2. Salaries, Temporary Employees.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2617. Report of the Committee on Public Works for April 15, 1919, transmitting two ordinances and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2313. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Webster avenue, in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Fullerton street to Crawford street, and from the westerly line of Tannehill street to Roberts street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the

votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2314. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance opening Webster avenue, in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh from the easterly line of Crawford street to the westerly line of Tannehill street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2517. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Andrew Armhein Brother..	\$ 34.90	1516
Henry Bosau	1.00	1725
Callus Electric Co.....	1.50	1810
Andrew Engel	59.15	1516
Dr. A. B. Ferguson.....	7.55	1810

B. H. Frazier.....	57.05	1516
B. H. Frazier.....	2.00	1525
John F. Friend Co.....	2.50	1810
A. Gradner	5.00	1810
Hacker Bros.	11.80	1516
Hiland Automobile Co.....	123.90	1810
H. Hunziker	111.00	1525
H. Hunziker	2.00	1516
Kuhn Mutchler Co.....	2.55	1810
Laurel Land Co.....	123.45	1528
Mayer Wagon Co.....	29.50	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.....	14.75	1525
C. C. Mellor Co.....	26.00	1807
Moore Bros.	4.50	1701
Mutual Laundry Co.....	5.13	1807
Painter Dunn Co.....	2.00	1657
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	121.50	1557
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.....	2.00	1487
George Purdy	23.45	1516
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.....	169.01	1657
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	19.75	1516
	2.50	1525
A. L. Slack.....	19.00	1807
The Empire Laundry Co.....	6.63	1807
Underwood Typewriter Co.	3.00	1406-A

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Burke also presented

No. 2618. Report of the Committee on Public Works for April 16, 1919, transmitting two ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

No. 2619.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
City of Pittsburgh, Penna.
April 21, 1919.

President and Members,

City Council.

Gentlemen—Referring to the passage of a certain ordinance, which is before

you today for the transfer of certain funds from appropriation for repaving Butler street, I desire to assure you that we have and will continue to hold enough money in our repaving schedule for the repaving of Butler street as far as the Pittsburgh Railways Company will improve their tracks.

Yours very truly,

JOHN SWAN,
Director.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. Garland, ordered received and filed and made part of the Record.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2518. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing that portion of Ordinance No. 160, Series 1916, entitled, 'An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for repaving certain avenues, streets and ways, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof,' approved May 2, 1916, which pertains to Preble avenue, from Eckert street to a point near Superior avenue viaduct, estimated cost \$12,700.00."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2519. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing that portion of Ordinance No. 213, Series 1917, entitled, 'An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Depart-

ment of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for repaving certain avenues streets and ways, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof,' approved May 19, 1917, which pertains to Butler street, from main entrance to Allegheny cemetery to Stanton avenue, estimated cost \$15,000.00."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2620. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for April 15, 1919, transmitting several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2533. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and re-establishing the grade of Perchment street, from Blackadore street to Standard avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2534. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Singer street, from Tokio street to McKee street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2535. An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Stoneville street, from Perchment street to the City line."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2536. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and re-establishing the grade of Standard avenue, from Franktown avenue to the City line."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 2621. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for April 15, 1919, transmitting two ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2524. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the

Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety to execute a lease with Mrs. Anna B. Lowrie, executrix of the estate of Martha Schmidt, deceased, for property situate at No. 133 Steuben street, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, for the period of one year, beginning March 1, 1919, for police station house purposes."

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2537. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 1 of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for concrete floor and other repairs at the Mount Washington Police Station, corner of Virginia avenue and Shiloh street,' approved March 19, A. D. 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 30, page 234."

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dalley also presented

No. 2622. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for April 16, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2513. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending parts of Section 1 and Section 2 of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance regulating all public performances of moving picture exhibitions; prescribing and defining the arrangements and precautions in buildings, rooms, enclosures or halls in which such exhibitions are given; defining fully the equipment, size, covering flooring, windows, doors, ventilation, wiring, of all operating booths connected with said exhibitions; licensing of said exhibitions, and providing fines and penalties for violation hereof,' insofar as the same relate to seating capacity and exit requirements, approved 9th day of June, 1910."

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. English moved

That the superintendent of the Bureau of Sanitation and a representative of the Law Department, selected by the City Solicitor, be authorized to represent the City and present the City's views at the hearing before the legislative committee at Harrisburg tomorrow (Tuesday, April 22), in the matter of terra cotta sewers in dwelling houses.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2623. Resolved, That His Honor, the Mayor, and the Council, as the official representatives of the people of Pittsburgh, go to New York and meet the ships bringing home the Fifteenth Engineers and One Hundred Eleventh Infantry (old Eighteenth Regiment), so that the Pittsburgh troops will know that the entire population of Pittsburgh and vicinity welcome them on their return; and be it further

Resolved, That Congressman Campbell be advised that Council accepts his kind offer to secure a government boat for use of the Welcome Committee.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

To amend the resolution by inserting after the words "and the Council" the words "and the Mayor's Welcoming Committee."

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Burke moved

That the entire resolution after the word "Resolved" be stricken out and that the following be substituted: "That Council accepts the invitation of Mr. Burnett to go to New York for the purpose of welcoming the Pittsburgh soldiers on their arrival."

Upon which motion **Mr. McArdle** demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke
Dailey
Garland

Herron (President)
McArdle
Rauh

Noes—Messrs.

English
Robertson

Winters

Ayes—6.

Noes—3.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

And the question recurring on the adoption of the resolution, as amended.

The motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the members notify Mr. Roy Schooley whether or not they intend going, not later than 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair presented

No. 2624. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer \$2,200.00 from Code Account No. 1567, Wages, Regular Employees to Code Account No. 1567 1/2, Wages, Temporary Employees, Bureau of City Property.

Also

No. 2625. An Ordinance transferring from Appropriation No. 187-B, Contracts, Water Bonds-A, 1918, to Appropriation No. 187-A, Supplies and Materials, Water Bonds-A, 1918, the sum of two thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$2,000.00).

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2626. Communication from Charles B. Pritchard, Director of the Department of Public Safety, recommending that better arrangements be made at the Central Police Station for the detention of juveniles."

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

And on motion of **Mr. Garland**,

Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, April 28, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke Herron (President)
Dailey McArdle
Garland Rauh

Absent—Messrs.

English Winters
Robertson

The **Chair** stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for April 21, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. **Dailey** moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for April 21, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. **Burke** presented

No. 2627. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Water street and Monongahela wharf at a point about 20 feet northwest of Ross street to the existing sewer on the Monongahela wharf opposite Grant street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and col-

lected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2628. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Allegheny Repair Co.....	\$112.84	1563
Allegheny Repair Co.....	36.10	1591
Allegheny Garbage Co.....	161.33	1588
P. F. Bartley.....	28.50	1583
Darlington Estate.....	21.00	1528
Douglass Storage Co.....	36.00	1530
B. H. Frazier.....	87.00	1516
B. H. Frazier.....	5.00	1665
P. J. Guina.....	.75	1665
Iron City Spring Co.....	1.50	1557
Maurice S. Martin.....	47.20	1810
James A. McKenna.....	158.25	1622
James A. McKenna.....	19.50	1583
James A. McKenna.....	122.42	1563
George Purdy.....	2.85	1665
Samuel Ward.....	.50	1775
Underwood Typewriter Co.	3.00	1640

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. **Dailey** presented

No. 2629. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Hillcrest street, from North Fairmount street to North Rebecca street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2630. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Hillcrest street, from a point about 160 feet west of North Graham street to existing sewer on North Graham street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the

same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2631. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
American Spiral Spring & Manufacturing Co.....	\$ 6.00	1809
Anchor Packing Co.....	42.50	1655
Arbuthnot Stephenson Co.....	6.00	1148
Atlantic Refining Co.....	.60	1808
Bailey Farrell Manufacturing Co.....	5.58	1165
Beckert Seed Store.....	6.20	1774
Bronze Age Metal Co.....	45.43	1165
Campbell Neidringhaus Co.....	98.88	1664
Fairall Wall Paper Co.....	14.21	1570
Feick Brothers Co.....	3.60	1307
Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.....	353.40	1165
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.....	7.15	1808
Greenwood Construction Co.....	28.50	1582
Hilltop Lumber Co.....	373.14	1037
Houston Brothers Co.....	.70	1533
Kaufmann-Baer Co.....	7.50	1811
Kennedy, D. J.....	28.23	1533
Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.....	3.76	1570
Lechner & Schoenberger Co.....	7.60	1811
Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories Co.....	105.00	1206
C. C. Mellor Co.....	1.00	1811
Point Motor Co.....	5.70	1673
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	16.20	1329
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.....	1.94	1467
Robbins Electric Co.....	2.40	1165
Scott & Co., I. W.....	110.55	1323
Standard Underground Cable Co.....	313.44	1175
Woodwell & Co., Joseph.....	9.90	1556

Also

No. 2632. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$100.00 from Code Account 1402, "Miscellaneous Services," and \$200.00 from Code Account 1406-B "Supplies," General Office, Department of Public Works, to Code Account 1405, "Equip-

ment," General Office, Department of Public Works.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2633. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for repairs in the South Side Market, and setting aside \$12,715.00 from Code Account 1406-E, Repairs to South Side Market, Bureau of City Property, for the payment of the costs thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2634. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Virginia Murrell for a lot of ground on Belvidere street, Ninth ward, upon the payment of the sum of \$250.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2635. Remonstrance against the grading, paving and curbing of Homestead street, between Nevada and Pocono streets.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2636. Communication from Charles W. Walters complaining of non-removal of rubbish from his residence at 1804 Termon avenue, North Side.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

The Chair presented

No. 2637. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$300.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Appropriation No. 1386, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Also

No. 2638. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Robert G. Blackham for lots No. 248-49, at the corner of Alger and Winterburn streets, Fifteenth ward, upon the payment of the sum of \$1,500.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2639. Communication from Mrs. Margaret D. Heckel, protesting against the City turning the parks on the North Side into playgrounds.

Also

No. 2640. Communication from the Acting Secretary of War regarding the elevation of the bridges over the Allegheny river at Pittsburgh.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2641.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, April 25, 1919.

President and Members of
Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—My attention was yesterday called to the fact that two bus lines were seeking the privilege of establishing a transportation business here in the City.

To the best of my information, this privilege was being sought without the knowledge of the Council or the Public Safety Department or the Mayor. I sent Director Pritchard and City Solicitor O'Brien before the Public Service Commission and asked that the matter be held up until we could have a look-in.

I am not necessarily opposed to this proposition, but I want the Council and the Mayor and the administration to have knowledge of anything of this kind that is going on. Hence my request to the Commission.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK.

Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

That the communication from the Mayor be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 2642. Report of the Committee on Finance for April 22 1919, transmitting sundry resolutions and an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2625. An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance transferring from Appropriation No. 187-B, Contracts, Water Bonds, A-1918, to Appropriation No. 187-A, Supplies and Materials, Water Bonds, A-1918, the sum of two thousand and 00-100 dollars (\$2,000.00)."

Which was read.

Mr. **Garland** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2587. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Armour & Co.....	\$ 3.86	1224
Burkhart Helen A.....	6.25	1811
Elliott & Co., B. K.....	14.45	1307
Hill, Edwin M.....	303.02	1541
Hill, Edwin M.....	1,157.95	1541

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

American Atmos Co.....	2.00	1307
Baur Bros. (Ward Baking Co.).....	34.44	1148
Bolster, Louis.....	1.72	1148
Brown, W. S.....	18.00	1149
Childs & Co., H. L.....	31.47	1655
Campbell Neidringhaus Co.....	157.28	1656
Donnelly, James.....	3.42	1232
Gulf Refining Co., The.....	25.00	1031
General Contractors Assn.....	2.00	1550
Gailbraith, James R.....	50.00	1169
Hill, Edwin M.....	347.64	1541
Johanssen, F.....	71.50	1236
McKenna Drug Co.....	16.80	1232
Mueller Bros.....	36.98	1165
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	6.05	1236

Pittsburgh Meter Co.....	1 514.76	1664
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	2.88	1232
Pittsburgh Foundry & Machine Co.....	175.00	1648
Pittsburgh Foundry & Machine Co.....	10.20	1656
Pittsburgh Coal Co.....	111.27	1655
Painter Dunn Co.....	9.25	1165
Scientific Materials Co.....	115.03	1218
Seven Baker Brothers.....	172.38	1224
Smith Brothers Co.....	.80	1683
Ward Baking Co.....	152.00	1232

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2590. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Jennie P. A. Sullivan in the sum of \$397.00, refunding taxes for the year 1919, paid on property on Frazier street used as a playground, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2608. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of H. F. Krear in the amount of \$68.50 refunding money paid for a permit issued to Pirie & Easley, plumbers, in order to repair a lateral sewer at 7213 Race street, which was found to be a break in the main sewer, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2600. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Hering Brothers House Moving Company for \$225.00, for services rendered in investigation of and preparation of estimates of cost of raising the buildings to the proposed grade to meet new Sixteenth street bridge, and charging same to Appropriation No. —

In Finance Committee, April 22, 1919. Read and amended by adding at the end of the resolution the words "42, Contingent Fund," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and

third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2594. Resolution authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to make such improvement to the property of Mrs. Marie Mendel, located on the south side of Romanhoff street, about 300 feet west of Rockledge street as he deems necessary (which property was damaged by the improvement of Romanhoff street), not to exceed \$500.00, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2598. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$256.50 from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to Contract No. 766, Howard Street Repaving.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2530. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a lease with Sawders & Fulton, Inc., for the use of a certain piece of property belonging to the City of Pittsburgh, being 60x117 feet, fronting on the West Penn Division of the Pennsylvania railroad, adjacent to the 60-inch Montrose rising main in Sharpsburg, and bounded by properties now or late of Charles H. Walter; Boggs, Jones Co., Ltd., and Christopher Lang, for the term of one year at the rental of _____ annually, together with the option of re-leasing same for a period of three years.

In Finance Committee, April 22, 1919. Read and amended by inserting in blank space "\$60.00" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2643. Report of the Com-

mittee on Public Works for April 22, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2602. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Campbell Niedringhaus		
Tire Service Co.....	\$ 4.99	1417
B. H. Frazier.....	31.75	1665
A. Gapen.....	149.55	1563
Gillespie Machine Co.....	2.50	1665
Iron City Harness Co.....	2.50	1516
Kilgore Auto Repair Co.....	4.50	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.....	55.25	1665
C. E. McKnight.....	14.00	1516
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.....	1.00	1425
The Carter Electric Co.....	65.00	1583
Samuel Ward.....	4.15	1525
Samuel Ward.....	136.75	1516

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2644. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for April 22, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2592. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the

grade of Armour way, from Secane avenue to Eureka street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2645. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for April 22, 1919, transmitting two resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2582. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Peter P. Walsh Commissioner in the Bureau of Police, for the sum of \$30.05, covering expenses incurred by him in obtaining evidence against disorderly houses and gambling houses, and charging the same to Code Account No. 1158, Item M, Local Secret Service Fund, Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh

Ayes—6.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2516. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Homer E. Crooks, City detective, for \$320.00, for expenses incurred by reason of injuries received while on duty, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1147.

Which was read, and the **Chair** stated that, there being no objections, the bill would lay over for the present.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2646. Whereas, At this time, due to general conditions building operations are limited and, as a consequence, much labor is unemployed, both skilled and unskilled, and the manufacture and sale of the very many commodities entering into building construction are very much curtailed; and

Whereas, Something should be done, if possible, in the interest of the general welfare of the community to encourage building operations in the City of Pittsburgh; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be requested to advise Council as to the discretionary power of the Board of Assessors in fixing values on new improvements in the line of building construction for some stated future period, whether same can be properly placed upon the assessment books at pre-war values, in keeping with present buildings, or even at a lower valuation by reason of such conditions, or just what leeway the Board of Assessors is allowed to exercise.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Raub read the following from "The Public" of April 19, 1919, and asked to have the same printed in full in the Record:

"NEW YORK'S HOUSING PROBLEM.

"Rising rents make thoughtful people pause. The indifferent are beginning to give heed. The pinch is felt in New York more keenly than elsewhere be-

cause of the extra population brought by the war and the lack of building during the past two years. There are no vacant houses, apartments, or rooms. The only immediate relief is to double up or leave the City. It is not necessary, under these conditions, for landlords to raise rents. Tenants do it for them. Flat hunters are paying agents fees to find them vacant places, and, when found, they bid against other tenants for the privilege of having shelter. It is a landlord's year. Bills have been introduced in the Legislature proposing various remedies. It may be doubted if any of these will accomplish material relief. Grosser abuses may be checked, but there can be no doubt that there will be a heavy advance in rents, and that they will stay up for some time.

"A proposal has been before the people of New York for forty years that would have prevented this advance in rents, and that, if applied now, will reduce it. This plan has been indorsed by the ablest economists and the greatest moralists, yet the rent payers and wage earners have gone on with rent out-running wages, paying little attention to the means at hand for relief. The facts now compel them to give heed. Rents that have steadily gained upon income have suddenly taken such a leap forward that even the indifferent must take notice. We have arrived at the jumping-off place. We can go no further. We must turn back.

"The simple remedy staring the people in the face all these years is to shift taxes from houses to land, taxing the land according to its value, without regard to its improvements. Allan Robinson, president of the City and Suburban Homes Company, has suggested as a practical business proposition that, in order to balance the greater cost in building the city shall exempt improvements from taxation for eleven years. This, he figures, will equal the one-third excess cost at the present time. If exemption for eleven years will equal one-third the cost, a perpetual exemption will be a still greater inducement to build, and the larger number of buildings put up will bring down the rent to a reasonable figure.

"How long are the rack-rented tenants of New York going to ignore this fact?"

And, on motion of **Mr. Garland**,

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Wednesday, April 30, 1919.

Council met in special session pursuant to the following call:

Pittsburgh, April 28, 1919.
(2:30 P. M.)

Mr. E. J. Martin,
Clerk of Council.

Dear Sir—Please call a special meeting of Council for Wednesday, April 30, 1919, at 3:30 o'clock P. M. for the consideration of such business as may come before the meeting.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN S. HERRON,
President.

Which was read, received and filed.

Present—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2647. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Leo Kane for John E. Kane, deceased, in

the sum of \$250.00, and a warrant in favor of John A. Sharp in the sum of \$250.00, which amounts are in full payment for services rendered for testifying on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh in the case of James Reese & Sons vs. City of Pittsburgh, at No. 2416, July Term, 1916, being an appeal from the award of the Board of Viewers in the Penn avenue improvement proceedings; same to be charged to Code Account No. 1075 (Witness Fees, Department of Law).

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2648. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor, upon the payment of \$85.00 by William M. Roth to the City of Pittsburgh to satisfy liens filed against two lots on Roosevelt street at M. L. D. No. 168, April Term 1919, and M. L. D. No. 169, April Term, 1919, and to have the costs thereof charged to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2649. Petition of Charles B. Bratt, asking for the passage of an ordinance rescinding and revoking the approval by the City of a plan of lots, of record in the office of the Bureau of Engineering, Division of Surveys, in Plan Book, Vol. 9, page 245, purporting to have been laid out and adopted by Charles B. Bratt, for the sub-division of certain real estate in the Twenty-seventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh (the former Eleventh ward of the former City of Allegheny).

Also

No. 2650. An Ordinance rescinding and revoking the approval by the City of a plan of lots, of record in the office of the Bureau of Engineering, Division of Surveys, of said City, in Plan Book, Volume 9 page 245, purporting to have been laid out and adopted by Charles B. Bratt, for the sub-division of certain real estate in the Twenty-seventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh (the

former Eleventh ward of the former City of Allegheny).

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2651. An Ordinance authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00) dollars and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount to provide for the improvement of Bigelow boulevard, and providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 2652. An Ordinance authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of twenty-seven thousand dollars (\$27,000.00), and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount for the purpose of paying the purchase money due Joseph P. Reed and the Wagman Estate under ordinance approved April 4, 1919, authorizing the purchase of lands from said parties for playground purposes, and providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2653. Communication from business people on Carson street, between South Twelfth and South Thirtieth streets, relative to dangerous condition caused by old buildings in the rear, on Duncan way.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2654. Report of the Committee on Public Works for April 22, 1919, transmitting two ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2279. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading paving and curbing of O'Hara street, from DeSoto street to Boquet street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2343. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading and paving of Mulberry way, from Barbeau street to Fancourt street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the

bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2655. Whereas, It is evident that, due to the shortage of housing accommodations, a large number of people are likely to find themselves without shelter on May 1, and without any prospects of securing the necessary quarters; and

Whereas, Under existing laws, the City has been unable to find any means by which relief can be afforded for this extremely bad condition; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Council direct the attention of the Mayor to the possibilities above set forth and urge him to get in communication with the University of Pittsburgh and Carnegie Institute of Technology with a view of securing the use, for families, of the buildings upon the grounds of these institutions erected by the Government and used by the soldiers of the United States army, either for the purpose of affording them temporary housing accommodations or for the purpose of storing their goods in the event of their being unable to find suitable accommodations, and that the Mayor be urged to place at the disposal of persons so situated any City property that will lend itself to these needs, special attention being directed to the possibility of the portions of the fire engine

houses now vacant being used; and be it further

Resolved, That, insofar as the above policy may be found practicable, that families having children be given preference in accommodations.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Bauh moved

That a copy of the resolution be sent to the Division of Investigation, with instructions for the investigator and his assistant to make daily investigation of conditions referred to in the resolution, and to submit reports daily of their findings to the Mayor and the Council.

Which motion prevailed.

The Mayor appeared at this time and requested Council to make haste in the preparation of the bond issue and suggested that a conference be held in his office on Thursday, May 1, 1919, at 9:30 o'clock A. M.

Mr. Garland moved

That a conference, as suggested by the Mayor, be held on Thursday morning May 1, 1919, at 9:30 o'clock.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. Garland,

Council adjourned.

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Municipal Record

NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, May 5, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Dalley Rauh
English Robertson
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

The **Chair** stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meetings of Council for April 23 and 30, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. **Garland** moved

That the minutes of the meetings of Council for April 23 and 30, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. **Dalley** presented

No. 2656. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to allow all homes for the aged infirm, unfortunate or children supported by public charity to receive free of charge two hundred (200) gallons of water per resident beneficiary per day, and providing for exonerations to that extent and the method of determining the same.

Also

No. 2657. Communication from C. C. McCallip & Co., regarding their proposition to purchase the old River avenue pumping station property.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2658. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
The Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.	\$ 2.95	1147
Bunting Stamp Co.	1.50	1147
The Pittsburgh Hospital	6.00	1147
Wm. R. Reynolds	709.44	1147
The Thomas Lane Co.	25.00	1150
American Typewriter Inspection Co.	1.00	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros.	17.66	1150
Kaufmann Department Stores	10.00	1159-O
Animal Rescue League	866.03	1160
Drs. Goldsmith & Gorfinkel	20.00	1163
Keystone Laundry Co.	187.68	1163
W. H. Champ	19.35	1166
Bertram G. Case	116.44	1166
American Atmos Corporation	55.00	1166
Robbins Electric Co.	.75	1166
H. W. Johns-Manville Co.	2.30	1166
Doubleday - Hill Electric Co.	9.02	1166
Walter E. Hague & Son	2.00	1166
A. H. Johnson	3.30	1166
J. G. Weir & Son	425.00	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.	27.70	1166
Terheyden Co.	5.00	1166
August Loch	3.00	1166

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. **English** presented

No. 2659. Resolution authoriz-

ing the Mayor to execute and deliver deeds to W. N. Richards for Lots 46, 47, 48, 49 and 53 located on Kerr street, Twentieth ward, for the sum of \$1,100.00.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2660. Communication from John B. Lucot, captain of Engine Company No. 40, suggesting that new fire plugs be installed in the Twentieth ward.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2661. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$45,145.25 for the removal of 4,270.07 tons of garbage at \$3.50 per ton, and 5,490.91 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$10,836.31 for the removal of 1,450.35 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 1,047.29 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton during the month of April, 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2662. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Abdou Printing Co.....	\$ 27.25	1048
Atlantic Refining Co.....	23.14	1773
B. B. Specialty Co.....	23.10	1658
Dayton Airless Tire Co.....	\$04.70	1165
Feick Brothers Co.....	7.30	1236
Heeren Brothers Co.....	3.83	1175
Lewis Co. R. T.....	7.50	1048
McKenna Brass & Mfg. Co.	3.99	1556
Manufacturers Light & Heat Co.....	509.07	1320
Packard Motor Co.....	2.37	1032
Packard Motor Co.....	12.63	1556
Pearson Manufacturing Co.	19.00	1746
Pittsburgh Provision Co.....	1.45	1663
The Presto-Lite Co.....	1.00	1164
Robbins Electric Co.....	1.00	1164
Robbins Electric Co.....	11.78	1321
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.....	750.00	1656
Scoble & Parker Co.....	2.00	1224
Scientific Materials Co.....	5.50	1655

Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Co.....	13.00	1656
Woodwell Co., Joseph.....	3.90	1556

Also

No. 2663. Resolution authorizing the City Solicitor to accept the sum of \$847.71 in payment of assessment for the improvement of South street (now Tyndall street), Twentieth ward, from Lucy Dorsey Jams, and, upon the receipt of the same, to satisfy the lien of record filed at No. 1477, October Term, 1904, against Lots 260, 261, 262 and 263 located on said South street (now Tyndall street).

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2664. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mary Smith and Hubert Smith, her husband, in the sum of \$700.00, in payment of damages sustained to their property on Windsor street by reason of the City constructing a sewer through same, and charging same to Code Account No. —

Also

No. 2665. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to satisfy the lien filed against the Mount Washington Presbyterian Church at No. D. T. D. 3646, April Term, 1913, for water rent for the year 1910 assessed against their property at Grandview Avenue and Kearsarge street, Nineteenth ward, upon the payment of \$35.23, and to satisfy the lien filed at No. D. T. D. 901, January Term, 1914, upon the payment of \$35.23, and charging the costs thereof to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2666. Communication from the Brookline Board of Trade, asking that certain streets in the Brookline district, Nineteenth ward, be graded, paved and curbed.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2667. An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 296, entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade of Middleton street, from Beechwood boulevard to the east line of the Mary E. Welfer Plan of Lots," approved October 7, 1915.

Also

No. 2668. An Ordinance establishing the grade of Welfer street, from Beechwood boulevard to the east line of the Mary E. Welfer Plan of Lots.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2669. Communication from D. J. O'Donnell, offering to purchase property owned by the City on Parkview street, Fourth ward.

Also

No. 2670. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Mrs. Clara Kraska for Lot No. 142 in A. R. Neeb's Plan on Dupont street, Fifteenth ward, upon the payment of \$70.00.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2671. An Ordinance opening and naming Anita way, from Murray avenue to Shady avenue, in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2672. An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 328, entitled, "An Ordinance locating Fair Oaks street, from Shady avenue to Beechwood avenue," approved March 5, 1895.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2673. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to James Skiles for Lot No. 32 on Denham street, Twenty-fifth ward, for the sum of \$100.00.

Also

No. 2674. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Nat Guttman and Mary A. Guttman, his wife, for two lots located on East Ohio street, Twenty-fourth ward, for the sum of \$1 800.00.

Also

No. 2675. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Walter Wickline for Lots 99 and 100, located on Goshen street, Twenty-sixth ward, for the sum of \$300.00.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2676. An Ordinance authorizing the leasing of a building site of City property at the southwest corner of the Smithfield street bridge at Water street and Smithfield street, in the City of Pittsburgh, to George T. Byrne, and

fixing the term, rental and conditions thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2677. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the balance of \$600.00 in the contract authorization of Code Account 1599 to Contract No. 795, Code Account 1599, to pay for extra work in the installation of new meat stalls at the South Side Market.

Also

No. 2678. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$353.50 from Code Account No. 1601-G, Structural and Non-Structural Improvements at the South Side Market, to Contract No. 795, Code Account 1599, for installing new meat stalls at the South Side Market.

Also

No. 2679. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$1,000.00 from Appropriation No. 182, Water Improvement and Extension Loan Fund to Appropriation No. 182-A, Salaries and Expenses, Bureau of Water, for the purpose of payment of engineering, mechanical and other services performed by employees of, or furnished to, the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, in the improvement and extension of water system, installation of meters, etc., and materials and supplies used in connection with such work.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 2680. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor, upon the payment by the Sterling Lang Company to the City of Pittsburgh of the sum of \$6,803.78, to satisfy the liens filed at Nos. 351 and 352, April Term 1913, M. L. D.; 26 and 27, July Term, 1915, M. L. D.; 66 and 67, January Term, 1915, M. L. D.; 73 to 83, July Term, 1918, inclusive, M. L. D.; and 54 to 67, October Term, 1918, inclusive, M. L. D. and authorizing the Collector of Delinquent Taxes, upon the payment of the further sum of \$3,596.05, to satisfy the liens filed at D. T. D. Nos. 1302, September Term, 1910; 1276, September Term, 1911; 1416, April Term, 1913; 2016, October Term, 1913; 5084, January Term 1914; 15, January Term, 1917; 1417, April Term, 1918, and 1416, April Term, 1918, assessments against said company for the opening, construction of a sewer on and the grading, paving and curbing of Hobart street; also for sewer on and the grading, paving and curbing of Wendover street, Fourteenth ward, and for City taxes for the years 1917, 1918 and 1919,

and to issue receipts in full for City taxes for the years 1917, 1918 and 1919.

Also

No. 2681. Communication from the Pittsburgh Real Estate Board, transmitting resolution adopted by said organization regarding the item of \$6,000,000.00 for construction of a downtown subway.

Also

No. 2682. Communication from Conrad Pueller, asking the City to transfer to him, without cost, piece of ground adjoining his property at 303 McClure avenue, North Side.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2683. An Ordinance authorizing an agreement between the City of Pittsburgh and the Borough of Wilkinsburg, providing for an interchange of facilities for sewer connections between the said municipalities and providing for the terms and conditions thereof.

Also

No. 2684. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk of Richmond street, in the City of Pittsburgh, the west sidewalk of Richmond street and on Travanion street, in the Borough of Swissvale, and on Travanion street and private property of Louis A. Meyran in the City of Pittsburgh from a point about fifteen (15) feet south of Sanders street to the existing sanitary outlet sewer of the Borough of Wilkinsburg on the private property of Louis A. Meyran. With branch sewers on the east and west sidewalks of Travanion street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2685. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk and roadway of Crestline street in the City of Pittsburgh and on Coal street in the Borough of Wilkinsburg, from a point about fifteen (15) feet south of Nimick place to the existing sewer on Coal street in the Borough of Wilkinsburg, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2686. An Ordinance opening Larimer street, in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Nelson street to Lemington avenue, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against

and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2687. Remonstrance from A. J. Diebold against the opening of Anita way, between Forbes street and Darlington road, running from Murray avenue to Shady avenue.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2688. Communication from M. W. Gross, City Solicitor, of Allentown, Pa., relative to the repeal of the Public Service Company Law.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2689.
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

Pittsburgh May 1, 1919.

To the Council,

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen—I beg to advise that under date of April 26 Mr. J. F. Keegan, general superintendent of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, agreed to resume the use of coke on the Pittsburgh Junction Railroad locomotives.

Yours very truly,

WILLIAM H. DAVIS,

Director.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received and filed, and the Director of the Department of Public Health notified that his report to Council is incomplete, insofar as he does not state when the company will resume the use of coke on the Pittsburgh Junction Railroad, and that he be informed that the company is still using soft coal in its locomotives, and that it is the sense of Council that the company be notified to resume the use of coke immediately.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 2690. Communication from A. M. Jackson, regarding the erection of homes on lots owned by the City.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The Chair presented

No. 2691.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

City of Pittsburgh, Pa.,

May 1, 1919.

To the City Council,
Pittsburgh Pa.

Dear Sirs—Yours of the 23rd ult. re-

ceived with reference to report on Bill No. 2516 of City Council, being a resolution for warrant in favor of Homer E. Crooks for \$320.00.

Accordingly, I attach report of Mr. Crooks as to the attempted arrest of the yegg.

Yours very truly,

CHAS. B. PRICHARD,
Director.

City of Pittsburgh, Pa.,
April 23, 1919.

Mr. Robert J. Alderdice,
Superintendent,
Bureau of Police.

Dear Sir—Replying to the attached communication from Director Chas. B. Prichard, requesting information as to the disposition of the yeggman who caused my injury, wish to state that the yeggman was unknown to me, and when he injured my hand he made his escape and I have not seen him since. I was therefore, unable to cause his arrest.

Immediately after being injured, I returned to the Division of Detectives, City-County Building, and had the telephone operator endeavor to locate the City physician at his office and home, and was unable to do so. I then went out and met Dr. Schilldecker at the corner of Fifth avenue and Grant street, and he took me into McCullough's drug store at the corner and rendered first aid to my hand. Blood poison set in that same night at 10 o'clock, and I called in my family physician, Dr. W. H. Wesley, who attended me at my home until October 12, 1918, when he ordered me to the Pittsburgh Hospital in charge of Dr. Singley. Dr. Singley treated my hand from October 12 to March 22, 1919.

Yours very truly,
HOMER E. CROOKS,
City Detective.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. Dailey, received and filed.

BILL No. 2516. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Homer E. Crooks, City detective, for \$320.00, for expenses incurred by reason of injuries received while on duty, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1147.

In Council, April 28, 1919. Read and laid over for the present.

Which was read a second time.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the third reading and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution was read a third

time, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	

Noes—Messrs.

McArdle	Winters
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Ayes—7.

Noes—2.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2692. Report of the Committee on Finance for April 29, 1919, transmitting an ordinance and sundry resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2447. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating the position of assistant resident physician, Department of Charities, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospital, Mayview, and fixing the salary thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2588. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Laura McClure in the sum

of \$60.00 in full settlement of all claims for damages against the City for injuries sustained by falling on loose boards over a gutter on Savannah street, and charging the same to Code Account, Contingent Fund, No. 42.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2631. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
American Spiral Spring & Manufacturing Co.....	\$ 6.00	1809
Anchor Packing Co.....	42.50	1655
Arbuthnot Stephenson Co..	6.00	1148
Atlantic Refining Co.....	.60	1808
Bailey Farrell Manufac-turing Co.....	5.58	1165
Beckert Seed Store.....	6.20	1774
Bronze Age Metal Co.....	45.43	1165
Campbell Neldringhaus Co.	98.88	1664
Fairall Wall Paper Co.....	14.21	1570
Feick Brothers Co.....	3.60	1307
Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.	353.40	1165
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.....	7.15	1808
Greenwood Construction Co.....	28.50	1582
Hilltop Lumber Co.....	373.14	1037
Houston Brothers Co.....	.70	1533
Kaufmann-Baer Co.....	7.50	1811
Kennedy, D. J.....	28.23	1533
Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.....	3.76	1570

Lechner & Schoenberger Co.	1.50	1811
Lederle Antitoxin Labora-tories Co.....	105.00	1206
C. C. Mellor Co.....	1.00	1811
Point Motor Co.....	3.00	1673
Pittsburgh Office Equip-ment Co.....	14.00	1329
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	1.04	1467
Robbins Electric Co.....	2.40	1165
Scott & Co., I. W.....	119.55	1323
Standard Underground Cable Co.....	312.44	1175
Woodwell & Co., Joseph....	1.00	1556

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2464. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a quit-claim deed to R. A. Phillips, Clara A. Bubb, widow, George S. Bubb, William C. Bubb, Sarah B. Schaefer, Charles K. Brown, guardian of Edward J. Bubb III, Mildred Bubb and George Bubb, minors, and the Peoples Savings and Trust Company, formerly Safe Deposit and Trust Company of Pittsburgh trustee of the estate of Margaret Louise Bubb under the will of Edward J. Bubb, Sr., releasing any and all right, title, interest, claim or demand the City of Pittsburgh may have in or to the property at the corner of Federal street (now St. Luke's square) and Perrysville avenue, by reason of the vacation of certain sections of Federal street.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2688. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Robert G. Blackham, upon the payment of the sum of \$1,500.00 to the City, for lots Nos. 248 and 249, at the corner of Alger and Winterburn streets, Fifteenth ward.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2492. Resolution directing the City Solicitor to satisfy the lien at D. T. D. No. 753, September Term, 1911, against property of Catherine W. Webbe, in the Tenth ward and to have the costs of record paid by the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2632. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$100.00 from Code Account 1402, "Miscellaneous Services," and \$200.00 from Code Account 1406-B, "Supplies," General Office, Department of Public Works, to Code Account 1405, "Equipment," General Office, Department of Public Works.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2637. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$300.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Appropriation No. 1386, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2595. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,500.00 from the Contingent Fund, Appropriation No. 42, to Code Account No. 1561, Miscellaneous Services.

In Finance Committee, April 29, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$2,500.00" and by inserting in lieu thereof, "\$600.00" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2192. Resolution empowering and directing the City Solicitor to make an adjustment of the assessment made on the properties on the south side of Maripoe street by reason of the construction of a sewer on Glen way, and report to Council for action, charging all deductions to the City.

In Finance Committee, April 29, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the words "and report to Council for action" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "on the basis of \$1.25 per foot front" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also, with a negative recommendation.

Bill No. 2589. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor upon the payment to the City Treasurer of the sum of \$365.56 in cash, to make, execute and deliver a deed in the name of Ira H. Edmundson for certain property situate in the Fifteenth ward.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2693. Report of the Committee on Public Works for April 29, 1919, transmitting two ordinances and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2627. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public

sewer on Water street and Monongahela wharf at a point about 20 feet northwest of Ross street to the existing sewer on the Monongahela wharf opposite Grant street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2630. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Hillcrest street, from a point about 160 feet west of North Graham street to existing sewer on North Graham street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Rauh	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2628. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Allegheny Repair Co.....	\$112.84	1563
Allegheny Repair Co.....	36.10	1591
Allegheny Garbage Co.....	161.33	1588
P. F. Bartley.....	28.50	1583
Darlington Estate.....	21.00	1528
Douglass Storage Co.....	36.00	1530
B. H. Frazier.....	87.00	1516
B. H. Frazier.....	5.00	1665
P. J. Guina.....	.75	1665
Iron City Spring Co.....	1.50	1557
Maurice S. Martin.....	47.20	1810
James A. McKenna.....	158.25	1622
James A. McKenna.....	19.50	1583
James A. McKenna.....	122.42	1563
George Purdy.....	2.85	1665
Samuel Ward.....	.50	1775
Underwood Typewriter Co.	3.00	1640

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second time.

Mr. McArdle moved

To amend the resolution by striking out the words "Allegheny Garbage Company, 1588, \$161.33."

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution as read a second time and amended, was agreed to.

And the resolution was read a third time, and upon final passage, the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2694. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for April 29, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2292. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the construction, alteration, additions to, arrangement, equipment and the use and occupancy of buildings used for the storage, repair or housing of self-propelled vehicles containing volatile or highly inflammable fuel, which shall hereafter be known as buildings of Classification No. VII, and its sub-divisions; regulating the installation of storage systems for volatile or highly inflammable fuel; regulating the installation therein of heating, ventilating and lighting systems; providing for the issuance of construction and occupancy permits therefor and providing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Public Safety.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Dailey also presented

No. 2695. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for April 30, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2128. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating certain districts or zones in the City of Pittsburgh, to be known as Fire Zones No. I, Fire Zones No. II, and Zone No. III, and describing the boundary lines thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Public Safety.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2696. Report of the Committee on Charities and Correction for April 29, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2440. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of David Braun for \$2,080.72, for soap furnished the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, the same to be chargeable to and payable from City Account No. 1320.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	McArdle
Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 2697. Communication from F. P. Booth, chief investigator, Division of Investigation, City Clerk's office, reporting on the matter of families being left homeless by reason of the re-renting process of May 1.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2698. Whereas, There is now a bill pending in the State Legislature, the purpose of which is to fix definitely by State law the number and salary of the police magistrates for cities of the second class; and

Whereas, Such legislation is not only not based upon the needs of the City of Pittsburgh, as shown by its experience, but is subversive of the principle of home rule for cities, for which all advanced thinkers on political questions are contending; and

Whereas, The passage of laws imposing additional financial burdens on cities of the second class in matters of purely municipal administration is out of harmony with the needs and desires of the City of Pittsburgh and therefore against the interest and welfare of its citizens; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor and the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, duly chosen to represent the people of the City in the conduct of its municipal affairs, do hereby respectfully protest against the passage of the bill above referred to and against all other legislation which will, in effect, impose new burdens upon the City and its taxpayers and limit the exercise of reasonable municipal power and discretion on the part of the City itself; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be sent to the Governor, the President pro tem. of the Senate the Speaker of the House, and to all members of the Legislature representing districts which are wholly or in part within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President and Gentlemen—I am in hearty accord with the idea aimed at in this resolution, but I feel that unless we take up all legislation affecting the taxpayers of Pittsburgh and Allegheny County I don't think it is right to pick out any particular legislation, such as in this case. I might, in this connection, call your attention to the bill in the Legislature providing for the appointment of five mercantile appraisers at \$4,000.00 per annum, and changing the City assessors.

"The Council has some rights in the matter of hold-over magistrates that the Legislature has not taken away from us, and until Council acts on those matters which it does control, I don't think we ought to concern ourselves in the matter of the legislation at Harrisburg regarding the number and salary of police magistrates."

Mr. Garland arose and said:

"Mr. President and Gentlemen—The proposed legislation affecting police magistrates is on a sliding scale, allowing an additional magistrate for each 100,000 increase in population over 200,000, and starting at the latter figure, with a salary of \$2,500.00 the salary is advanced at a rate of \$500.00 for each 100,000 increase in population. On this reckoning the number of police magistrates in Pittsburgh would be fixed at nine and the salary at \$4,000.00.

"I don't believe the salary is too much

for the services performed by the police magistrates.

"This legislation, if enacted into law, would take these positions out of politics.

"I am willing to allow the Legislature to use its judgment in this matter, as I am confident they will legislate for the best interests of the City and State.

"If this bill becomes a law it will not take away from Council the power of approving or rejecting the names of the persons selected by the Mayor for the positions of police magistrates.

"This legislation only affects the cities of Pittsburgh and Scranton, and it may remain on the statute books for a long time before the population of Pittsburgh will necessitate additional magistrates.

"There is legislation of much more importance, pending in the Legislature, affecting the City of Pittsburgh, about which Council has not concerned itself. I am opposed to the passage of this resolution for the reasons stated."

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"Mr. President, the points covered by Mr. Garland do not seem to be very deeply involved in this resolution. The question of how much pay shall be given the magistrates in the City of Pittsburgh is not fixed in the resolution, and the resolution does not attempt to determine or imply in any sense how much salary shall be paid the magistrates in the City of Pittsburgh.

"Under the existing law \$4,000.00, \$5,000.00 or \$6,000.00 annually might be paid police magistrates in the City of Pittsburgh if it were the wisdom of the governing authorities to pay them that sum. That authority ought to rest with the City authorities, just as I believe the power of fixing the number should rest with the City Council.

"Now, if the bill purports to furnish to each city of the second class the number of magistrates necessary to carry on that function it leaves a very large latitude between one number and another upon its graduated basis and, in doing that, it does not provide any argument why a magistrate, sitting in a district in the City, which has not been affected by the City's increase in population, so far as his work is concerned, should have his salary automatically increased.

"The thing involved in this is much larger than in this one act itself. This City and this County has sat with more or less complacency for the past several years and seen legislation go through the State Legislature which has imposed continued financial burdens upon the County and the City without any regard, so far as the officers of the City and County were concerned, to the needs of either the County or the City.

"Such legislation as this is destructive

of the theory of home rule for Pittsburgh; and whether or not we are sleeping upon our rights regarding other legislation, pending, passed or to be introduced in the future, has nothing to do with whether this is right or wrong in principle, and does seem to me to justify taking action on same.

"We know that every city, with its knowledge and its experience in attempting to deal with city problems, knows that those problems are peculiar to themselves and are not problems that can be acted upon with any great degree of intelligence by men who are familiar only with the affairs of a small country village and who are in the overwhelming majority in the passage of such laws affecting the life and interest of cities like Pittsburgh.

"Now we are concerned with the question of taxation as we have never before been concerned. Everywhere we turn we are met with a new evidence of taxation, from the child who purchases a glass of soda water to the man who buys a silk shirt or the woman who buys some needed commodity for herself; and the City is proposing to go on a program of needed public improvements for municipal purposes and even a large national purpose, and the people are going to be asked to give their approval to incur these new taxations to meet these needs; and I cannot see how we can consistently do it as a city if we are going, at the same time, to take the position that it is the utmost indifference to us what other taxes are imposed upon the people when there is no reason or rhyme why the taxes should be increased. Instead of taking such power away from the City the Legislature should be granting more authority to the City. The cry is for more power for the City and less rule from outside sources. If this were done so as to allow cities to deal with problems that are peculiarly their own, it would give the people, who must bear the burdens, the right to say whether they shall or shall not leave in the hands of those who must in every case respond to the people for their action, and that is not the case where the City is going to be governed in these minute matters by the State Legislature.

"It should be made plain that the Council and the Mayor have sufficient knowledge of the needs of the City, so far as the administration of the magistrates' office is concerned, to know how many they need and what would be a fair rate of compensation to give them. If the Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania wants to say that the City has power to create fifty magistrates for the City of Pittsburgh and that it has power to pay them at the rate of \$10,000.00 a year, I have no objection to that, as that is giving power to the City of Pittsburgh, and the exercise of that power will rest solely upon the people who

must bear the burden of any expense incurred. That is not the case in this proposed law, regardless of whether we have six, nine or twelve magistrates, and regardless of whether the compensation is half or twice as much as we are now paying. We must not only fix the salary at the price fixed by the Legislature, but we must obey the law and provide compensation for the number fixed in the bill. Most of the people who will vote upon the bill will know absolutely nothing of what the needs of the City are."

Mr. Burke arose and said:

"Mr. President, I believe that Council should, on all measures that are offered at Harrisburg, that pertain to the City of Pittsburgh, thoroughly consider them in open meeting, and whatever action is taken on them by the Council should be forwarded by the Clerk to Harrisburg. Mr. Garland well said that there are other bills in the Legislature that Council should take action on. There are other reasons today why we should vote for the resolution before us besides what has been stated by any member of Council who has spoken on the question.

"In 1917, shortly after the Council was installed, the Mayor submitted the names of five police magistrates for approval. Protests poured in against these men holding the office of police magistrates and public opinion rendered its verdict against their fitness. In response to the public protest Council by majority vote, rejected the names of the five men and to date the Mayor has failed to submit the names of any other men, and these five have been continued in office. This, I believe, is in opposition to the will of the people and, as I believe greater public good would have resulted from the appointment of men approved by Council and in whom the people have confidence, I am therefore, under the circumstances and conditions surrounding the offices of the present police magistrates, voting in favor of this resolution."

Mr. Bauh arose and said:

"Mr. President, I wish to put myself on record as being in favor of home rule for cities of the second class. I have always been in favor of home rule for Pittsburgh.

"However, I must agree with Mr. Garland and Mr. English that we should not pick out one or two bills now pending in the Legislature affecting the City of Pittsburgh and take no action on the many other bills which are pending or ready to be passed by the Legislature vitally affecting the interests of Pittsburgh. Some of these bills, if passed, would place a heavy burden upon the shoulders of the taxpayers of Pittsburgh and Allegheny County.

"For the reasons stated I am going to

vote against the adoption of the resolution."

And the question recurring on the adoption of the resolution, Mr. McArdle demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke	Herron (President)
Dailey	McArdle

Noes—Messrs.

English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Hauh	

Ayes—4.

Noes—5.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the negative, the resolution was rejected.

Mr. Winters moved

That Council meet in special session on Friday, May 9, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of taking up Bill No. 2651, an Ordinance authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00) dollars and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount to provide for the improvement of Bigelow boulevard, and providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Burke presented

No. 2699. Whereas, There has been introduced into the House of Representatives Bill No. 1175, commonly called the "Sedition Bill," reading as follows:

AN ACT

Defining sedition and prescribing the punishment therefor.

Section 1—Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the word "sedition" as used in this Act, shall mean:

Any writing, publication, printing, cut, cartoon, utterance or conduct, either individually or in connection or combination with any other person or persons, which tends

(a) To incite or arouse discontent against the government of this State or of the United States.

(b) To make any outbreak or demonstration of violence against this State or against the United States.

(c) To encourage any person or persons to take any measures or engage in any conduct with a view of overthrowing or destroying or attempting to overthrow

or destroy by any force or show or threat of force the government of this State or of the United States.

(d) To disturb the peace and tranquillity of this State or of the United States.

(e) To incite or encourage any person or persons to commit any overt act of any character with a view to bringing the government of this State or of the United States into hatred or contempt.

(f) To incite any person or persons to do or attempt to do any personal injury or harm to any officer of this state or of the United States or to damage or destroy any public property of any kind whatsoever or the property of any public official because of his official position.

It shall also include

(g) The actual damage to or destruction of any public property or the property of any public official perpetrated because the owner or occupant is in official position.

(h) Any writing, publication, printing, cut, cartoon, or utterance which advocates or teaches the duty, necessity or propriety of engaging in crime, violence or any form of terrorism as a means of accomplishing industrial or political reform.

(i) The sale of any prints, publications, books, papers, documents or written matter in any form which advocates, furthers or teaches sedition as hereinbefore defined.

(j) Organizing or helping to organize or becoming a member of an assembly society or group where any of the policies or purposes thereof are seditious as hereinbefore defined.

(k) Knowingly or wilfully renting by the owner, agent, superintendent, janitor or occupant of any building, place or room for any assemblage of persons for the purpose of engaging in any form of sedition as hereinbefore defined or knowingly and wilfully permitting, by any of the persons aforesaid, any assemblage of persons for such purpose.

Section 2—Sedition, as defined in Section 1 of this Act, shall be a felony, and any person convicted thereof shall be sentenced to a fine of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) and not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) and to imprisonment not exceeding twenty years, either or both, in the discretion of the Court.

Section 3—All Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Now, Whereas, This bill is one of the most nefarious ever introduced into any legislative body and is a blow at the rights and liberty guaranteed the citizens of Pennsylvania by the Constitution of the United States; therefore, be it

Resolved That City Council of Pittsburgh, in session assembled, this 5th day of May, A. D. 1919, goes on record in opposition to the passage of the bill, because it is an insult to the law-abiding and loyal citizens of our City and State; and be it further

Resolved, That Council notify the Governor, the Attorney General and the members of the legislative branches at Harrisburg of our action, disapproving the bill.

Which was read.

Mr. Burke moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Burke arose and said:

"Mr. President, it is a strange thing to me that at this time, when our boys are returning home from overseas, where they made the great fight for human rights and personal liberty, that in this great industrial State any man would have the temerity to concoct such a notorious piece of legislation as Sedition Bill 1175, and, further, that any man would be so lost to common decency and a sense of shame as to present such a bill.

"This bill vicious in character, subtle in meaning, is the most damnable scheme ever perpetrated against a free and liberty-loving people. It is a blot upon the name of the State. Its sole purpose—and its one intent—is to hold in subjection the working people—to crush labor, to deny the working people the right of public speech, the right of public assembly, the right to offer protest against any intolerable political or industrial conditions.

"During the trying war period, when so much depended upon the industrial plants of this State, we found the Pennsylvania working people laboring heart and soul for the cause. There was no violence—no disloyalty—but every working man, woman and child did their bit for their country, and on the shoulders of the working people fell heavily the burden of the war. The sacrifice was theirs—from the homes of the workers went forth the sons, brothers and the husbands, and into the homes of the workers have entered sorrow and desolation, due to the ravages of war.

"We sent the sturdy sons of toil—the men on whom our country most depended to go to foreign shores to fight and battle for the sacred cause of liberty—and this State government would deny them that for which they fought—for which their blood was shed.

"It is apparent that there is a hidden hand connected with the bill, and I have no doubt, if the true facts came to light, that we would find the Grundy interest and the great Pennsylvania Railroad the real instigators of the measure.

"Council, in justice to the people of this City and as citizens of this State should resent the measure as a criminal act, perpetrated against the common people."

Mr. Garland moved

That the resolution be laid over until the meeting on Friday, in order that the members may look into the bill more carefully.

Mr. Robertson arose and said:

"Mr. President, in support of Mr. Garland's motion I want to state that I am not familiar with the provisions of the bill and would like to have it laid over for a few days, so that I may have an opportunity to read the bill."

Mr. Burke arose and said:

"Mr. President, if there are no objections, I would request that we act on the resolution today. The bill may be passed before our meeting on Friday."

Mr. Garland arose and said:

"Mr. President, I don't know whether all the members of Council are familiar with the provisions of the bill or not. I am familiar with its provisions, and I am ready to vote on the resolution now. I am for the bill now pending in the Legislature, known as Sedition Bill No. 1175, and say it unqualifiedly. I am against the Bolsheviks and the I. W. W.'s and want to put myself on record now as being opposed to anyone who is disloyal to his Nation, State or City."

The Chair said:

"I want to say, in justice to the laboring people of this great City, Council should go on record as being opposed to the enactment of this legislation. Under its strict interpretation organized labor's rights to hold meetings would be jeopardized. The United States Attorney for this District, Mr. Humes, at a meeting of the Civic Club stated that this bill is dangerous and vicious in character and should not be enacted into a law. I am, therefore, in favor of the resolution."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I am not in favor of voting on this protest today, because I am not familiar with the bill now in the Legislature. I would prefer to lay it over for a few days to give us an opportunity to look into it. It may be all right and it may not, but no harm can result to give some of us a few days to get some information on the matter."

And the question recurring on the motion to lay the resolution over until Friday, the ayes and noes were ordered taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Mr.
Robertson

Noes—Messrs.

Burke Herron (President)
Dailey McArdle

English Rauh
Garland Winters

Ayes—1.

Noes—8.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the negative, the motion was rejected.

And the question recurring on the adoption of the resolution, the ayes and noes were ordered taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Burke McArdle
Herron (President) Rauh

Noes—Messrs.

Dailey Robertson
Garland

(Messrs. English and Winters not voting.)

When the name of Mr. Winters was called he arose and said:

"Mr. President and Gentlemen—I am not voting on this resolution, because I do not believe we have sufficient information as to the merits or demerits of the bill now pending in the Legislature, and for the further reason that I don't think it has any place in the deliberations of this body. It is not properly the function of Council."

Ayes—4.

Noes—3.

And there not being a majority of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the motion to adopt did not prevail.

And, on motion of Mr. Garland,

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Friday, May 9, 1919.

Council met in special session pursuant to the following call:

Pittsburgh, May 6, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,
Clerk of Council.

Dear Sir—Please call a special meeting of Council for Friday, May 9, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of taking up Bill No. 2651, an Ordinance authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00) dollars and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount to provide for the improvement of Bigelow boulevard, and providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds.

Yours very truly,

JOHN S. HERRON,
President of Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	

Absent—Messrs.

Burke	Winters
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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 2700. Report of the Committee on Finance for May 5, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2651. An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00) dollars and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount to provide for the improvement of Bigelow boulevard, and providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds."

Which was read.

Mr. **Garland** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

And, on motion of Mr. **Garland**,

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, May 12, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
English Rauh
Garland Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Absent—Mr.
Burke

The **Chair** stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meetings of Council for May 5 and 9, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. **Robertson** moved

That the minutes of the meetings of Council for May 5 and 9, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. **Dalley** presented

No. 2701. Petition of A. Gross MacConnell, asking that his mother, Mrs. Mathilda G. MacConnell, be reimbursed in the sum of \$3,937.75 for assessments against her property on Friendship avenue.

Also

No. 2702. Resolution authoriz-

ing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Mathilda G. MacConnell for \$3,937.75, refunding certain assessments paid by her to the City for street improvements on Friendship avenue, and charging same to Code Account No. —

Also

No. 2703. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$900.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2704. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for remodeling the Department of Public Safety Building, to provide proper quarters for the detention of juvenile prisoners.

Also

No. 2705. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Chester A. Warburton.....	\$ 16.00	1147
Keystone Laundry Co.....	101.32	1147
Kaufmann Department Stores.....	22.00	1159-O
Keystone Laundry Co.....	6.96	Engine Room

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. **English** presented

No. 2706. An Ordinance authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00)

and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount for the purpose of paying the purchase money due Joseph P. Reed and the Wagman Estate, under ordinance approved April 4, 1919, authorizing the purchase of lands from said parties for playground purposes, and providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds.

Also

No. 2707. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Keystone Typewriter Service Company for \$18.50 for repairs to Underwood Typewriter No. 3, 23669, and charging same to Code Account No. 1074, and also a warrant in favor of said Keystone Typewriter Service Company for \$16.00 for repairing two other Underwood typewriters in the Department of Law, and charging same to Code Account No. 1089, and also a warrant in favor of the Baker Office Furniture Company for \$3.75 for repairs to chairs in the Department of Law, and charging same to Code Account No. 1074.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2708. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Bircher Co., Inc.....	\$175.00	1066
Duncan & Porter Co.....	8.78	1532
Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co.....	2.40	1175
Link Belt Co., The.....	138.26	187-A

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Buchanan, W. P.....	22.20	1168
Gulf Refining Co.....	25.00	1031
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.....	10.30	1320
Hamilton's Piano Store.....	3.25	1811
Iron City Electric Co.....	186.90	1673
Johnson Music Co.....	115.00	1323
Pittsburgh Speedometer Service Station.....	12.25	1032
Passavant Hospital.....	18.75	1215
Robbins Electric Co.....	10.14	1032
Robbins Electric Co.....	168.10	1164
Shipley Massingham Co.....	59.62	1232
Wheeler Condenser & Engineering Co.....	71.75	1656
Wolfe Brush Co.....	2.07	1723

Also

No. 2709. Resolution authoriz-

ing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$551.76 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Code Account No. 1568, Miscellaneous Services, City-County Building, Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2710. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Azimuth way from Mildred way to the existing sewer on Bryant street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2711. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to detail the chief and the auto mechanic of the Bureau of Fire to attend the convention of the International Association of Fire Fighters, which will be held in Kansas City, Mo., June 24 to 27, 1919, both inclusive, and authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of said chief and auto mechanic of the Bureau of Fire to pay for the expenses incurred by them in their attendance at the convention, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2712. An Ordinance granting unto the Carnegie Steel Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a bridge over and above West Carson street, Nineteenth ward City of Pittsburgh, approximately nineteen hundred (1,900) feet east of South Main street, for the purpose of conveying material, etc., between the buildings of the Carnegie Steel Company, said buildings being located on opposite sides of West Carson street, known as the Painter Works.

Also

No. 2713. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Los Angeles avenue, from Crosby avenue to a point 245.61 feet southwardly therefrom.

Also

No. 2714. An Ordinance establishing the grade of Shiras avenue, from Broadway to Candace street.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Baugh presented

No. 2715. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to R. Z. Joseph for Lot No. 8 in Kirkpatrick, Mellon and Robb Plan, located on Penn avenue, between Fortieth and Fisk streets, Ninth ward, for the sum of \$1,250.00.

Also

No. 2716. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to M. J. Ehrenfeld, in behalf of R. C. Morgan for a strip of ground located at the corner of Ophelia and Forbes streets, Fourth ward, upon the payment of \$500.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2717. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract of contracts for laundry work for the Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works, from May 15, 1919, to December 31, 1919.

Also

No. 2718. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk of Murdoch street, from a point about 150 feet south of Forbes street to the existing sewer on Darlington road, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2719. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Fred A. Twaley in the sum of \$200.00, in full settlement of any and all claims for injuries received on March 15, 1918, by falling into sewer hole on account of defective lid, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2720. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to satisfy the liens filed against Louisa and Jacob Horn's property on Spice street, Twenty-sixth ward, at M. L. D. Nos. 127 and 128, April Term, 1919, for assessment against said property for construction of sewer on Oakdale street, with branch sewer on said Spice street, upon the payment of said assessment of \$125.00, with interest, and charging the costs thereon to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2721. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the

Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts for the grading and improvement of the playgrounds located on Fulton street, Page street, Fontella street and Paulsey way, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2722. An Ordinance providing for the appointment of one chauffeur in the General Office of the Department of Public Safety, and fixing the salary therefor.

Also (by request)

No. 2723. An ordinance creating position for assistant superintendent in the Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works, at a salary of \$2 400.00 per annum.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2724. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Allegheny Repair Co.....	\$ 13.00	1591
Allegheny Repair Co.....	13.69	1622
Auto Specialties Co.....	31.00	1657
Campbell Niedringhaus		
Tire Service Co.....	3.50	1665
The Central Press Bureau	10.00	1414
The Central Press Bureau	1.35	1807
M. E. Cunningham Co.....	2.35	1404
Darlington Estate.....	19.50	1528
Duff Manufacturing Co.....	3.25	1557
Empire Laundry Co., The..	6.40	1807
Andrew Engel	36.45	1516
J. Föstenbacher & Son.....	3.65	1718
Dr. Agnes Burns Ferguson	16.25	1810
B. H. Frazier.....	7.25	1525
B. H. Frazier.....	59.40	1516
Hacker Brothers	8.00	1516
D. Hastings	29.25	1775
William A. Hoff.....	744.00	1554
Edw. M. Horen.....	183.75	1554
H. Hunziker	48.00	1525
Iron City Harness Supply		
Co.....	12.50	1516
J. I. Malroye.....	255.50	1554
Mayer Wagon Co.....	3.50	1516
J. & J. B. Milholland Co....	10.00	1525
Moore Brothers	5.00	1701
H. D. Moorhead & Co.....	70.00	1554
James McBurney	105.88	1662
James A. McKenna.....	44.25	1563
James A. McKenna.....	19.35	1622

McQuillan Brothers	4.50	1657
Nelson & Smeltz.....	122.50	1554
Pannier Bros. Stamp Co....	4.40	1475
Pearson Manufacturing Co....	170.04	1557
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Machine Co.....	5.00	1557
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Machine Co.....	9.50	1657
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.	5.45	1685
Profit Sharing Laundry Co.	142.50	1568
George Purdy	26.25	1516
Henry Rectanus	13.75	1516
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	40.55	1516
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	4.50	1525
Underwood Typewriter Co....	6.00	1406-A
Union Transfer & Storage Co.	114.75	1772
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	9.72	1568
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	9.72	1579
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	9.73	1588
Samuel Ward	6.00	1665
S. Ward	8.50	1775
Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.....	102.85	1657
Wappat Gear Works.....	86.38	1557

Also

No. 2725. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and delivery of one (1) seven-ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller and one (1) five-ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller for the asphalt plants of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, and providing for the payment thereof.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The Chair presented

No. 2726. An Ordinance amending Line 15, Section 34, Department of Public Health, Tuberculosis Hospital, and Line 3, Section 35, Department of Public Health, Municipal Hospital of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2727. An Ordinance amending an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$174,000.00), and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount, to provide for the improvement and extension of the water system, including the purchase and installation of meters, the acquiring of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling

and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, and the acquiring of real estate and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," approved April 9, 1919.

Also

No. 2728. Communication from W. A. Hamilton, asking to be reimbursed in the sum of \$29.95 for expenses incurred in having automobile repaired which was damaged by machine driven by one of the City plumbing inspectors.

Also

No. 2729. Communication from Lincoln Board of Trade, asking that the recreation work carried on by the Bureau of Recreation in the Strand Building, Lincoln avenue, be continued and that the City take over the present lease for said portion of building, which lease expires May 1, 1920.

Also

No. 2730. Report of the Department of Public Health, showing removal of garbage and rubbish during the month of April, 1919, and the month of April, 1918.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2731. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Prescott street, Dido way, Flowers avenue and Kilbourne street, from point about 30 feet west of Graphic street and 480 feet west of Dido way to the existing sewer on Kilbourne street at a point about 100 feet west of Flowers avenue, with branch sewers on Clarion street and Flowers avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2732. Communication from F. E. McGillick, regarding the closing of Thomas street to public uses.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2733. Report of the Committee on Finance for May 6, 1919, transmitting an ordinance and several resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2121. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Line 1, Section 66, 'Janitor,' North Side Mu-

micipal Hall, Department of Public Works, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2662. Resolved That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	No.	Appropriation
Abdou Printing Co.....	\$ 27.25	1048	
Atlantic Refining Co.....	23.14	1773	
R. B. Specialty Co.....	23.10	1658	
Dayton Airless Tire Co.....	804.70	1165	
Felck Brothers Co.....	7.30	1236	
Heeren Brothers Co.....	3.83	1175	
Lewis Co. R. T.....	7.50	1048	
McKenna Brass & Mfg. Co.	3.99	1556	
Manufacturers Light & Heat Co.....	509.07	1320	
Packard Motor Co.....	2.37	1032	
Packard Motor Co.....	12.83	1556	
Pearson Manufacturing Co.	19.00	1746	
Pittsburgh Provision Co.....	1.45	1663	
The Presto-Lite Co.....	1.00	1164	
Robbins Electric Co.....	1.00	1164	

Robbins Electric Co.....	11.78	1321
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.....	750.00	1656
Scobie & Parker Co.....	2.00	1224
Scientific Materials Co.....	5.50	1655
Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Co.....	13.00	1656
Woodwell Co., Joseph.....	3.90	1556

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2405. Resolution transferring \$1,500.00 from Code Account 1673, Materials, to Code Account 1675, Equipment and Machinery, Bureau of Light.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2677. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the balance of \$600.00 in the contract authorization of Code Account 1599 to Contract No. 795, same code account, to

pay for extra work in installation of new meat stalls at South Side Market.
Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2678. Resolution authorizing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$353.50 from Code Account No. 1601-G, Structural and Non-structural Improvements at the South Side Market, to Contract No. 795, Code Account 1599, for installing of new meat stalls at the South Side Market.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2679. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 182, Water Improvement and Extension Loan Fund, to Appropriation No. 182-A, Salaries and Expenses, Bureau of Water, the sum of \$1,000.00, for the purpose of payment of engineering, mechan-

ical and other services performed by employees of, or furnished to, the Bureau of Water, in the improvement and extension of water system, installation of meters, etc.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2734. Report of the Committee on Public Works for May 6, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2672. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 328, entitled, 'An Ordinance locating Fair Oaks street, from Shady avenue to Beechwood avenue' approved March 5, 1895."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2735. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for May 6, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2658. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
The Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.	\$ 2.95	1147
Bunting Stamp Co.	1.50	1147
The Pittsburgh Hospital.	6.00	1147
Wm. R. Reynolds.	709.44	1147
The Thomas Lane Co.	25.00	1150
American Typewriter Inspection Co.	1.00	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros.	17.66	1150
Kaufmann Department Stores.	10.00	1159-O
Animal Rescue League.	866.03	1160
Drs. Goldsmith & Gorfinkel.	20.00	1163
Keystone Laundry Co.	187.68	1163
W. H. Champ.	19.35	1166
Bertram G. Case.	116.44	1166
American Atmos Corporation.	55.00	1166
Robbins Electric Co.	.75	1166
H. W. Johns-Manville Co.	2.30	1166
Doubleday - Hill Electric Co.	9.02	1166
Walter E. Hague & Son.	2.00	1166
A. H. Johnson.	3.30	1166
J. G. Weir & Son.	425.00	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.	27.70	1166
Terheyden Co.	5.00	1166
August Loch.	3.00	1166

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second time.

Mr. Dailey moved

To amend the resolution by striking out the item "Wm. R. Reynolds, \$709.44, Appropriation No. 1147."

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as read a second time and amended, was agreed to.

And the resolution was read a third time, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey Rauh
English Robertson
Herron (President) Winters
McArdle

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2736. Whereas, Senate Bill No. 814, now pending in the State Legislature, the purpose of which is to permit the Civil Service Commission of second class cities to certify, before the beginning of each fiscal year the amount required to operate the Civil Service Commission, and Council shall appropriate annually for the use of the Civil Service Commission the sum certified; and

Whereas, Such legislation, if passed, will impose a new burden upon the taxpayers of the City of Pittsburgh and take from Council its right to determine what is necessary to operate the Civil Service Commission and is, therefore, against the interests and welfare of its citizens; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor and Council of the City of Pittsburgh do hereby commend Governor Sproul for his stand against this legislation (reports in newspapers quoting the Governor as being against taking the power of appropriations away from the Council), and respectfully call the attention of Governor Sproul to the fact that another bill is pending in the State Legislature increasing the number and salaries of the police magistrates for second class cities, which is open to the same objection as that raised by the Governor to the bill relating to the Civil Service Commission.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I am in sympathy with the purpose of the resolution introduced by Mr. Dailey, as I am opposed to any further curtailment of home rule for the City of Pittsburgh. However, in my opinion, as I stated on the resolution relating to police magistrates on last Monday, I don't think we can accomplish much by picking out any particular subject.

"You will recall that last week I suggested that we should clean up this en-

the situation in one resolution. As I have prepared such a resolution and intend to introduce it after decision is made on the resolution now before us I cannot see my way clear to vote for this resolution."

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"Mr. President, is Mr. English offering his resolution as a substitute for the one submitted by Mr. Dailey?"

The Chair:

"I don't know. He did not say so in his remarks."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, if, under the rules, my resolution covering this subject can be substituted for the one introduced by Mr. Dailey I will present it at this time for Council's consideration."

The Chair:

"I can see no objection why it cannot be introduced at this time."

Mr. English presented

No. 2737. Whereas, A number of bills have been introduced in the State Legislature which are of doubtful benefit to the welfare of the City of Pittsburgh, the larger of the two cities classed as second class cities in the State of Pennsylvania; and

Whereas, Certain of the bills referred to are actually detrimental to the welfare of the City of Pittsburgh and seriously interfere with the finances and government of the City; therefore

We, the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, respectfully urge His Honor, the Mayor, to join in the following resolution to be sent to His Excellency, Governor Sproul, and the Honorable Senators and Representatives in the General Assembly of the State of Pennsylvania:

Resolved, First, That the great changes in times and conditions brought about by the progress of recent years indicate that the Constitution of the State of Pennsylvania should be revised and brought up to date; and

Second. Pending action by a convention to consider changes in the State Constitution, we respectfully urge the State authorities to reject any proposed changes in the laws affecting the affairs of the municipal government regarding elections, number of officials, salaries or any other measures which would take from the municipality the right and power to administer the affairs of the City.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

That this resolution be accepted as a substitute for Bill No. 2736.

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, in the resolution which I have introduced it is plainly stated that the State Constitution is in need of revision, and if the Council adopts this resolution we would then be on record in favor of the revision of the State Constitution. In the second place, pending such revision, it is our petition to the State authorities that they reject any legislation which interferes with the City of Pittsburgh. You will note that it is my intention to enlist the aid of His Honor, the Mayor, by asking that he join with the Council in the purposes aimed at by this resolution.

"There are so many bills pending in the Legislature affecting our City that would indicate that the best method of attacking them would be to protest against all of them. In my opinion, it is much better to do this than to pick out a few bills which happen to receive some publicity in the newspapers. There may be a dozen snakey bills in the Legislature, apparently harmless, to which attention has not been called, and for this reason it is my judgment that we ask the State to call a halt on all kinds and sorts of measures which would interfere with the government of Pittsburgh.

"As I said before, I am not opposed to the protest against the police magistrate bill or the Civil Service Commission bill, or the bills relating to the assessors or the mercantile appraisers, but I think this one resolution of mine covers the entire subject, and for that reason I deem it the best one for us to pass."

Mr. Dailey arose and said:

"Mr. President, in the inaugural address of Governor Sproul, I believe, he stated he was for a constitutional convention, but not for at least two years.

"The gentleman showed me a copy of his resolution Saturday. It is more camouflage. It is similar in character to the resolution offered by Mr. McArdle at our last meeting and mine on the Civil Service Commission. It is no different and merely aims at the same purpose for which the previous two resolutions provide for.

"If a constitutional convention will not be held for two years this substitute resolution will have no effect on bills now pending. I endeavored to present my resolution at the special meeting of Council last Friday, but it was ruled out of order, as the call for the meeting was for taking action on the bond ordinance and no other business could be transacted at that meeting. In view of that fact, I announced I would present the resolution today. The Council can either accept or reject my resolution, as it sees fit."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I must object most strenuously to the term camouflage in my resolution. The gentleman admits that I showed it to him and that he was given an opportunity to study it. It certainly is not fair to charge me with camouflage after giving him a copy of my resolution. He did not show me a copy of his resolution.

"The remarks I made on the resolution last week applying to the resolution on the police magistrates also apply to Mr. Dailey's resolution. I am entirely in accord with the idea aimed at in his resolution, but don't believe it goes far enough.

"In addition to voicing our protest against legislation regarding elections, increasing salaries of City officials, and fixing their number, we should also go on record that we are for a change of the Constitution. Some of the laws affecting Pittsburgh are antiquated and do not harmonize with the conditions of the present day, and it is high time that we should ask for a change in the Constitution.

"I go a step farther in my resolution than Mr. Dailey or the one presented last week by Mr. McArdle and ask that any and all bills relating to our municipal government be held in abeyance. There are many bills in the Legislature affecting Pittsburgh. I think we are making a mistake in embroiling ourselves into controversies over this subject. My resolution, if adopted, will put the matter up to the Mayor. You will note that it respectfully urges the Mayor, if he approves of our action, to join Council in a protest to be sent to Harrisburg, and I am free enough to say that if the Mayor does not join with us on this, I will urge that we pass my resolution or a similar one at our next meeting as representing the thought of Council."

Mr. Dailey arose and said:

"Mr. President, I repeat that the second resolution is camouflage. It covers the same subject which Mr. McArdle had in his resolution of last week and furnishes an alibi upon which to vote. The resolution does not cover a single point that is of vital interest to the people of Pittsburgh which was not covered in the resolution offered by Mr. McArdle last week and voted down."

Mr. Garland arose and said:

"Mr. President, I want to say this as a contribution to what has already been said on the subject. You know that at the last meeting, when nine members were present, the resolution relating to the police magistrates was defeated by a vote of 5 to 4. That subject was then disposed of. Now Mr. Dailey, in his resolution, injects the subject of police magistrates. I don't think we should be

asked to vote again on a subject that has already been disposed of by Council.

"In regard to the resolution offered by Mr. English, calling for a revision of the State Constitution, I might say that it takes several years to get such legislation through. Governor Sproul is considering the names of men to act on the commission to revise the Constitution of the State of Pennsylvania. I believe it is a step in the right direction. We certainly need such a revision and I am quite sure it will go through.

"I am opposed to Mr. Dailey's resolution, but will vote for the one offered by Mr. English."

The Chair said:

"Gentlemen, I desire to express my opinion as being willing to vote for any legislation which will give to the City of Pittsburgh home rule."

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"Mr. President, I am in favor of the substitute resolution for the reason that it covers the whole subject in a general way. Mr. Dailey's resolution merely refers to the Civil Service Commission and the police magistrates' legislation pending at Harrisburg. His resolution calls attention to two specific bills, while I am informed that there are probably six or seven bills pending affecting the City of Pittsburgh which take away from the Council their right to decide certain things. Mr. English's resolution covers all such bills, and he asks that, pending the time of the convening of a constitutional convention, the Governor disapprove any legislation changing the laws relating to Pittsburgh which deprives Council of its rights.

"Mr. Dailey states that a constitutional convention may not be held for two years. Whether it should be held in two years or ten years, if the Governor coincides with this resolution that no changes detrimental to the City's interests and which deprive Council of its rightful powers, no harm can come to the City's interests.

"I don't like to question the motive of any man. I think it is his prerogative and his right, as a member of Council, to ask questions as to the merits and demerits of any subject presented to this Council, and in this case, where we have two resolutions, I think it is a member's right to vote for the one which he believes is the best. I think the author of the original resolution brought about the presentation of the substitute resolution himself by announcing three or four days before the time set for the meeting the contents of it. Sometimes publicity is a good thing and sometimes it is not, and sometimes it gives the other fellow a chance to investigate what you are doing and if he does and takes advantage of the situation and brings in a

resolution which is stronger and better in form, I think it is the duty of Council to adopt the better resolution—the one which covers the subject thoroughly and to the point and not merely one item out of six or seven, as the case may be. It is the right of every member of Council to vote for the measure which he thinks is the best for the City. I feel like Mr. Garland. I am willing to vote for the substitute resolution, but am opposed to any that merely covers one or two specific items. The reason for voting on the police magistrate resolution is a debatable one—just as it is on the Civil Service Commission measure. I had no information as to what the bill relating to the Civil Service Commission contained, and the only information that I received was through one of the daily newspapers; and before I am willing to judge of the merits or demerits of a measure and condemn those responsible for the presentation of the Act I want more tangible evidence than the mere story carried in the newspapers. With all due respect to the newspapers, there is sometimes a misquotation.

"I believe Council has some rights in this matter, and I don't want to be radical, and I have respect for the members of the Legislature. I don't believe all of them would legislate to the detriment of the City, as some would want to imply. However, I don't want to go into that phase of it. I want to say that I am in favor of home rule. I am going to vote for the substitute resolution, because it covers the subject in a general way."

And the question recurring on the motion to accept the resolution as a substitute for Bill No. 2736, the ayes and noes were ordered taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Rauh	

Noes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Herron (President)	

Ayes—5.

Noes—3.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Mr. Garland moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Upon which motion the ayes and noes were ordered taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
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Ayes—6.

Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2738. Whereas It was disclosed, during the hearings before Council of rent payers, that there was an insufficient number of houses in the City of Pittsburgh to properly care for the workmen and employees and other persons who were obliged to live in Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, It had been proposed by the government to appropriate a sum of \$60,000,000.00 to be used, under proper regulation, to encourage the building of homes, particularly for working men; and

Whereas, With the signing of the armistice, the plans heretofore referred to were dropped, but the over-crowded condition and necessity for homes still prevails; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, that the six Congressmen representing this section of Pennsylvania, namely, the Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first, Thirty-second districts and the two Congressmen-at-large, be and they are hereby respectfully requested to prepare and introduce in the National Congress suitable legislation which will make available to the working men of Pittsburgh funds at a low rate of interest for the construction of homes; and be it further

Resolved, That the plan heretofore evolved by the Congress and the United States government, under which loans are made to farmers, through the federal farm loan banks, be recommended to the aforesaid Congressmen as a plan which might, with certain revisions, be made applicable to the housing situation in Pittsburgh; and be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Council be and he is hereby instructed, immediately upon the passage of this resolution, to transmit a copy hereof to each of the Congressmen aforesaid.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 2739. An Act, authorizing all municipalities of this Commonwealth to purchase and acquire property and to apply, use, improve and develop the property thus acquired and the property now or hereafter owned by the said

municipalities for the purposes of building, constructing and erecting dwelling houses, apartments and homes; authorizing the said municipalities to lease and sell the same, with such restrictions in the leases and the deeds of sale in regard to the preservation of the appearance, light, air, health and usefulness thereof; and providing for the payment for the property purchased and acquired for the building, constructing and erecting of said dwelling houses, apartments and homes; and the appropriation and expenditure of public funds for said purposes.

Section 1—Be it enacted, etc., That it shall be lawful for and the right is hereby conferred upon all municipalities of this Commonwealth to purchase and acquire private property and to apply use, improve and develop property thus acquired and property now or hereafter owned by the said municipalities for the building, constructing and erecting of dwelling houses, apartments and homes, whenever the Councils thereof shall by ordinance determine thereon.

Section 2—That it shall be lawful for and the right is hereby conferred upon the municipalities of this Commonwealth to build, construct and erect dwelling houses, apartments and homes on property thus purchased and acquired and on property now or hereafter owned by the said municipalities, and the said municipalities are hereby authorized to enter into all necessary agreements and contracts in the same manner as now provided by law for the purchasing and acquiring of property for the said purposes and for the building, constructing and erecting of said dwelling houses, apartments and homes, and to lease and sell the properties thus purchased, acquired, used, improved, developed and owned, with such restrictions in the leases and deeds of sale as will fully insure the protection and preservation of the appearance, light, air health and usefulness thereof, and to appropriate and use the public funds of the said municipalities for the said purposes, and to do such other acts as may be necessary to fully exercise the powers herein conferred; provided, however, that the rents and proceeds arising from the leasing and the sale of any such properties so purchased, acquired, applied, used, improved and developed, and owned by said municipalities, shall be deposited in the treasury of the said municipalities and be subject to the general appropriation by the Councils of the said municipalities.

Section 3—That the building, constructing, erecting, administration maintenance, control and operation of such dwelling houses, apartments and homes shall be and are hereby vested in the proper executive officers of the said municipalities; and they shall exercise the powers and rights in relation thereto,

subject to such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Councils of the said municipalities.

Section 4—All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. Winters, ordered printed in full in the Record.

The Chair presented
No. 2740.

COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
PITTSBURGH.

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

May 12, 1919.

Mr. John S. Herron,
President of the Council of the
City of Pittsburgh,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—I hereby tender my resignation as a member of Council, to take effect immediately.

It is with deep regret that I sever my connection with the councilmanic body of my native City, but having been elected by the people of the State as Congressman-at-large, and the Sixty-sixth Congress having been called into extra session on the 19th of May by our President, it makes it imperative that I give up my duties in Council.

In the trying reconstruction period ahead of the people and the nation it shall be my endeavor as a national legislator to labor unto the end that the best interests of my country and its people are protected, and to be worthy of the trust reposed in me by the people of the great State of Pennsylvania.

Yours truly,

W. J. BURKE.

Which was read.

Mr Winters moved

That the communication be received and filed and that the resignation be accepted.

Mr. Raub arose and said:

"Mr. President, Mr. Burke has served in the Council of the City of Pittsburgh and also served in the Senate of the State of Pennsylvania, and now he is going to serve in the Congress of the United States. It simply shows what a great country we live in—that the poorest man or woman can rise from the bottom of the ladder.

"I want to say that Mr. Burke always gave us the very best that was within him, and I also wish to state that he was never misunderstood. Nature has endowed him with a magnificent voice, and whatever he said could be heard. No man had ever to say to him in this Coun-

oil, 'Louder,' and I wish him God-speed and good luck in his future work."

Mr. Robertson arose and said:

"Mr. President, in accepting the resignation of Senator Burke from this Council, I want to say that I do it with deep regret. The Senator has been a life-long friend of mine. I have known him for twenty-five years. He was a member of the old Council of Pittsburgh; was elected to the State Senate, then as a member of the small Council; then to the office of Congress. He told me when he was a candidate for Congressman-at-large that he wanted to become a Congressman and that it would be the last political position to which he would aspire. He wanted to prove to his friends who had confidence in him that he was a real statesman. I think, from his actions in Council, he will make a good statesman. Like Mr. Rauh, I wish him God-speed."

And the question recurring, "Shall the communication be received and filed and the resignation accepted?"

The motion prevailed.

Mr. Dailey moved

That a committee of five be appointed to draft a suitable resolution on the resignation of Mr. Burke.

Which motion prevailed.

And the Chair appointed as members of said committee, Messrs. Dailey, Garland, Robertson, McArdle, English.

Mr. Garland moved

That Council proceed to an election for the purpose of electing a member to succeed Hon. William J. Burke, resigned.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair appointed Mr. Garland as a committee of one to inform the Mayor that Council was now ready to proceed to an election for the purpose of electing a successor to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Hon. William J. Burke.

And Mr. Garland, having performed the duty assigned him, returned to the Council Chamber accompanied by His Honor, Mayor E. V. Babcock.

Mr. Robertson arose and said:

"Mr. President, I take great pleasure in presenting the name of John H. Henderson to fill the unexpired term of Senator Burke for your consideration.

"I want to say this for Mr. Henderson. I have known him intimately practically all of my life. He has been a member of the Allegheny County Bar thirty years. He was in the Allegheny Councils one term. He served in the Legislature from the Eighth Legislative Dis-

trict for four successive terms. His record, as far as I am able to find, is as clean as a whip.

"I feel that if the members of Council will vote for Mr. Henderson it will be a credit to Council to have a man of his caliber in this body.

"I therefore present the name of John H. Henderson for this position."

Mr. Garland moved

That the nominations close on the name of Mr. Henderson.

Which motion prevailed.

And the Clerk was instructed to call the roll on the name of John H. Henderson, and the roll being called, the result of the voting was as follows:

For John H. Henderson:

Hon. E. V. Babcock Mayor

Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

When the name of Mr. McArdle was called, he arose and said:

"Mr. President, I am going to vote for Mr. Henderson, but in doing so I want to say that I am handicapped by the lack of an acquaintanceship with the gentleman. I have heard many kind things said of him, and I have no personal misgivings as to the results that will be attained as the result of his membership. Had circumstances been different and physical conditions permitted, it would have been my pleasure at this time to have cast my vote for another gentleman; but, he not being able to permit the use of his name, I join the other members in supporting Mr. Henderson."

When the name of Mr. Rauh was called he arose and said:

"Mr. President, it gives me pleasure to vote for Mr. Henderson."

Before the announcement of the vote, Mr. Garland arose and said:

"Mr. President, in addition to what Mr. McArdle has said, I would also have voted for the other man mentioned, but, unfortunately, the gentleman from the North Side whom we had in mind is in poor health and, on the advice of his physician declined to accept the position. However, Mr. Henderson is a North Sider, a good man and a good citizen, and will make a good Councilman."

Hon. E. V. Babcock, Mayor, arose and said:

"Mr. President and Gentlemen of Council, the man referred to by Mr. McArdle and Mr. Garland is David

Hunter, Jr. It is fair to the Senator to say that his name had been considered in this election as the successor of Mr. Burke. It is putting it mildly to say that Senator Hunter had many warm friends, both in and out of Council, who are strongly in his favor. Mr. Hunter is a good man and has been in public life many years. He was at the head of the North Side light plant, and he gave the people there a better system of electric lighting than they ever had before. He earned the good will and friendship of a great many of our citizens.

"It was only on last Saturday that his name was declared out of the contest by himself. He called up at my office and said it was his physician's instructions that he should not undertake any active work upon himself, such as the duties of a Councilman. He said he was going to follow his doctor's advice and try to gain his strength back. The only reason for the withdrawal of his name was that his health forbade him to serve.

"I am glad to say that Mr. Hunter is a splendid man and would no doubt have made a good Councilman."

Mr. Robertson arose and said:

"Mr. President, I want to say one word since the Mayor has mentioned the name of Mr. Hunter. Mr. Hunter is a neighbor of mine and has acted like a father to me for the past eighteen years. I have the highest regard for him. He has served in the Senate and in the House of Representatives, and his record, like Mr. Henderson's, is above reproach. I am sorry that his physical condition is such that it prevented the use of his name for the position."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President it would be well, without disclosing everything that took place at the conference held in the Mayor's office, to say that several names were mentioned for our consideration, and that it was finally narrowed down to the two names, John H. Henderson and David Hunter, Jr. It was only when the Mayor and Council finally understood that, under no circumstances, could Mr. Hunter accept the place because of the condition of his health that his name ceased to be considered. It is only fair to his family and his friends to say this."

And John H. Henderson received 9 votes.

And John H. Henderson, having received a majority of the votes of Council, in conjunction with the Mayor, was duly elected a member thereof, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly, approved May 31, 1911.

And the Chair appointed Messrs. Dailey, Bauh and Garland a committee to escort Mr. Henderson to the Council Chamber.

The committee then retired and returned with John H. Henderson, the member-elect, who was duly sworn by the Mayor, at the request of the Chair.

Mr. Henderson arose and said:

"Your Honor, the Mayor, Mr. President and Members of Council, I am highly gratified with the honor that you have conferred upon me, and I wish to thank you now publicly and collectively for your kind consideration, as I will thank you personally and privately later. I hope our relations will be amicable and friendly and that my association with you, as a member of Council of the City of Pittsburgh, will not only be pleasant and agreeable, but will redound to the benefit of this great City, which we all earnestly wish to serve well."

Mr. Bauh moved

That the following members be excused for absence from Council and committee meetings:

Mr. Burke on March 31, April 1, 8, 15, 16, 29, and May 9, 1919.

Mr. Dailey on April 1, 8, 1919.

Mr. English on April 22, 28, 29, 1919.

Mr. Garland on April 7, 8, 22, 30, and May 6, 1919.

Mr. Bauh on March 31, April 1, 8, 22, 1919.

Mr. Robertson on April 8, 22, 28, 29, 1919.

Mr. Winters on April 28, 29, and May 7, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. Garland,

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, May 19, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

PRESENTATIONS.

The Chair presented
No. 2741.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PA.

May 19, 1919.

To the Honorable, the
President and Members
of Council.

Gentlemen—It affords me great pleasure to transmit today for introduction into your Honorable Body seven (7) bond ordinances, which are a result of our numerous conferences and discussions of the subject matter, in final form for action and expeditious passage.

I thank you sincerely for your response for definite action in this direction and your co-operation in putting into form the greatest and most important project for municipal improve-

ment in Pittsburgh which has ever been undertaken in the history of the City.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

No. 2742. An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the amount of nine million five hundred seventy-nine thousand dollars (\$9,579,000.00) for the following purposes, namely: For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing, reconstructing and otherwise improving the streets of the City generally and for the City's share or part thereof of the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening certain new streets and improving certain new and certain existing streets, including, as may be required in the case of each such street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grading and regrading, curbing and recurbing, relaying sidewalks, laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls, street foundations and surfaces (including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets), and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Also

No. 2743. An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of six million dollars (\$6,000,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of providing transit facilities, consisting of a subway in the First and Second wards of the

said City adapted to the use of either the street surface cars or high-speed trains, or both, as may hereafter be determined, together with the necessary approaches, stations, buildings, works, appliances, equipment and appurtenances, upon such routes and according to such plan as may hereafter be determined by ordinance and approved by such public authorities as may be required by law; providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Also

No. 2744. An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million one hundred ten thousand dollars (\$1,110,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including architectural and engineering expenses) of the following namely: Six (6) public comfort stations, including acquisition of land where necessary therefor; additions, extensions and improvements to the municipal hospital, the tuberculosis hospital, and the Mayview City Home and Hospital; the relocation of the central fire alarm station, including the acquisition and installation of apparatus, appliances, appurtenances and the laying of wires, and the construction of conduits; the construction, reconstruction and improvement of buildings for combination fire and police stations in the North Side, East End and West End districts of the City, including the acquisition of land and buildings therefor, and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Also

No. 2745. An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the amount of one million four hundred one thousand dollars (\$1,401,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said purposes; and pro-

viding for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Also

No. 2746. An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million eight hundred fifteen thousand dollars (\$1,815,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the following, namely: Repairing and improving the roadways of the Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks; developing and improving West Park; acquisition, development and improvement of land located in Saw Mill Run valley for park purposes; acquisition of land, property and equipment and developing the same; improvement of City playgrounds and establishment of new playgrounds, including the acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor; acquisition of land for extension of Highland Park along Allegheny River and improvement of Washington boulevard to Heth's Run bridge, and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Also

No. 2747. An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million three hundred and forty-one thousand (\$1,341,000.00) dollars (the amount estimated to be necessary) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) or a part thereof of additions, extensions and improvements to the sewer and drainage systems of the City as follows: Saw Mill Run sewer system; Negley Run sewer system for Homewood and Brushton districts; Nine Mile Run sewer system for Brushton and East End avenue districts; Soho Run sewer system; Hazelwood avenue sewer system, and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Also

No. 2748. An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of seven hundred and fifty

thousand dollars (\$750,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction change of location, and improvement of highway bridges and approaches thereto; the said bridges being as follows, namely: Center avenue bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shady-side station; Beechwood boulevard bridge, connecting Schenley Park to Beechwood boulevard; North and Irwin avenue bridges; Island avenue bridge on Lincoln Highway, connecting Chateau street and California avenue, and East street bridge to connect Charles and Essen streets, for one-half the cost thereof, the other one-half to be paid by Allegheny County; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 2749. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration of water rent on property of Martha Walker, 2201-3-5-7 and 9 Ridgway street Fifth ward, in the sum of \$48.29, this being 50 per cent. of the charge over what the flat rate would be.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2750. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Charles H. Garlick.....	\$ 3.00	1163
Allegheny General Hospital.....	36.50	1163
Keystone Laundry Co.....	216.29	1163
Duquesne Light Co.....	3.00	1163
Bertram G. Case.....	57.64	1166
W. H. Champ.....	8.05	1166
August Loch.....	3.00	1166
The Addler Machine Co.....	43.05	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.....	45.90	1166

Also

No. 2751. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of William R. Reynolds for the sum of \$709.44, covering hospital and doctor bills incurred by him by reason of an accident while performing his duty as a Lieutenant in the Bureau of Police on

September 7, 1918, and charging the same to Code Account No. 1147, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Police.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 2752. An Ordinance canceling and annulling Contract No. 4857, Mayor's Office File No. 253, which is a contract entered into between the City of Pittsburgh and Madden & O'Toole for the grading paving and curbing of Gibson street, from Lorenz avenue to Marlow street, executed January 8, 1918.

Also

No. 2753. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
A. Amrhein & Brother.....	\$ 58.40	1516
Atlas Welding & Supply Co.....	17.50	1665
East End Auto Lamp & Radiator Repair Co.....	5.00	1685
I. J. Glatch.....	34.35	1525
Keystone Laundry Co.....	1.36	1800
Laurel Land Co.....	128.80	1528
James A. McKenna.....	2.50	1583
James A. McKenna.....	220.92	1622
National Gear Wheel Foundry.....	35.00	1557
George Purdy.....	2.85	1665
John Sauter Co.....	22.00	1583
Joseph Schiller.....	10.40	1516
Samuel Ward.....	99.55	1516
Samuel Ward.....	8.80	1525

Also

No. 2754. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Peoples Savings & Trust Company, attorney-in-fact for Elizabeth Louise McLeod Mitchell, for \$1700.00, for rent due the said company for property situate on west side of Tunnel street, and formerly used and occupied by the Division of Motor Vehicles and now used as a garage by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Services, Stables and Yards Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2755. An Ordinance demising and leasing to the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society the grounds belonging to the City east of the Union

bridge and extending eastwardly along Duquesne way up to Third street, from the street line to low water line of the Allegheny river, until January 1, 1940, and providing conditions of lease.

Also

No. 2756. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons, in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
American Public Health Association	\$ 4.00	1218
American Wall Paper Co.	2.78	1570
Baur Brothers Co.	151.08	1232
Daily Law Bulletin.	10.00	1086
Gleske, E. C.	18.38	1232
Hamilton's Piano Store.	15.05	1811
Jackson Motor Supply Co.	4.80	1032
Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.	9.84	1570
Kaufmann's, "The Big Store"	2.00	1811
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.	.90	1699
Latimer, Robert A.	17.81	1164
Mulford & Co., H. K.	36.00	1206
Pittsburgh Workshop for the Blind.	2.00	1329
Pittsburgh Stationery Co.	.37	1056
Pittsburgh Stationery Co.	1.60	1090-C
Pittsburgh Stationery Co.	8.18	1655
Pittsburgh Provision Co.	30.00	1647
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	3.75	1165
Smith Brothers Co., Inc.	146.55	1076
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.	54.62	1656
Totty Co., Charles H.	39.66	1716
Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.	434.00	1673

Also

No. 2757. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Sarah Jane Griffith in the sum of \$100.00 refunding a part of assessment paid by her for sewer on Glen way in the rear of her property on Maripoe street, and charging same to Appropriation 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2758. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of

the W. J. Gilmore Drug Company of Pittsburgh in the sum of \$298.8, in adjustment of water rents from flat rates to meter rates, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes.

Also

No. 2759. Communication from Hornberger Real Estate Company relative to high price placed by City on lot owned by it on Sylvan avenue, and stating that the City should ask more reasonable prices if it expects to sell some of its vacant property.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 2760. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Veronica street, from Sundeman street to the easterly line of John N. Straub's Plan of Lots, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2761. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for the re-improving to the re-established grades of Sylvania avenue, from Taft avenue to Gearing avenue, and of Taft avenue, from Montooth street to a point 350 feet northwestwardly therefrom, and to the re-established lines of Main street, as widened at its intersection with Liberty avenue, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Also

No. 2762. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of St. Martins street, from Birmingham street to Monastery street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2763. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Commercial street, from Forward avenue to Blackhawk street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2764. An Ordinance granting unto the A. M. Byers Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a reinforced concrete tunnel under and across Bingham street at a point eight (8) feet west of the westerly building line of South Seventh street in the Seventeenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, for foot traffic the transportation of merchandise, and the installation and use of water, steam, electric power, light and telephone lines between the proposed storeroom situated on the southwest corner of South Seventh street and Bingham street and the socket shop situated directly opposite on the northern side of Bingham street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 2765. Resolution authorizing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,500.00 from Appropriation No. 1647, Supplies, to Appropriation No. 1648, "Materials," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 2766. Communication from the Oakland Board of Trade opposing the construction of the downtown subway and asking that the item for this be eliminated from the bond budget to be submitted to the people.

Also

No. 2767. Report of the Department of Public Works regarding the cost of street work and property damage that will be caused by the construction of the new Sixteenth street bridge.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2768. Communication from Andrew Fletcher, president of the American Locomotive Company, relative to closing its plant on the North Side.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance and, on motion of Mr. Garland, copy to be furnished each member.

Also

No. 2769. Communication from the Mayor, transmitting a letter from the Director of Parks and Public Property of Cleveland, inviting the City of Pittsburgh to send a floral tribute to them for their memorial day in honor of the boys who have given their lives in the war.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle moved

That Council now take a recess until tomorrow (Tuesday, May 20, 1919) at 1:30 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

And the Chair declared a recess of Council until that time.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Tuesday, May 20, 1919.

Council met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Raub
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2770. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 51-B, General Elections, to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, the sum of \$23,500.00 for the purpose of paying the election expense of the proposed bond issue.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 2771. Communication from the County Commissioners of Allegheny County, regarding the rebuilding of the Sixteenth street bridge, Fortieth street bridge and the McKees Rocks bridge.

Also

No. 2772. Plan and profile of

Bridge No. 5 Allegheny river, Pittsburgh, Pa. showing proposed Sixteenth street location.

Also

No. 2773. Plan and profile of Bridge No. 7, Allegheny river, Pittsburgh-Millvale Borough, showing proposed Fortieth street location.

Also

No. 2774. Plan and profile of Bridge No. 2, Ohio river, Pittsburgh and McKees Rocks.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2775. Report of the Committee on Finance for May 13, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2726. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Line 15, Section 34, Department of Public Health, Tuberculosis Hospital, and Line 3, Section 35, Department of Public Health Municipal Hospital, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2727. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$174,000.00), and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount, to provide for the improvement and extension of the water system, including the purchase and installation of meters, the acquiring of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping station, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, and the acquiring of real estate, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon,' approved April 9, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2707. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Keystone Typewriter Service Company for \$18.50 for repairs to Underwood Typewriter No. 3, 23669, and charging same to Code Account No. 1074, and also a warrant in favor of said Keystone Typewriter Service Company for \$16.00 for repairing two other Underwood typewriters in the Department of Law, and charging same to Code Account No. 1089, and also a warrant in favor of the Baker Office Furniture Company for \$3.75 for repairs to chairs in the Department of Law, and charging same to Code Account No. 1074.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2708. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Bircher Co., Inc.	\$175.00	1066
Duncan & Porter Co.	8.78	1533
Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co.	2.40	1175
Link Belt Co., The	138.26	187-A

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Buchanan, W. P.	22.20	1168
Gulf Refining Co.	25.00	1031
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.	10.30	1320
Hamilton's Piano Store	3.25	1811

Iron City Electric Co.....	186.90	1673
Johnson Music Co.....	115.00	1323
Pittsburgh Speedometer		
Service Station	12.25	1032
Passavant Hospital	18.75	1215
Robbins Electric Co.....	10.14	1032
Robbins Electric Co.....	168.10	1164
Shipley Massingham Co.....	59.62	1232
Wheeler Condenser & En-		
gineering Co.....	71.75	1656
Wolfe Brush Co.....	2.07	1723

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2634. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Virginia Murrell for a lot on Belvidere street, Ninth ward, City, for the sum of \$250.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2673. Resolution au-

thorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to James Skiles for Lot No. 32 Denham street, Twenty-fifth ward, for the sum of \$100.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2675. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Walter Wickline for Lots Nos. 99 and 100, located on Goshen street, Twenty-sixth ward, for the sum of \$300.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2584. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Emerson L. Duff in the sum of \$45.28, being one-half of the excess of meter

rate over former flat rate on property at 434 South Main street, Twentieth ward.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2624. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer \$2,200.00 from Code Account 1567, Wages, Regular Employees, to Code Account 1567½, Wages, Temporary Employees Bureau of City Property.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2703. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$900.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees,

Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2601. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Appropriation No. 1204, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Transmissible Diseases, Department of Public Health.

In Finance Committee, May 13, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the words "42, Contingent Fund," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also, with a negative recommendation.

Bill No. 2593. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Z. Segall and J. Horowitz in the sum of \$28.94 for a quarter of 1918 on their property at 2010 Rose street Fifth ward, Pittsburgh.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2674. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Nat Guttman and Mary A. Guttman, his wife, for two lots on East Ohio street, Twenty-fourth ward, for the sum of \$1,800.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2723. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating position of assistant superintendent in the Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works, at a salary of \$2,400.00 per annum."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Garland also presented

No. 2776. Report of the Committee on Finance for May 14, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2706. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City

of Pittsburgh in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00), and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount for the purpose of paying the purchase money due Joseph P. Reed and the Wagman Estate, under ordinance approved April 4, 1919, authorizing the purchase of lands from said parties for playground purposes, and providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Henderson
English	Herron (President)
Garland	Rauh

Noes—Messrs.

McArdle	Winters
Robertson	

Ayes—6.

Noes—3.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. English presented

No. 2777. Report of the Committee on Public Works for May 13, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2710. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Azimuth way, from Mildred way to the existing sewer on Bryant street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2718. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk of Murdoch street, from a point about 150 feet south of Forbes street to the existing sewer on Darlington road, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2731. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public

sewer on Prescott street, Dido way, Flowers avenue and Kilbourne street, from points about 30 feet west of Graphic street and 480 feet west of Dido way to the existing sewer on Kilbourne street at a point about 100 feet west of Flowers avenue, with branch sewers on Clarion street and Flowers avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2717. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for laundry work for the Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works, from May 15, 1919, to December 31, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
English Rauh
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2721. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts for the grading and improvement of the playgrounds located on Fulton street, Page street, Fontella street and Paulsey way, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
English Rauh
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2725. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and delivery of one (1) seven-ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller and one (1) five-ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller for the asphalt plants of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers Department of Public Works, and providing for the payment thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
English Rauh
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2724. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Allegheny Repair Co.....	\$ 13.00	1591
Allegheny Repair Co.....	13.69	1622
Auto Specialties Co.....	31.00	1657
C a m p b e l l Niedringhaus		
Tire Service Co.....	3.50	1665
The Central Press Bureau	10.00	1414
The Central Press Bureau	1.35	1807
M. E. Cunningham Co.....	2.35	1404
Darlington Estate.....	19.50	1528
Duff Manufacturing Co.....	3.25	1557
Empire Laundry Co., The..	6.40	1807
Andrew Engel	36.45	1516
J. Fortenbacher & Son.....	3.65	1718
Dr. Agnes Burns Ferguson	16.25	1810
B. H. Frazier.....	7.25	1525
B. H. Frazier.....	59.40	1516
Hacker Brothers	8.00	1516
D. Hastings	29.25	1775
William A. Hoff.....	744.00	1554
Edw. M. Horen.....	183.75	1554
H. Hunziker	48.00	1525
Iron City Harness Supply		
Co.	12.50	1516
J. I. Malroye.....	255.50	1554
Mayer Wagon Co.....	3.50	1516
J. & J. B. Milholland Co....	10.00	1525
Moore Brothers	5.00	1701
H. D. Moorhead & Co.....	70.00	1554

James McBurney	105.88	1662
James A. McKenna.....	44.25	1563
James A. McKenna.....	19.35	1622
McQuillan Brothers	4.50	1657
Nelson & Smeltz	122.50	1554
Pannier Bros. Stamp Co....	4.40	1475
Pearson Manufacturing Co....	170.04	1557
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Machine Co....	5.00	1557
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Machine Co....	9.50	1657
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.	5.45	1685
Profit Sharing Laundry Co.	142.50	1568
George Purdy	26.25	1516
Henry Rectanus	13.75	1516
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	40.55	1516
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	4.50	1525
Underwood Typewriter Co....	6.00	1406-A
Union Transfer & Storage Co.	114.75	1772
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	9.72	1568
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	9.72	1579
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	9.73	1588
Samuel Ward	6.00	1665
S. Ward	8.50	1775
Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.....	102.85	1657
Wappat Gear Works.....	86.38	1557

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Bauh moved

That Mr. Francis J. Feehan, of the State Department of Labor and Industry, be given the use of the Council Chamber for a meeting on May 21, 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2778. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys

for May 13, 1919, transmitting several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2667. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 296, entitled, 'An Ordinance establishing the grade of Middleton street, from Beechwood boulevard to the east line of the Mary E. Welfer Plan of Lots,' approved October 7, 1915."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2668. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade of Welfer street from Beechwood boulevard to the east line of the Mary E. Welfer Plan of Lots."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2713. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Los Angeles avenue, from Crosby avenue to a point 245.61 feet southwardly therefrom."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2714. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade of Shiras avenue, from Broadway to Candace street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third reading and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 2779. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for May 13, 1919, transmitting an ordinance and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2704. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for remodeling the Department of Public Safety Building, to provide proper quarters for the detention of juvenile prisoners."

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2705. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Depart-

ment of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Chester A. Warburton....	\$ 16.00	1147
Keystone Laundry Co.....	101.32	1147
Kaufmann Department Stores.....	22.00	1159-O
Keystone Laundry Co.....	6.96	Engine Room

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2780. Report of the Committee on Health and Sanitation for May 13, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2661. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$45,145.25 for the removal of 4,270.07 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 5,490.91 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$10,836.31 for the removal of 1,450.35 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 1,047.29 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health, the tonnage rates set forth in this resolution being the rates as established by the contractors for the period ending December 31, 1918.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters

(Mr. Rauh not voting)

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2781. Resolved That the President of Council be and he is hereby authorized and directed to appoint a committee, consisting of three members of Council, to select and make arrangements for the distribution of a suitable memento to the mothers, or nearest of kin, of the Pittsburgh boys who made the supreme sacrifice in the world war.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

The adoption of the resolution.
The motion prevailed.

And the Chair appointed as members of said committee, Messrs Robertson, Garland and McArdle.

Also

No. 2782. Resolved By the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, in session assembled, that a protest be filed against the passage by the Legislature of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania of the bill repealing the Act known as the "Graded Tax Law"; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Governor of Pennsylvania and to the members of the House and the Senate from Allegheny County.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Rauh moved

That the minutes of the meeting of May 12, 1919, be approved.
Which motion prevailed.

The Chair presented
No. 2783.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.
City of Pittsburgh, Pa.,
May 20, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,
City Clerk.

Dear Sir—Referring to your letter of May 6, in reference to the use of fuel on the Pittsburgh Junction Railroad, I beg to advise that the use of coke on that road was resumed prior to my last communication. The road has been under constant inspection and no violation of the law has been detected, except on one occasion, when smoke was made

for a period of one and one-quarter minutes, which was not due to the fuel, but was probably due to careless firing.

In your communication you informed me that the company is still using soft coal on its locomotives. I would like to have something specific on that matter, as I cannot find that it is using soft coal.

Yours very truly,

WM. H. DAVIS,
Director.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. McArdle, received and filed.

And, on motion of Mr. Garland,
Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, May 26, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 2784. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile truck for the Bureau of Light.

Also

No. 2785. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for furnishing an automobile for the use of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. English presented

No. 2786. Resolution authoriz-

ing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Daniel Winters, treasurer, in the sum of \$160.00, in payment of expenses of special committee of Council incurred on trip to Washington, D. C., to confer with the Secretary of War and other government officials in regard to hastening the return of Pittsburgh soldiers, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1005, Council's Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2787. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Cunigundi McKee in the sum of \$36.02, being one-half of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate on his property at 2031 Wylie avenue, Fifth ward, for the period from July 18, 1918 to May 14, 1919.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2788. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Name.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
A. Amrhelm & Bro.....	\$ 51.35	1665
Campbell Neidringhaus.....	.53	1417
B. K. Elliott Co.....	24.75	1425
Empire Laundry Co.....	1.36	1807
B. H. Frazier.....	41.00	1516
Gardner Bros. Service Co..	37.00	1516
Ed. M. Horen.....	367.50	1554
William A. Huff.....	400.00	1554
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	39.63	1417
Lincoln Laundry Co.....	.76	1807
J. I. Malroye.....	334.25	1554
Mayer Wagon Co.....	54.75	1516
C. C. Mellor Co.....	16.00	1807
Miller & Woodward, Inc.....	.60	1810
H. S. Moorehead & Co.....	234.50	1554
James A. McKenna.....	6.75	1571
James A. McKenna.....	87.35	1583

Nelson & Smeltz.....	140.00	1554
W. D. Poland.....	105.00	1554
William Renton.....	35.00	1657
Royal Typewriter Co.....	1.50	1516
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	1.00	1417
James A. McKenna.....	280.64	1563

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2789. An Ordinance creating position for one (1) elevator repairman in the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, City-County Building, at current union wages.

Also

No. 2790. An Ordinance amending Section 140, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Tests, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2791. An Ordinance amending Section 62, Line 2, Department of Public Works, Division of Public Utilities; Section 74, Line 2, Department of Public Works, Water Accounting Division; Section 88, Line 4, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Parks; Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2792. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following publishing companies in payment of advertising inserted in their papers by the Department of Public Safety, and charging same to Appropriation No. —

Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.....	\$25.20
The Press Publishing Co.....	25.20
The Pittsburgh Gazette Times.....	25.20
Tribune Publishing Co.....	18.00
The Pittsburgh Post.....	17.64

Also

No. 2793. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,420.00 from Code Account 1812, Structural and Non-structural Improvements, to Code Account 1811, Equipment, Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 2794. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,400.00 from Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets to Code Account 1418-F,

Equipment and Machinery, General Office, Bureau of Engineering.

Also

No. 2795. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to W. S. Brown for a triangular lot at the corner of Baum boulevard and Liberty avenue, Eighth ward, for the sum of \$200.00.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 2796. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Charles Beran for Lot No. 56, in M. M. Shirk Heirs' Plan of Lots, Twenty-fourth ward, situate on the north side of Goehring avenue, for the sum of \$85.00.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2797. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Brandon road, from a point about 60 feet west of Sewickley road to the existing sewer on Brandon road east of Pennock road, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2798. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the northwest sidewalk of Veronica street and on Sundeman street, from a point about 10 feet southwest of the easterly line of the John N. Straub's Plan of Lots to the existing sewer on Sundeman street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2799. An Ordinance authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred ninety thousand (\$390,000.00) dollars and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount to provide for the grading, regrading, paving and repaving, and otherwise improving West Carson street, from a point 181 feet eastwardly from the south approach to the Point Bridge to a point 265.47 feet west of Steuben street.

Also

No. 2800. An Ordinance consenting to the construction and maintenance by the County of Allegheny of a county bridge crossing the Allegheny

river at Sixteenth street, in the City of Pittsburgh, and providing for the entering into of an agreement between said City and said County; fixing the terms and conditions of such consent, and providing for the extent of participation of said County and said City, respectively, in the cost of the construction of said bridge and its approaches, and the cost and expense of constructing and reconstructing of streets made necessary thereby; and the payment of damages occasioned thereby to properties taken, injured or destroyed by the vacation, widening, opening, change of grade of, or otherwise improving of any public highways or streets of said City.

Also

No. 2801. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$15,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1144, Bureau of Police Salaries, to Appropriation No. 156, City Hall Bonds, 1910.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2802. An Ordinance granting unto the Estate of Henry Rea, Jr., his heirs, successors and assigns, the right to build, construct, maintain and use a certain brick, steel and reinforced concrete warehouse, structure or building over and across Gasoline street at a point from the southerly line of Second avenue to a point on the northerly line of Greenough street, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, subject to the terms and conditions of this ordinance.

Also

No. 2803. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and establishing the grade on Webster avenue, from Orion street to the southerly boundary line of the Revised Plan of Herron Hill Park.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Baugh presented

No. 2804. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to make an adjustment of the water rents charged for 1918 and 1919 on the property of Sarah I. Floyd at 3310 Ruthven street and Nos. 3305 to 3313 Bigelow boulevard, in the sum of \$

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2805. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Armitage way, from North Fairmount street to the easterly terminus at a point 216.33 feet easterly therefrom, and providing that

the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2806. An Ordinance designating Drake way as the name of an unnamed twenty (20) foot way, in the Tenth-Eleventh wards of the City of Pittsburgh, as shown in Stanton Place Plan and W. H. Williams Plan of Lots, from Wellesley avenue to Springer way, and establishing the grade thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2807. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to allow credits to persons, firms and corporations who obtained licenses for and during the year 1918 to buy, sell and deal in junk, etc., on the license fees to be paid under the ordinance of August 5, 1918, and authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of such persons, firms and corporations who obtained licenses for the year 1918, as required by the Ordinance of December 30, 1904, and who paid the full license fees for the year 1918 under the provisions of the Ordinance of August 5, 1918, the City of Pittsburgh, nevertheless, to retain 25 per cent. of such amounts as paid during the year 1918 under the provisions of the Ordinance of December 30, 1904, for any business which such dealers may have been engaged in during the months of January, February and March, 1918, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2808. An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 503 entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the regrading, repaving and recurbings of Howard street, as widened at the southeast corner of Staud street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," approved November 21, 1917.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2809. An Ordinance accepting the dedication of certain property in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same "Romanhoff street," and establishing the grade thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2810. An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Charities, City of Pittsburgh, to appoint medical and surgical consultants for the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa.

Also

No. 2811. An Ordinance amending Line 16, Section 25, Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Electricity, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 2812. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Joseph L. Haas for Lot No. 177 Monastery street, Seventeenth ward, for the sum of \$450.00.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2813. Petition of the South Beechview Board of Trade for the improvement of certain streets in the Beechview District, Nineteenth ward.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2814. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James J. Crowley, assistant filter attendant, Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, for \$60.00, on account of fifteen days' lost time from March 16 to March 30, 1919, inclusive, due to sickness contracted while on duty, and charging same to Code Account No. 1644 Bureau of Water.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Filtration and Water.

The Chair presented

No. 2815. An Ordinance prescribing the method of disbursement of the appropriation of \$25,000.00 made by Council as Appropriation No. 1027, Civic and War Committee.

Also

No. 2816. Resolution repealing Resolution No. 225, approved May 9, 1919, authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Robert G. Blackham for lots Nos. 248-249, at the corner of Alger and Winterburn streets, Fifteenth ward, upon the payment of \$1,500.00.

Also

No. 2817. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Robert G. Blackham for lot No. 249 in William Flinn's

Greenfield Plan, located at the corner of Alger and Winterburn streets, Fifteenth ward, for the sum of \$450.00.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2818. Communication from E. C. Huselton, complaining of nuisance caused by an exhaust from a 15-horse power engine in the rear of 20 West Stockton avenue, North Side.

Also

No. 2819. Communication from Alois Gruber, complaining of mistreatment received at the Oakland Police Station and asking Council to have an investigator attend the hearings at this station.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 2820.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Pittsburgh, May 21, 1919.

President and Members of

Council of the

City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—For your information, beg to append herewith copy of letter which I have received from the Mayor of the City of Nancy, France, in acknowledgment of receipt of a City of Pittsburgh flag and a United States flag, presented through M. Mercel Knecht, of the French High Commission in America, on July 14, 1918, the occasion of the celebration of Bastille Day.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

RELEASED BY THE MAYOR'S OFFICE.

May 21, 1919.

As a feature of the celebration of Bastille Day in Pittsburgh last year, a flag of the City of Pittsburgh and a flag of the United States of America were presented to the City of Nancy through her distinguished son, M. Mercel Knecht of the French High Commission in America. The Prefet of the Department of Meurthe-de-Moselle acknowledged the receipt of the flags and advised that they were immediately sent to the Mayor of Nancy, thus observing official French etiquette. Since that time no word has been received by Mayor E. V. Babcock until yesterday, when the official acknowledgment of the City of Nancy was received. It was dated October 8, 1918. It came to the Pittsburgh postoffice addressed "Monsieur Le Maire, de la Ville

de Pittsburgh, Etats Unis d'Amerique." The postal authorities here did not recognize the letter as belonging to the Mayor. They instituted a directory search, advertised the letter and then returned it to the Mayor of Nancy unclaimed. The Mayor of Nancy then sent it to the American Ambassador in Paris who, under date of April 30, 1919, forwarded it to Mayor E. V. Babcock, with explanations for delay.

The letter follows:

"I have the honor to acknowledge the reception of your very cordial letter of July 18, with the flag of the great City of Pittsburgh and that of the United States.

"By a most happy coincidence, your letter came to us on the very day when the American army launched its attack on the Meuse, and in one magnificent, irresistible bound which awoke the admiration of all the armies of the Entente, wiped out the famous St. Mihiel pocket.

"The sentiments which you so nobly express toward Nancy and her courageous population have profoundly moved us, and have gone straight to our hearts.

"And we shall piously keep in the archives of the city the admirable letter which translates your thought.

"We shall show in the place of honor the precious emblems which you have so kindly given us.

"These pledges shall prove to all who see them, and in an eloquent fashion, the close union which exists between the two great democracies of America and France, and the warm and mutual sympathy which prevails among their children, whose blood fraternizes on the fields of battle.

"In the name of the City of Nancy and the Municipality, I beg you to thank most cordially your fellow citizens for the friendly sentiments they have expressed toward us. Give to them from us the patriotic greetings of 'the Pittsburgh of France,' and accept the expression of our lively and grateful affection."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2821. Report of the Committee on Finance for May 20, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

No. 2822.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

City of Pittsburgh, Pa.,

May 26, 1919.

To the Honorable, the
President and Members
of the Council.

Gentlemen—The seven bond ordinances, as returned to your body from the Finance Committee, have received my full approval as to every detail of form, as also that of Messrs. Hawkins, Delafield and Longfellow, as will appear by copy of letter addressed to me from said law firm under date of May 24, 1919, hereto attached.

I might add, in explanation of the reference in this letter to multiples of 30 000, it would have been impossible to have had these seven multiples, allowing denominations of even \$1,000.00, in all bond issues, without increasing the total indebtedness by some \$400,000.00.

Respectfully yours,

CHARLES A. O'BRIEN,
City Solicitor.

HAWKINS, DELAFIELD & LONG-
FELLOW.

Attorneys and Counsellors at Law.
20 Exchange Place, New York.

May 24, 1919.

Charles A. O'Brien, Esq.,
City Attorney,
City-County Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—We have examined copies of the seven ordinances relating to the increase of the indebtedness of the City, which we understand were introduced in the Council on Monday, May 19, 1919, and, in our opinion, the form of such ordinances is satisfactory.

We have heretofore advised you that, under the decision of Raff against Philadelphia, 256 Pa. 312, the expenditures for the purposes stated in the ordinances (except in the case of the sewer and water system) will be limited to the amounts approved by the electors, and cannot be increased by councilmanic action without the assent of the electors. The ordinances could be worded so as to avoid this limitation if you desired.

We also call your attention to the fact that the amounts stated in the ordinances for the several purposes are not in all cases multiples of 30,000, so that in some cases bonds cannot be issued in even denominations of \$1,000.00. This is not very material, however, as the

amounts are such as to permit the odd bonds to be in multiples of \$100.00.

Yours very truly,

HAWKINS, DELAFIELD & LONG-
FELLOW (Signed).

L.I.D., Jr./M

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. Garland, received and filed and ordered printed in full in the Record.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2742. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the amount of nine million five hundred seventy-nine thousand dollars (\$9,579,000.00) for the following purposes, namely: For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing, reconstructing and otherwise improving the streets of the City generally and for the City's share or part thereof of the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening certain new streets and improving certain new and certain existing streets, including, as may be required in the case of each such street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grading and regrading curbing and recurbing, relaying sidewalks, laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls, street foundations and surfaces (including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets), and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. Rauh arose and said:

"Mr. President, after many conferences with boards of trade, civic bodies, our Law Department, Public Works Department, and others, extending over some months, Council and the Mayor submit the bond ordinances for contemplated public improvements, and which will in the near future be presented to the voters of Pittsburgh for their approval. Other worthy improvements were suggested, but we were told by high authority for the present not to

exceed the bond borrowing power of the City above amounts submitted.

"I intend, by my vote and voice, to support each and every bond ordinance introduced today.

"And will strongly advise the voters of this City to do likewise.

"In addition to the value of these necessary improvements work will be furnished a great many of our working people and others for three or four years to come.

"I regret that some other worthy improvements could not have been added to the list presented today, but for reasons stated it could not be done.

"I particularly regret that \$500,000.00 could not have been added to the list for the buying or building of an incineration plant for the collection and disposal of garbage and rubbish, as it has been frequently shown that this work now is not being properly done, and I believe that the City and not private contractors should do this. As stated, however, I intend to support every item, knowing same will help to improve and benefit the entire City."

And the bill as read a second time was and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2743. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of six million dollars (\$6,000,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of providing transit facilities, consisting of a subway in the First and Second wards of the said City adapted to the use of either the street surface cars or high-speed trains, or both, as may hereafter be determined, together with the necessary approaches, stations, buildings, works.

appliances, equipment and appurtenances, upon such routes and according to such plan as may hereafter be determined by ordinance and approved by such public authorities as may be required by law; providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, it is with a feeling of pride and satisfaction that I rise on this occasion to speak in favor of these bond ordinances. I am mindful of the great responsibility resting on me as a member of Council and on the Council itself, as constituting the law-making body of this great City.

"For many years our City has suffered untold damage because of the lack of street, sewer and water improvements. It is true, of course, that the Council and the Executive have tried to provide some improvements, but it has not been possible to finance any considerable number at one time. The result is that certain sections of the City claims to have been neglected.

"In response to the appeal of the people, through boards of trade, committees and various organizations, we are today placing before them the answer to their numerous petitions. No one can charge this Council with any failure to consult the people on this bond issue. No citizen or body of citizens can honestly or truthfully say that we have ignored any requests for hearings on the matter of public improvements.

"I am proud of our action in going over this matter carefully and taking plenty of time to hear and consider every request made by anybody and everybody. If ever a Council in any city has responded to the will of the people I am quite certain that this Council of 1919 has, with great care and patience, given earnest and deliberate consideration to this important public business.

"I am confident that most of the people are familiar with most of the fifty items covered by the seven ordinances, which express our desire for an increase in the public debt. Hence it is not necessary to enumerate the various items. As the vote in conference and

committee has been unanimous on almost every item, it is sufficient for me to say that I am satisfied that each and every item is worthy, and I hope the result of the election will show the approval of the people.

"Inasmuch as the vote on the subway item appears to be singled out for attack, I think it well at this time to present a few brief reasons for my support of this particular item.

"The first and all-important reason is that of furnishing an opportunity for the people to vote on the question of a subway. If our vote today was the last act required to build a subway, the genuinely conscientious opposition might have developed some real reasons for opposition. However, inasmuch as our vote today is only the first step in a long series of legal and technical proceedings, I am surprised that any member of Council would hesitate to help in placing the issue before the people for decision.

"In a few months we will hear the candidate for office shout that he proposes to be the servant of the people, and yet, in this enlightened day of a non-partisan Council, open primaries, splendid registration laws and all the safeguards around the ballot that it is possible to have, we find a few people here and there who are opposed to giving the people an opportunity to express approval or disapproval on any subject.

"I insist that, whether a member of Council favors or opposes a subway or any other item in this bond issue, it is clearly his duty in this case to assist in giving the people an opportunity to vote on the matter. What right has any servant of the people to set himself up as final arbiter and dictator in a matter that is to go before the people for judgment? Even if one were opposed to a subway or any other item, it is my opinion that he ought to consider it a great privilege to give the people who support the government an opportunity to consider and vote 'yes' or 'no' on any question.

"The fundamental power of all government is vested in the people. Our own beloved Declaration of Independence is clear on this subject, to-wit: 'Governments are instituted among men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed.'

"Is it possible that the great world war for civilization has made no impression on members of Pittsburgh City Council? Is the progress of this great city to await the will and pleasure of Councilmen or any others who might have the power to say that the sovereign people are to be denied even the right to vote?

"Surely no man can afford to set himself up as the one individual on a plain

question of 'Shall the people be permitted to vote their approval or disapproval on any subject?'

"Gentlemen of Council, permit me, in a friendly spirit, to urge each and all of you to vote your approval of the matter of submitting the subway item and all other items to a vote, even if you are opposed to a subway or any other item. Frankly say that you are opposed to the item and go out and vote against it, and talk against it, and campaign against it, but do not let it be recorded that you, the elected representative of a great City, would deny or deprive any voter or taxpayer of an opportunity to pass HIS judgment on any of these items.

"If any item in these bond ordinances is not worthy of public approval, such an item ought to fail. On the other hand, if it is worthy of public approval, give it a chance to reach the public at the polling place. Remember, we are representatives of all the people, not only those who happened to vote for us, but representatives, also, of those who voted for others. Perhaps some voters were sick or absent or failed to register, and certainly there are thousands of women and children who did not vote at all, but surely we are their representatives also.

"The City of Pittsburgh has spent vast sums of money, running back several years, in a vain effort to solve the matter of transportation. We have cursed and discussed the Pittsburgh Railways Company, in season and out of season, until finally the war has hastened the end of this famous waterworks.

"Now, what relief does the opposition to a subway propose? What remedy do they suggest? None at all. They sit down, like Dicken's Micawber, waiting for something to turn up.

"Every member of this Council and thousands of people in Pittsburgh know that the Pittsburgh Railways Company is slowly sinking and that, unless some energetic action is generated, our City will suffer more in the future than it has in the past. We had the nerve and the courage to step up and adjust the electric light and power business in a spirit of decent and dignified compromise and, if the arrangement now effected is carried out in the good faith in which it has begun, I am confident it will be successful and satisfactory to everyone and Pittsburgh will make rapid progress.

"Is the opposition to the subway real or fancied? Do we not know that this subway will be the first step or link in a real rapid transit system for the City of Pittsburgh? Is it because the Mayor has urged it? If that is the objection, then why not tell that to the people who

voted for the Mayor, and give that as the reason.

"My position has not changed since I placed my name before the voters as a candidate for office. I shall support every good thing and oppose all the bad things. If the Mayor or any other person offers a good suggestion or ordinance, it should be adopted. Certainly one cannot say that submitting a subway proposition for discussion and vote of the people is wrong or bad for the people.

"Even if one has his own ideas about street car transportation, nothing has been presented by any member of Council to show, or even attempt to show, that a subway would be a bad thing for Pittsburgh.

"Who can guess at what will emerge when the bondholders, stockholders, court and receivers are through with the Pittsburgh Railways Company? Is any member of Council wise beyond the rest of the community, that he has the solution of the transportation problem? We have several volumes of reports, and we have had engineers working on the matters for years at great expense to the taxpayers, but no authority is greater than the people to say what shall be done in this or any other matter.

"From a standpoint of cost in dollars and cents there can be no argument against trying to get some relief. Take the fare increase from 5 cents to 7 cents, which cost the community close to four million dollars a year, based on 200,000,000 fares (in 1917 the Pittsburgh Railways Company carried 282,000,000 people). Figuring the \$6,000,000.00 subway at 8 per cent., which includes interest and sinking fund charge the annual cost would be \$480,000.00, as compared with \$4,000,000.00 on account of increased fare, and still no improvement in the Pittsburgh Railways Company operation. In this one item of increased carfare the annual cost to the community is ten times the cost of the subway.

"If you add to this the losses of individuals, due to bad streets, broken vehicles, injuries to horses and loss of time, you should begin to realize that it is high time to do something to improve the present transportation system.

"On first thought some may say, 'Why do anything until we have some agreement with the Pittsburgh Railways Company?' Well, why don't you who oppose the subway go ahead and make such an agreement? On what will you start? The City is unable to make any agreement, and the receivers are unable to make any kind of agreements, much less provide real rapid transit.

"Every intelligent person who was in or near Pittsburgh or Allegheny County ten days ago knows that the receivers

of the Pittsburgh Railways Company could not even keep the cars moving for several days. Certainly the Council cannot get any satisfaction on Chartiers avenue, Warrington avenue, Carson street or even on the repaving schedule for several years past. Have we had any results from the past year under the receivership?

"My opinion is that we should, as a matter of conscience, put this question before the people of Pittsburgh and tell them the truth, that at present no one knows what will happen in the matter of the Pittsburgh Railways Company troubles. However, the City of Pittsburgh must get ready for anything and everything which might happen, and the City ought to be prepared to do something to provide some kind of relief from an intolerable situation. If the people approve the item of a subway then the City will be able to do something; if the people do not approve the subway, then something else will have to be tried. If any other member of Council has some other plan, why has he kept silent all this time?

"I had a plan to ask the people to give authority to spend \$24,000,000.00 on a complete municipal transportation system, using the 10 per cent. debt limit as provided by the State Constitution. It is not violating any confidence to put in the Record that I did not get any support for my suggestion, and, in addition to that lack of support, the attorneys would not venture an opinion on the constitutional question.

"Having given my best efforts by suggesting a new and complete rapid transit system, and my suggestion being rejected, I deem it my duty to assist in placing before the people the next best plan of a subway, as proposed by the Mayor.

"Whether the people approve or disapprove the subway, I shall always feel that I have done right in helping to place the matter before them, and will accept the verdict of the people as final.

"Let the people rule."

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"Mr. President, I consider it to be one of the distinct advantages of Americanism that men are permitted to make up their minds for themselves and to place their own construction upon what is their private and their public duty, and that same right reflects itself in a rather liberal way, though, perhaps, not so extensively, with a man who holds a public office; and because of that fact I am committed in this action to a project—the subject before us—with an entirely different viewpoint than that possessed by some other men. I take myself to be in the position of a public official about to vote upon an ordinance known as a desire ordinance, and it sets out

specifically in its language, in unmistakable terms, that it is the desire of the City to expend \$6,000,000.00 for the building of a subway, and that, I take it, will imply to the voting public of Pittsburgh that those who are responsible for the passage of that ordinance have formed the desire therein expressed after having reached very definite conclusions about the merit of the project upon which they are asking the voting public to give them authority. In other words, I take myself as a public official to be performing or about to perform a public function that is expected of me, and that that public function is not the submission of a question to the public of Pittsburgh for their judgment upon it. We are asking for authority, for consent, to do the thing we say should be done when we pass this ordinance. I think that is the way the public of Pittsburgh is looking at me as a member of the City Council, and that is the way my vote will be determined.

"I am not in the position of applying the principle of referendum in government; on the contrary, I am meeting a strict provision of the Constitution of the State, from whence the power of this Councilmanic body originates, and that if I support or oppose the measure now before us that I will be regarded by the citizens of Pittsburgh as either being opposed to the project or believing in its merits, and if I am for it I expect it to be quite reasonable for them to suppose that I think it to be a meritorious way in which \$6,000,000.00 of the public's money should be expended in the interest of the public of Pittsburgh.

"I am opposed to the passage of Bill No. 2743, expressing the desire of Council to spend six million (\$6,000,000.00) dollars for the building of a subway in the First and Second wards of the City for the following reasons:

"First—It has never been recommended by any agency or persons selected by the City of Pittsburgh to make a study of and report on the transportation problems of the City.

"Second—It makes no provision for greater rapidity in travel on electric lines than that now provided, except to the limited degree that relief might be had by a partial escape from the results of vehicular traffic congestion.

"Third—Neither the City officials nor the public have any information as to whether any agreement could be made with the Pittsburgh Railways Company for the operation of such a subway. It is also plain that the company would dictate the terms under which it would lease it or allow it to remain unused.

"Fourth—No one can tell in advance of the definite readjustment of the financial affairs of the Pittsburgh Railways Company whether that company can

make an agreement by which it could compensate the City for the use of a \$6,000,000.00 investment, the use of which would not increase the company's revenue a single dollar, and I am sure that the people of Pittsburgh are not yet ready to invest \$6,000,000.00 for the use of a privately owned public utility and carry the burden of the interest and sinking fund charges themselves in their municipal tax rate.

"Fifth—The passage of this ordinance and its approval by the people would tie up \$6,000,000.00 of the City's bonding power during such time as might elapse before such subway was built, which would necessarily be several years.

"It cannot be considered as a real beginning of a subway system, because it could not be used for the presently contemplated uses and at the same time be used by a subway rapid transit system using heavy trains and running on fast schedules. Further, nothing has been developed to show that a subway or transit system fitting into this subway plan would meet the most urgent demands of the City, or whether it would be self-supporting.

"I am opposed to the submission of this desire ordinance because I believe it to be so ill-timed and inadequately considered that it will prove a handicap to the favorable consideration of the other items that will appear on the ballot about which there is such unanimity of favorable opinion among those who have studied them, and because of the total lack of public demand for an expenditure of so large a sum for such a doubtful purpose."

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"Mr. President, I want to register my disagreement with Mr. McArdle on this question. It is the duty of the Council to submit so large a proposition as this to the people of Pittsburgh for their approval or disapproval. For this purpose Council is required, in its line of public duty, to pass desire ordinances which express its desire to submit to the people of Pittsburgh a schedule of public improvements and the cost of same, for which the final decision is made by the people by a referendum vote. I believe it is our duty to submit this subway question to the people for their approval or disapproval. If five members of Council were opposed, for any reason to this item being submitted to the voters of Pittsburgh, they could prevent the people from registering an opinion on it, though it might be popular.

"I disagree with Mr. McArdle when he says that we commit ourselves to the merits of this project when we express our desire that it should be submitted to the people for their approval. Although I might be opposed to this subway, yet I believe it should be incor-

porated in the items to be put before the people, in order that they may have the final say, and I am fully convinced that it ought to be submitted to the people because it has been a subject of controversy for many years, and I have confidence in the people doing the right thing.

"The people of Pittsburgh have spent vast sums of money for traction experts. Men of great learning and men in public life have been for and against this project, and there has taken place much discussion as to the merits and demerits of the proposition.

"We now propose to submit it to the people, when it will be given full publicity and allow those in favor of it to present an attractive argument why it should be approved by the people, and those who are against it are given the same privilege, and can express their reasons why it should not be incorporated in the list of items to be approved by the voters of Pittsburgh and, if they have sufficient merit in their arguments to bring about such a result, then it shall fail, proving thereby that the people don't want it.

"There is nothing personal at stake for the members of Council in this matter; it is only expressing their desire to allow it to go to the people for a vote.

"As far back as 1910 the late George W. Guthrie, when he was Mayor, speaking on the railways subject said, 'With the development of the City, subways will become necessary—in fact a subway under Smithfield street would be a great relief today.'

"Following that period I remember Mr. Bion J. Arnold, a traction expert, was brought here, and the City paid nearly \$40,000.00 for his expert opinion in regard to relieving the traffic congestion in Pittsburgh and transit problems. In his report to the Mayor and the City Mr. Arnold recommended the construction of a downtown subway. He said in his report, on page 11:

"The Pittsburgh district must look for real rapid transit from the building of subways and the electrification of the steam suburban lines. Subways will, in the course of time, become desirable and even necessary in order to relieve the congestion of cars from the surface of the downtown streets, and in order to overcome the topographical disadvantages of hills and rivers which now divide the City into a number of separate communities."

"Then he goes on to say that the subways shall be built and owned by the City of Pittsburgh.

"While it is true that Mayor Magee did not go along with the plans that were submitted, yet nothing was offered as a substitute. The citizens of Pittsburgh and every man interested in Pitts-

burgh affairs grants and agrees that the transportation system and the service rendered by the Pittsburgh Railways Company is wretched and ought to be improved, and something ought to be done to relieve the congestion on the downtown streets of Pittsburgh. Yet, in view of all these facts, nothing acceptable has been offered.

"I want to say to those who oppose this ordinance, if you don't believe this is a good thing, offer something else as a substitute.

"During Mayor Armstrong's administration there was a bill passed in the Legislature at Harrisburg enabling cities of the second class to build subways. The Chamber of Commerce has endorsed a municipal-owned downtown subway some time ago.

"I want to say, if for no other reason, whether I believe or don't believe this subject is a good proposition, I believe this question should go before the people for its decision, because Mayor Babcock, in announcing his candidacy for the office to which the people elected him, submitted this to the people in these words, which appeared in the Pittsburgh papers of August 13, 1917:

"I favor the building, by the City, of an underground downtown subway street car loop, to relieve the daily increasing congestion of our streets and secure greater safety and better facilities for the public to conveniently attend their respective daily pursuits in the use of our highways."

"Mayor Babcock went around the City offering that to the people of Pittsburgh as one of his pledges if he were elected the Mayor of Pittsburgh. He was elected Mayor, and he has the right to go before the people, for their approval of one of the fundamental pledges of his platform.

"The Pittsburgh Post at that time, on August 13, 1917, said editorially:

"One of the most important of Mr. Babcock's declarations is for the construction of a downtown subway loop by the City. As early as November 27, 1912, the Post advocated this as the solution of the traffic congestion problem. Nowhere but in the downtown district is the trouble experienced. Traction experts, the Chamber of Commerce and others who have investigated the subject have agreed that the subway loop is the solution, and legislation has been obtained to enable the City to build it and lease it to a private corporation."

"In numerous speeches before the people Mayor Babcock repeated this pledge, as the following extract from the Pittsburgh Press of October 24, 1917, shows:

"After we have done all we can do to improve the surface lines, we should look to the construction of a subway, confined at first, possibly, to a downtown

loop. This can be undertaken by lending the City's credit for the cost of the construction and then leasing for a period of years, the rental to be fixed by the amount necessary to pay interest and sinking fund charges."

"Now, then, with this subject being so thoroughly discussed before the people and having the endorsement of the Director of the Department of Public Works and the Superintendent of the Bureau of Engineering, Mr. Sprague, and having been a live question for many years in Pittsburgh, and having been in the Mayor's platform (and if elected he would carry it to the people, and he was elected), I see no reason why any member of Council cannot conscientiously, even if opposed to the project, allow the people to render their opinion.

"The principal trouble with legislative bodies in the past has been their refusal to submit questions like this to the people and holding in committee real live questions in which the people are interested and which they are clamoring for.

"For the several reasons stated I am voting to have the building of the subway placed in the bond issue and, as it is placed in an item separated from all others, I think we will have a fair decision rendered."

Mr. Dailey arose and said:

"Mr. President, I would like to interrogate the gentleman."

Mr. Winters:

"You may, sir."

Mr. Dailey:

"You state that the Mayor, in his campaign speeches, pledged himself to the subway. Do you know why the item for the downtown subway loop was not included in the first list of bond items submitted to Council?"

Mr. Winters:

"No, sir."

Mr. Dailey:

"Do you know the reason for the subway item coming in as a second addition, or supplement to the first list of items submitted by the Mayor and the Planning Commission?"

Mr. Winters:

"No; the Mayor should explain that. I don't propose to inject something that does not pertain to the subject now under discussion."

Mr. Dailey:

"I want to call your attention, Mr. President, to the fact that the subway item came to us after the list of items

had been submitted by the Mayor and approved by the Planning Commission, and no loop was even suggested. I recall we were holding a committee meeting; the Mayor sent a communication to us, and it came as lightning out of the clear sky. This project, if passed, ties up \$6,000,000.00 of the City's money. The Controller informs us that if the item is approved by the people, whether the City sells the bonds or not, it will be a charge against the bond indebtedness. The Mayor and his departmental chiefs agree that the City will not go ahead with the building of the subway unless they have an agreement as to rental and use, but I repeat it is a \$6,000,000.00 charge against the City.

"During the hearings before Council on the items for incorporation in the bond issue, this loop item did not receive the endorsement of any of the representatives of the civic organizations who appeared before us. The Chamber of Commerce nor any other body endorsed it before our Finance Committee. I remember we had the Municipal Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Commerce present at one of these meetings, and they submitted an elevated railroad plan.

"We made no effort to confer with Mr. Arnold or Mr. Morse in regard to this downtown subway loop. We all know Mr. Morse does not recommend a downtown loop. Do the Allegheny cars go into it? What will the Pittsburgh Railways Company give up or surrender in exchange for the privilege of using the subway? Will they take any of their tracks off Fifth avenue or Forbes street? An agreement was reached that for use of the Exposition buildings a rental for part of the building was agreed upon but not an agreement of any kind in regard to the use and operation of their cars in this proposed subway. I don't think it is a good proposition to impair the bonding power of the City of Pittsburgh by \$6,000,000.00. I don't believe we should ask the voters of the City of Pittsburgh to vote to spend \$6,000,000.00 to help out a bankrupt corporation without a hearing from those in charge of the affairs of the Railways Company or without any endorsement from any organization. I know of no great public demand for this subway. It is not even a start to improve rapid transit in Pittsburgh; and, if built and used, it will not be for the interest of the people who ride on the street cars; it will be for the interest of the bondholders of the defunct Pittsburgh Railways Company.

"For the reasons given, I am opposed to the ordinance."

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"Mr. President, I desire to ask the gentleman a question. Is it not true that the Mayor and Council have agreed

not to build the subway if the item should be approved by the people unless satisfactory terms can be made with the Pittsburgh Railways Company; and, if said terms are not made, will the bonds be sold?"

Mr. Dailey:

"I say the bonds will not be sold if the agreement is not reached. However, and the Controller will bear me out, this \$6,000,000.00 will be a charge against the Councilmanic borrowing power, whether the bonds are sold or not."

Mr. Winters:

"Yes but as the City will not float another bond issue for several years, this will be of no consequence. Is it not the intention of all that the City should own the subway if built?"

Mr. Dailey:

"Yes, sir."

Mr. Winters:

"If there is no more merit in it than you can see, you admit it will be defeated?"

Mr. Dailey:

"I am not able to state what the people will do."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I would like to ask the gentleman a question. He refers in his original question that the only statement from the Mayor on a subway came in after the bond issue had been placed before Council. I want the gentleman to give me a straightforward answer. Suppose this Council, by a majority vote, whether the Mayor favored it or not, decided as the Councilmanic program, without any requests from the Mayor or others, had voted to include this item of a subway in a bond issue, would the gentleman have favored it?"

Mr. Dailey:

"If it were a real subway project, Mr. President, getting the people some place, I would say yes."

Mr. Garland arose and said:

"Mr. President, I am for all the contemplated improvements for the following reasons, stated briefly:

"Pittsburgh in proportion to its population, has a greater unexpended borrowing power than any other American city, and very much greater than the average American city. General trade and employment conditions indicate that this is an opportune time to make necessary improvements.

"Pittsburgh is the center and hub of the fourth metropolitan district of the country, and is destined to be what it

is in reality in all other respects excepting population—the fourth American city. We are, therefore, in a measure, preparing ourselves for that day in the near future when we will have our Greater Pittsburgh.

"The items submitted in the bond issue have all received careful and comprehensive consideration, with a view to doing those things generally throughout the City that are most needed at this time.

"In a separate ordinance will be submitted for a vote of the people the downtown subway proposition. This is one of three steps necessary to obtain relief from a present and rapidly growing congestion, and also to afford rapid transit facilities. In time we will have tunnel connections with the outlying districts, and it is probable that we may have a few elevated railroad lines. The same cars that would go through these tunnels or over the elevated, would go through the downtown subway. Some initial step must be taken towards relief, and, while there may be a difference of opinion as to which step should be undertaken first, it is my opinion that the people, when they understand the general subject of rapid transit and the imperative demand therefore, will, by their votes, endorse the subway project, as they will all the other improvements deemed necessary by the Mayor and Council in the desire ordinances submitted."

Mr. Bauh arose and said:

"Mr. President, I wish to state that I happened to be in Council when Mayor Magee vetoed the subway ordinance, and I supported him. My reason for doing so was because this franchise he vetoed was for a private corporation. I feared then that if this were granted that before long it would have become the property of the Pittsburgh Railways Company, directly or indirectly. This proposition before us is entirely different. The City of Pittsburgh will build and own it. The City will say who is to operate it. That is why I am for this proposition—because it will be owned by the City of Pittsburgh. And, with unanimous consent of Council, I would like to submit, as part of my remarks, the argument of Mr. Sprague on the downtown subway loop. This is a strong argument in favor of the subway and should be inserted in the Record. The statement is as follows:

ARGUMENT OF N. S. SPRAGUE,
SUPERINTENDENT OF BU-
REAU OF ENGINEERING,
CITY OF PITTSBURGH.
TRANSPORTATION STUDIES.

The subject of transportation in the downtown district has been studied for

the past several years, and numerous reports submitted thereon, the latest being that of the Transit Commissioner, which differs from previous reports heretofore submitted in that the downtown triangular district of the City is bisected by two subways, one extending north and south and the other east and west, whereas all other reports suggested a terminal or loop in the downtown district.

There are many elements which enter into the rendering of an ideal system of transportation. The traveling public desires to have the transportation facilities so arranged and located as to make them as close to their point of destination as possible and to reach it in the shortest possible time, consistent with safety. To meet these requirements it is necessary to determine where the majority of the people wish to go, and then to provide such transportation facilities as will best meet these requirements.

I think we are all agreed that the time has arrived for improved transit facilities for this City; the question is how shall they be attained and what section of the City shall receive first consideration to do the most good and furnish the greatest relief. The downtown business district of the City is confined, by natural barriers, to an extremely small area, characterized by narrow streets and tall buildings and with consequent concentration of traffic.

RELIEF OF TRAFFIC CONGESTION.

Relief for present traffic congestion has heretofore been attempted by various expedients, including the installation of one-way traffic and parking restrictions for automobiles. The relief thus afforded is temporary in character and inadequate to meet the demands of traffic. Certain streets in the downtown district have been widened and other street widenings are now contemplated. The widening of these streets is expected to furnish a certain measure of relief to existing traffic congestion, but will not provide or be adequate in itself to meet the growing demands of traffic. The cost of street widenings in the downtown district involves a very great financial burden upon the City and, aside from this financial burden and aspect upon the City, the disturbance to business and properties affected is a serious matter. There is, therefore, a limit to street widenings from whatever point of view considered. It is generally realized that sufficient streets in the downtown district cannot be widened, aside from economic consideration, to furnish adequate street capacity.

The solution of traffic congestion in the downtown district must therefore, be obtained by other means. Here is a problem with which we are confronted at the present time, and the solution

of it affects the present system of surface car operation and therefore involves the question of what disposition shall be made of the surface cars now operating upon the streets in the downtown district.

PLAN OF TRANSIT COMMISSIONER.

It is contended by the Transit Commissioner, while recognizing the traffic congestion in the downtown district, that the necessity for building rapid transit lines connecting outlying districts and passing through the downtown business district is paramount, and that action should be taken by the City looking toward the building of such rapid transit lines. It is admitted that the building of these lines will relieve, in a measure, the traffic congestion on the downtown streets of the City, but, on the other hand, it is denied that such expedients will adequately relieve the street congestion; moreover, the plan proposed limits the territory which would receive the benefits of such rapid transit lines. The cost of the first installation of such a rapid transit line is estimated at about \$12,000,000.00.

CONDITION OF RAILWAY BUSINESS.

Before entering upon a discussion of the proposed surface car subway loop, I think it is pertinent and germane to the subject to invite your attention to the present status of street railway and transportation companies throughout the United States. At the present time there are about 169 companies in the hands of receivers, including the New York Railways, Philadelphia Rapid Transit International Railways Company of Buffalo, Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, Bay State Railway of Massachusetts, the Pittsburgh Railways Company and many smaller companies. The electric railway industry during the past year has suffered many financial embarrassments, due to inadequate revenue, caused by the high cost of labor and materials and a reduction in the number of passengers carried. The companies have been unable to pay dividends, interest on bonds, mortgages, leases, etc.

To secure increased revenues, the companies have resorted to additional fares. The system of fare increase has differed with various companies, some installing a flat rate increase, others by the establishment of zones, and by other methods.

To the average person, an increase in fare from 5 to 6 cents would produce a theoretical increase of 20 per cent. in gross receipts, but, instead of this theoretical increase of 20 per cent. in revenue, the increase has only been from 8 to 14 per cent.; likewise, a 7-cent fare instead of producing an increase of 40 per cent. the increase has been from 1 per cent. of 24 per cent. The Boston

Elevated Railroad increased its fare from 5 cents to 8 cents, being a 60 per cent. increase, and the revenue thus derived was inadequate to meet its expenses.

The question that is being asked by railroad officials all over the country is, "What system of fares will enable the companies to get out of their financial difficulties?" I have brought this matter to your attention merely to show the great uncertainty of the electric railway business, which is not alone confined to the local company, and the difficulty of securing new capital for new enterprises, making extensions, or for the purchase of new equipment.

With these facts before us and with the present need for improved transportation facilities in our City, it would seem the part of wisdom that our first installation of such facilities should contemplate making use of the existing system and to derive therefrom such improvement as lies within the financial means of both the City and the Railways Company.

ELEVATED OR SUBWAY.

Assuming that we are correct in our assumption that the first step in the matter of improved transit facilities should be inaugurated in the downtown section of the City, the question arises as to what type of structure should be provided and where same should be located. In other words, should the structure consist of a subway or an elevated railway.

There are many objections to elevated railroads in busy city streets, and these objections have been recognized to the extent of excluding them from the congested districts. The advantages claimed for an elevated structure are, firstly, that the cost per mile is considerably less than the cost per mile of subway, and secondly, that an elevated structure can be built in less time and with less disturbance and interference with the street and business upon which the structure is located. The objections to an elevated structure are as follows:

Damage to abutting property and consequent depreciation of property values; they are noisy and obstruct light and ventilation to buildings; interfere with the fighting of fires; service is subject to interruption from the elements; in case of derailments, serious accidents will follow. Where elevated railroads are built upon narrow streets, the property damages are liable to be so great as to make the cost per mile of elevated railroad equal or exceed a mile of subway. The merits of a subway have been clearly set forth by the Boston Transit Commission in its first annual report, under date of August 15, 1895, when the subject was under consideration by the City of Boston:

THE MERITS OF A SUBWAY.

First—The subway destroys but little property. The widening of streets renders necessary the destruction of much property.

Second—The subway eliminates the danger which pedestrians now encounter in crossing tracks. In widened streets this danger would not be obviated.

Third—The subway increases traffic capacity by removing from the surface one important class of traffic. A street from which street cars are excluded is more useful and more safe, both for pedestrians and for vehicles, than a widened street would be with cars on the surface. The wider the street and the greater the amount and variety of traffic thereon, the more difficult and dangerous it is to cross.

Fourth—The subway relieves the streets from the posts and the network of wires necessary in the overhead trolley system. These posts and wires make the street less attractive. They are a source of danger to those passing underneath, and they increase the difficulties of the fire department.

Fifth—The subway relieves the street of the noise of the street car, the rumble and jar of the wheels, the hum of the motor and the clang of the bell.

Sixth—The subway renders it possible to run cars between stations at speed and with safety. Speed and safety are not possible on the surface, no matter how wide the street. The frequency of cross streets in the heart of the city renders this statement true, even if between the cross streets a space is reserved for the sole use of the cars.

Seventh—In the subway it is possible, by the use at junction points of a subway, to avoid the crossing of one track grade by another track for cars going in an opposite direction. This arrangement avoids the danger of collision, avoids delay, and increases the capacity of each track. The elimination of crossings at grade is not so practicable under any other system. The subway gives the largest traffic capacity per track.

Eighth—The descent to the station platform of the subway is less than the ascent to the platforms of the New York elevated system. The proposed platforms of the subway are 16 feet below the surface. The minimum height of the platforms of the New York elevated road is 19 feet.

Ninth—The estimates indicate that, on the route of the subway, it will be cheaper to build a subway than to widen the streets by the width of the subway.

Tenth—The subway will increase several fold the capacity for street car traffic through the city, and will, at the same time, relieve other traffic on the streets from the interference to which

such traffic is now subjected by the street cars.

Eleventh—In pleasant weather it is preferable to take the cars and ride in them on the surface rather than in a subway. On the other hand, the subway will be preferable in stormy weather or in excess of cold or heat. In a subway lighted by electricity, and in which electricity is used as a motive power, the air can be kept pure and equable in temperature. If it were proposed to use fuel-consuming locomotives the subway plan would not be so desirable.

Twelfth—In the maintenance of a subway and in the operation of cars within it there are several items of saving in expenditure for repairs and operation, namely:

(a) Maintenance of track, roadbed and electric line. The track in the subway may be constructed like an ordinary steam railroad track. It will be accessible in all parts, the joints may be kept up, and the cost of repairs, as well as the loss by depreciation, will be much less for this portion of the road than if the tracks were laid on the surface of the street surrounded by pavement. The electric line equipment will also be less costly, less liable to injury from exposure to snow, sleet and rain, more easily accessible for repairs, and not subject to interruption in case of fires or other contingencies.

(b) Removal of snow and ice. The portion of the road within the subway will not be subject to obstruction by snow and ice, and the cost of removing the same will, therefore, be saved. It will only be necessary to keep the entrances clear.

(c) Saving in power. On account of fewer stops and the better track the power required in moving cars through the subway will be less than in moving them on the surface.

(d) Saving in time. With the present congested condition of our streets, the slow rate of speed of cars through the length covered by the subway, and the large amount of time consumed in stopping, both to take on passengers and on account of obstructions, a large amount of time is lost. In the subway these stoppages and obstructions will be largely or entirely eliminated, and there will, therefore, be a greater amount of business done by each car in the same time.

(e) Saving in damages for accidents. Since there will be no crossing of tracks by pedestrians or vehicles in the subway, the damages for accidents on this portion of the route will be largely eliminated.

(f) In addition to the items enumerated the subway will allow of a greatly increased traffic and a correspondingly increased revenue.

Tending to offset these items are some elements of expense, such, for instance, as the interest on the cost of construction, the maintenance of the structure, exclusive of track, the cost of pumping, ventilating and lighting, and the expense of maintaining stations.

B. J. Arnold, in report, City of San Francisco, 1913, page 70, states:

A decided tendency in modern rapid transit development is to depart from elevated construction within the business district in favor of subways, owing to the avoidance of noise, extra climb and inconvenience to abutting property. Elevated roads constructed with cushion roadbeds have the objectionable noise minimized but the light in all abutting buildings would be practically cut off. Elevated lines cannot be considered in any sense a solution of the rapid transit problem in San Francisco's business district.

B. J. Arnold, Pittsburgh's Transportation Problem, 1910, page 11, states:

Communities having elevated structures in their streets are making efforts to do away with them in favor of sub-surface construction. It is reasonable to assume that future elevated structures are limited for urban transportation, particularly in congested sections. The fundamental need of subways in Pittsburgh is to provide terminals for electric systems.

In addition to the foregoing, there are other authorities on street transportation matters who are unanimous in their opinion that elevated railroads have no place upon congested city streets, and that the saving in the first cost is more than offset by the objectionable features heretofore mentioned. As to the effect of subways on business and real estate values, the City Club of New York made an investigation in 1908, in the Borough of Manhattan, and I quote from this report:

"The aggregate rise in land from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Spuyten Duyvil was about \$69,300,000.00. If an estimated normal rise of \$21,100,000.00, based upon the rise of the previous seven years be subtracted, from this, it leaves a rise of about \$49,200,000.00, apparently due to the building of subways."

As regards the effect on land values in the Borough of Bronx, the same report says:

"The aggregate increase in land values (of a district extending about a half mile either side of the subway) due to the building of the subway and in excess of a normal rise of \$13,500,000.00, was about \$31,300,000.00."

The report continues:

"The property benefited in the districts above noted could have paid the entire cost of subways and yet have had

a net profit, due solely to their construction and operation, of over \$27,500,000.00. Had it paid only for the portion running through its own territory, there would have remained a profit of over \$67,425,000.00."

We merely quote the above as striking instances of the direct benefit upon outlying real estate values and, consequently, upon all business and residence property—of transportation improvements.

PROPOSED TRANSIT IMPROVEMENTS IN OTHER CITIES.

The City of Boston was confronted with a problem of street congestion, owing to its narrow streets and the inability of operating surface cars thereon, similar to what now exists in the City of Pittsburgh. The subject was investigated by the Transit Commission of that City, and the solution was found in the building of surface car subways, which was the initial step in the development of its present transportation system.

The City of Detroit has been studying the matter of electric railway transportation and street congestion in its downtown business district, and the plan which has been recommended contemplates the utilization of the present street car system by the building of subways and a loop at the end of the Woodward avenue line.

The City of Chicago has recently issued a very voluminous report upon the subject of improved transportation, which also contemplates the building of a surface car subway in the congested district. As an illustration of the similarity in the principle, involved in the solution of this transit problem, I quote from page 24 of the Chicago report:

"Street congestion in the central business district of Chicago has already reached the point where relief has become imperative. With the extremely limited possibilities of providing further street capacity, there remains but the alternative of depressing surface lines beneath the streets. Hence surface line subways are recommended by the commissioners on the score of necessity, even if they cannot fully justify the investment required. As one element of the broad general plan recommended such surface line subways should be constructed through the congested central business district to form the nucleus of a downtown terminal system of subways into which as many surface line cars as possible should be diverted from the start."

The City of Cleveland has a street railway problem, which is under consideration and upon which a report is being prepared by expert engineers. I am informed by reliable authority that the report will recommend the building

of a surface car subway with a loop in the central business district.

From the foregoing, it appears that the present trend of thought in the matter of improvements to street railway transportation is to utilize the present systems and to secure as much improvement as possible in the matter of transportation with a reasonable expenditure of funds. We have, therefore, ample authority and precedent for the further development of the surface lines in this City.

SURFACE CAR SUBWAY LOOP.

The downtown surface car subway loop will accomplish the following results:

- (1) Remove all surface cars within the area bounded by the loop, and thus relieve traffic congestion upon the streets therein.
- (2) Form the nucleus of a downtown terminal for any rapid transit system.
- (3) Furnish rapid transit in all sections of the downtown district.
- (4) Reduce running time on some of the important lines to the outlying districts.
- (5) Provide greatly improved service in the downtown business district.
- (6) Enhance the value of downtown properties.
- (7) Benefit all people entering the downtown district, estimated at 280,000 daily.

The proposed downtown surface car subway is located upon Liberty avenue, Ferry street, Second avenue and Grant street. The plan contemplates a two-track subway, with all the cars operating around the loop in one direction. All of the surface cars in the City will enter this subway with the exception of the North Side, West End and Lincoln avenue cars, which will loop upon Liberty avenue, between Federal and Stanwix streets and around the Court House. The Penn avenue, Fifth avenue, Forbes street, Second avenue and South Side cars will enter the loop by means of portals constructed above high water.

At the Union Station, it is proposed to make a connection to conform with the improvements proposed by the Pennsylvania Railroad. The length of the loop is 8,400 feet, and the estimated cost including the acquisition of property for the building of portals is \$6,000,000.00.

There are six stations proposed, their location being determined by certain well-defined conditions. These stations will be adequate to promptly load and discharge passengers, and will have a length of about 400 feet. The center of gravity of the area within the loop is approximately at Fifth avenue and Wood street. There are two stations on Grant

street—either side of Diamond street—and one at the Union Station. On Liberty avenue a station is located at Wood street and also at Fifth avenue. On Water street the station is located at the intersection of Wood street. The average distance between stations is 1,280 feet, the shortest being 760 feet and the longest 1,860 feet. The average length of walk from any subway station to Fifth avenue and Wood street is about 800 feet, or equivalent to two blocks.

There are 573 cars per hour entering the downtown district during the rush hour, and of this total, it is proposed to divert 335 of these cars into the subway and operate them around the subway loop, leaving 238 cars on the West End, North Side and Hill districts, turning short on the outskirts of the loop district. All cars within the loop, as hereinbefore described, will be removed from the surface of the streets and leave them free for vehicle and pedestrian traffic. Passengers from the Lincoln avenue, North Side and West End cars can transfer to the subway cars in case they desire to reach some distant point in the downtown district.

The surface car subway is designed so that high-speed trains can be operated therein and extensions made across the rivers to the North and South Sides and out Penn avenue, Fifth avenue and Second avenue, should the proposed service and method of operation become inadequate to meet the growing demands of transportation.

The plan contemplates the building of the subway by the City and leasing it to an operating company, provided a satisfactory agreement can be made between the City and the company relative to its use. It is upon this assumption that the City proposes to submit the question to the public. The terms and conditions of the said agreement would have to first receive the approval of the City Council and the Mayor and also the Public Service Commission. In any event actual subway construction would not be undertaken until such time as agreements satisfactory to the controlling parties of interest had been made. In order to make a start, in the matter of securing improved transportation facilities, it is proposed to submit the proposition to the public, with the idea of securing their consent for the expenditure of \$6,000,000.00, contingent upon making a satisfactory agreement with an operating company.

It has been stated that a downtown surface car subway will not be a financial success and that no company could afford to pay the interest on the investment and capital charges. It should be borne in mind that the subway proposition is primarily for the relief of congestion upon the downtown streets of

the City and if the building of a subway is the proper means of securing relief from traffic congestion there is no valid reason why a portion of the cost of such subway should not be borne by the City in lieu of the cost of street widenings and other improvements, which would necessarily have to be made to secure a much less satisfactory degree of relief. Furthermore, it is unfair to assume that the downtown subway is the complete and entire system, for as soon as extensions to the loop are made in any direction, the downtown subway becomes a terminal for all trains entering or passing through the downtown district, and when that time arrives there would be no question as to the ability of the operating company to pay the interest and capital charges upon the money invested therein.

In justification of the City's assuming a portion of the capital charges, the experience of other communities leads us to believe that the City will receive an indirect return by the enhancement of property values and increased taxes.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"Mr. President I would like to ask Mr. Winters a few questions."

Mr. Winters:

"All right, Mr. McArdle."

Mr. McArdle:

"What is to be the answer of Council, if your contention is correct, that this is merely affording the voters of Pittsburgh an opportunity to express their opinion on the subject; what is to be the answer of Council to the people who are interested in a bridge at Flowers avenue, and the people who wanted a bridge on Troy Hill, which we cut out, because of this and that, and twenty other projects that were presented to the committee for its consideration and rejected?"

Mr. Winters:

"Why, my answer would be, Mr. President, that we had many other meritorious propositions in the bond issue and Council originally set the figure at \$25,000,000.00, and on the advice of the legal department and the City Controller and his solicitor, who guides him in his financial transactions, said that it was absolutely necessary to reduce it \$5,000,000.00, and in doing that we had to take out some things that had merit and we retained those items which we thought were the most meritorious to submit to the people of Pittsburgh for approval. In regard to the item for the bridge on Troy Hill, I want to say that I fought for this item until the last minute, when the Director of the Department of Public Works and the Superintendent of the Bureau of Engi-

neering advised that the grade was prohibitive and could not sensibly be agreed upon."

Mr. McArdle:

"I take it that the people of Pittsburgh would have as much objection on the matter of grade as on any other matter of government importance. The thing is quite clear that my opinion, based on the language of the ordinance, is that we ask for this and we desire to do it. If this action is to be taken or we are to be interested in any degree by the fact that the Mayor, in his campaign speeches, advocated the building of a downtown subway loop or any other kind of a subway, and that he ought to have an opportunity to redeem his promises to the people, what about the Mayor's general program of financing the City's business as outlined in the same campaign, wherein he said, I think with some repetition, that he did not believe in spending large sums at one time, but he believed in issuing bonds as bonds were retired. Now, if we are going to help the Mayor redeem his campaign assertions how are we going to explain our responsibility for \$24,000,000.00 of items, including the subway item?"

Mr. Winters:

"I will explain my responsibility in that direction. Since the Mayor made his promises and his induction into office this country entered into the greatest war in the history of the world, and we expended millions of dollars for the welfare of our soldiers and the destruction of the enemy. We successfully concluded that war, and now the government asks that building be again resumed. It has instituted a policy of reconstruction, advocating building and spending to the extreme limit of the Nation, State, County and City, and, in co-operating with that policy, the City of Pittsburgh had decided to float a bond issue to the limit of its power, so that we might provide work for idle men and make improvements that the City is badly in need of, and aid the Nation in its industrial reconstruction policy. The promise of a subway by the Mayor when a candidate, and he having been elected by the people to represent them as their Chief Executive, I believe he has a perfect right to go back to the people and ask them, if they believe the subway is a good proposition, to approve it. If he is not able to explain how it will be financed and prove advantageous to the people of Pittsburgh, the people will not vote for it, and if the people don't want it, he nor we don't want it."

Mr. English said:

"I would like Mr. McArdle to interpret the language of Section 2 of this desire ordinance and explain how this lan-

guage should or could be interpreted: 'Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of \$6,000,000.00 for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses), of providing transit facilities consisting of a subway in the First and Second wards of the said City, adapted to the use of either street surface cars or high-speed trains, or both, as may hereafter be determined, together with the necessary approaches, stations, buildings, works, appliances, equipment and appurtenances, upon such routes and according to such plan as may hereafter be determined by ordinance and approved by such public authorities as may be required by law.' What does this language mean? How does he interpret it? In my opinion, it means that this question of route must finally be determined by Council by ordinance, and certainly the only body that could determine any route is the Council of Pittsburgh. I want to know whether there can be any other construction placed upon this section?"

Mr. McCordle:

"The limitations of the subway to the First and Second wards answers the question, because it limits the kind of service it can render. We know that there can be no high-speed lines go into that."

Mr. English:

"Well, do you agree that even that matter, according to the language, must be determined by the members of Council and, after all, this merely amounts to whether or not Council shall or shall not submit the subway matter to the people for their approval or disapproval."

Mr. McCordle:

"Yes, for the purpose of getting the voters to assent to a program that you agree is meritorious, and there isn't any way by which that language can be twisted in the light of any interpretation or court decision which will shift the responsibility for the leadership or carrying out the work of the corporate authorities of the City to the people of Pittsburgh. Everyone knows that certain bills passed Council and went to the people and received their approval, only to fall in court because it did not express the desire of the corporate authorities of the City."

Mr. English:

"If the people approve the item, then the entire matter is in the hands of Council."

Mr. McCordle:

"Everybody knows that the carrying out of this project will mean additional

legislation. You cannot build a subway from Horne's store to Oakland if you could build it for \$3,000,000.00 out of this fund."

Mr. English:

"Why not?"

Mr. McCordle:

"Because it limits the route."

Mr. Henderson arose and said:

"Mr. President, I have been a member of Council two weeks, and during that time I attended but one meeting when the items for the bond issue were discussed. I heard something at this meeting that rather astounded me, and that was the amount of work it was necessary to do to put these propositions in the form in which they have been presented to us. I think the members of Council, the Mayor, the Department of Public Works and the Law Department gave the items careful consideration. It seems to me, beyond a doubt, that the results obtained from the combination of so many elements, thrashing out these questions by the legislative and executive departments of the City, and involving so many individuals in a series of compromises, are the best that could be desired. I therefore regard these ordinances as the embodiment of hard work of a considerable number of men, honestly, conscientiously and ably performed and being as near right as their unanimous judgment and their best thought could give, human limitations considered."

Mr. McCordle arose and said:

"Mr. President, I would like to make one more observation. The references that have been made here to the Mayor by other speakers and myself, so far as I am concerned, has nothing to do with this discussion or my attitude upon this bill. If the Mayor or if any member of Council, in his heart, thinks that this is a good thing for the City of Pittsburgh, I would have much less respect for him if he failed to try to promote it, and I have no criticism for any member of Council or the Mayor or anybody else exercising to the fullest their judgment and their right to express their judgment and defend their action, and by the same yardstick I will consider myself entirely unfit for service in this body if, having the opportunity that is presented upon this project, standing alone as it does, if I failed to voice my opposition to it while my judgment upon it is as it is. I am against it because I don't think it has merit, and I haven't the slightest objection to the Mayor for promoting it for any reason he thinks sufficient."

The Chair:

"Gentlemen, Mayor Babcock is with us

and wants to say something on this subject."

Hon. E. V. Babcock, Mayor, arose and said:

"Mr. President and Members of Council—You know that I am vitally interested in all the items in the bond issue and greatly favor each and every one of them. It is the result of the best study that I was able to give the subject, both in joining you and the Public Works Department and every avenue of help I could get on the subject. On this one item you are now discussing I would like to add the following:

"With respect to Council Bill No. 2743, being an ordinance providing for increasing the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the amount of \$6,000,000.00 for the construction of a downtown subway, I beg to say:

"The transit problem of the City of Pittsburgh has been carefully studied and large sums of money have been paid out in investigations. For ten years past expert engineers and rapid transit committees of various commercial and civic organizations have recommended the building of a downtown subway. In my judgment, the time for positive action has now arrived. Passage of this ordinance will permit an expression of opinion from the electorate as to whether or not they desire an actual start made to improve the transit facilities of the City.

"The awful traffic congestion upon our downtown streets requires immediate relief. This will be accomplished by the building of the proposed subway and, at the same time, will improve the general transit facilities of our City. No better evidence of this can be produced than the fact that by the removal of all street cars from the surface of the streets in the downtown district during the recent strike, free, easy and unobstructed passage was permitted of a greater volume of traffic than ever before.

"What is needed by the Mayor and City Council is definite and positive authority upon which to negotiate and proceed with the making of agreements and plans to carry into effect a subway project. It would be futile to start such negotiations and formulate such agreements until authority from the electorate is secured.

"In conclusion, let me say that the language of this ordinance is broad, and permits the City to exercise reasonable latitude in the selection of routes, location of stations, method of operation, construction, etc. I sincerely hope this measure will meet with your approval. It will permit the City of Pittsburgh to take the one pre-eminently necessary forward step for the relief of intoler-

able traffic congestion and will result in general betterment of all our citizens."

The Chair said:

"Gentlemen, I have not prepared a statement on this ordinance. In fact, I did not propose to say anything. I knew I would not be able to convince any member by argument to change his views on this subject; therefore I was quite satisfied to vote 'No' and let it go at that. However, I have lost patience at listening to the insinuations that because the Mayor suggested this loop we are opposing it. I pity the brain that could conceive such a thought. One gentleman said that if any member was opposed to this method of relieving traffic congestion, let him propose something that will be better. I have no patience with the inference of the gentleman who would have it go out that at no time was any other plan or any other thought given to this subject to relieve congestion in the downtown district. It is surprising to me that he professes no knowledge of the Transit Commissioner's plans. I, therefore, take exception to the remarks made by the gentleman when he says that no other plan was suggested.

"I want to say to the members of Council and the Mayor that a real rapid transit system that would bring the people to work and take them home again rapidly had been presented by E. K. Morse, our Transit Commissioner, and I was for that plan; but the plan before us is not rapid transit, it is a life-line thrown out to the Railways Company. It offers only temporary relief, and that to the Pittsburgh Railways Company.

"As to the matter of subway operation, we have an object lesson in the City of Boston where, I am told, the subway, similar in character to the loop proposed here, bankrupted the operating company and the City had to come to its rescue.

"My interpretation of this desire ordinance is that I desire the people to approve this item, because it goes out to the voting public with my endorsement. If I should vote for it.

"Something has been said about the increased carfare, and an attempt has been made by one member that it has cost the citizens \$4,000,000.00 and, by further deductions, attempts to show that this subway will cost the taxpayers but a small portion of that extra fare, and yet neither he or any other member of Council has any authority to say that this will bring a reduction in the car fare or relieve the taxpayers of one single cent, but, on the contrary, adds \$480,000.00 annually to the first cost of the subway, namely, \$6,000,000.00.

"Nobody promises that this loop will bring any reduction in fare. Mayor Bab-

cock, I believe, said the former car fare would be restored, but up to this time it has not. Furthermore, there has been said something about the Mayor's pledge to build this subway loop. I never heard it, and I am quite anxious to have it said that he did make such a statement.

"I am opposed to this ordinance for the subway because it does not accomplish anything except temporary relief for the Pittsburgh Railways Company. It is not worth \$6,000,000.00 to the City.

"I will say, further, that I will vote for Mr. Morse's plan, which some members of Council say they never heard of. Mr. Morse, who is retained in his position by the members of Council, because they think he knew his business, said he did not approve this plan.

"It is said that if the people don't approve the item there isn't any more to it; and if they do approve the item and the Mayor or whoever takes the matter up cannot come to satisfactory terms with the Railways Company the bonds will not be sold. I don't believe there is anybody who gives much credence to this, because the next Mayor and the next Council can sell them, if they so desire. They have the law and authority, and they could authorize them to be sold. You say to the people that this is the desire of Council, and I, for one, don't, and I am, therefore, going to vote against it, and do so regardless of the position you gentlemen and the Mayor may take. Let your conscience be your guide."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I cannot let go unchallenged some of your statements. You said you did not care to answer some of the things included in my statement, and yet you attempted to answer some in a general way. I must remind the President of Council that on many occasions, in Council and committee meetings, he has frequently said that facts were stubborn things.

"I want to remind him now that it is merely Council's desire to give the people of Pittsburgh an opportunity to vote on this item of \$6,000,000.00 for the downtown subway. It is not like the Boston subway, going to be built by private capital, but, if the people authorize it, the people's money will construct it, so it will be owned and controlled by the City of Pittsburgh. And should the City officials be authorized to spend \$6,000,000.00 on a subway by the people it is manifest that then will be time to negotiate with the Pittsburgh Railways Company or their successors. We have just come to an agreement with the officials of the Duquesne Light Company in the matter of electric rates in Pittsburgh, and I am confident that the City officials will be able to come to some terms with

the Railways Company for the use of this subway in case it is decided to build it. This is a step in the right direction to relieve the traffic congestion in the downtown section of the City.

"The Council is asking the approval of the people on this item, and if it is not approved that's the end of it. The question of building and equipping the subway is a subject for further legislation by Council, and when that question comes up the question of the kind and character of transportation in the subway can be settled. However, you cannot do one single thing in the matter of transportation unless you take it to the people.

"This does not mean that the services of Mr. Morse will be discontinued. Whether this subway is constructed or not Mr. Morse should be continued in his position until the whole transportation question is finally settled. We should not sit idly by and refuse to make some effort to do something to relieve the present conditions in Pittsburgh. Something must be done in the matter of transportation service, even if it is only temporary.

"Our duty is to submit this question to the people and allow them to say whether we will or will not do this. All the talk about agreements with the Pittsburgh Railways Company, getting the approval of the court and this and that proposition being injected into the discussion is piffle. We want to bring all the energy and ingenuity we can get to put forth the best program it is possible before the people, and then it is up to them to say whether or not the subway should be built."

And on the question, "Shall the bill as read a second time be agreed to?"

The ayes and noes were ordered taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters

Noes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Herron (President)	

Ayes—6.

Noes—3.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters

Noes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Herron (President)	

Ayes—6.

Noes—3.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2744. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million one hundred ten thousand dollars (\$1,110,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including architectural and engineering expenses) of the following namely: Six (6) public comfort stations, including acquisition of land where necessary therefor; additions, extensions and improvements to the municipal hospital, the tuberculosis hospital, and the Mayview City Home and Hospital; the relocation of the central fire alarm station, including the acquisition and installation of apparatus, appliances appurtenances and the laying of wires, and the construction of conduits; the construction, reconstruction and improvement of buildings for combination fire and police stations in the North Side, East End and West End districts of the City, including the acquisition of land and buildings therefor, and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2745. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the amount of one million four hundred one thousand dollars (\$1,401,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said purposes; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2746. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million eight hundred fifteen thousand dollars (\$1,815,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the following, namely: Repairing and improving the roadways of the Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks; developing and improving West Park; acquisition, development and improvement of land located in Saw Mill Run valley for park purposes; acquisition of land, property and equipment and developing the same; improvement of City playgrounds and establishment of new playgrounds, including the acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor; acquisition of land for extension of Highland Park along Allegheny River and improvement of Washington boulevard to Heth's Run bridge, and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2747. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million three hundred and forty-one thousand (\$1,341,000.00)

dollars (the amount estimated to be necessary) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) or a part thereof of additions extensions and improvements to the sewer and drainage systems of the City as follows: Saw Mill Run sewer system; Negley Run sewer system for Homewood and Brushton districts; Nine Mile Run sewer system for Brushton and East End avenue districts; Soho Run sewer system; Hazelwood avenue sewer system, and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2748. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction change of location, and improvement of highway bridges and approaches thereto; the said bridges being as follows, namely: Center avenue bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shady-side station; Beechwood boulevard bridge, connecting Schenley Park to Beechwood boulevard; North and Irwin avenue bridges; Island avenue bridge

on Lincoln Highway, connecting Chateau street and California avenue, and East street bridge to connect Charles and Essen streets, for one-half the cost thereof, the other one-half to be paid by Allegheny County; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. Dalley moved

To amend the bill in Section 2 by striking out the words, "East street bridge to connect Charles street and Essen street, for one-half the cost thereof, the other one-half to be paid by Allegheny County, \$210,000.00," and in the title by striking out the words, "and East street bridge to connect Charles and Essen streets, for one-half the cost thereof, the other one-half to be paid by Allegheny County."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I am opposed to cutting out the bridge over East street, because I voted for it in good faith from the beginning. I was on the ground with County Commissioner Gumbert over a year ago and it was practically agreed then that the City and County would co-operate in building this bridge. Several times since then the people in that district have come before Council and insisted that if the Council would agree to pay one-half the cost of this bridge the County would pay the other half. We are certainly justified in placing this item in the bond issue for the approval or disapproval of the voters. By eliminating this item from the ordinance we would be breaking faith with the people who appeared before Council and petitioned for this bridge."

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"Mr. President, I seconded the motion to amend the bill because I believe this item involves as I estimate it, \$350,000.00, an expenditure of the money of the people of Pittsburgh that is absolutely unwarranted. The people are not there to serve; there is not a public demand for the bridge; there is not a public service for it to render. In addition to that, it would entail upon the County of Allegheny, plus the amount collected from the citizens of Pittsburgh, thousands of dollars and necessitate the building of roadways which, in view of

the constant and pressing needs of communities of already developed districts, is entirely unwarranted."

And the question recurring on the amendment as offered by **Mr. Dalley**, **Mr. English** demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were ordered taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Herron (President)	

Noes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—3.

Noes—6.

And there not being a majority of the votes in the affirmative, the motion did not prevail.

And the bill as read a second time was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dalley moved

That Council now take a recess until tomorrow (Tuesday May 27, 1919) at 1:30 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Garland asked

That Lt. Col. G. A. Dillinger be given the privilege of the floor.

And the privilege of the floor having been granted to Lt. Col. Dillinger, he arose and said:

"Mr. President, Mr. Mayor and Gentlemen of Council—I believe I could call all the members of Council out of order after the heated debate of this afternoon.

"I just want to tell you briefly of some of the things accomplished by the Twenty-eighth Division. First of all, I want to say just a word about the splendid reception given the boys on their

return to Pittsburgh. The Mayor and this Council have shown a wonderful welcome to the boys of the Twenty-eighth upon their return. You have been generous and courteous, and your splendid treatment has been appreciated by the boys returning from overseas. In return for that the boys who went overseas and did your fighting—representing every city, town and village in this grand old State of Pennsylvania—appreciate this treatment and will always remember what you did for them. The boys of the Twenty-eighth Division have earned all the glory that has been bestowed upon them.

"On the 14th day of March last, when General Pershing was reviewing the Twenty-eighth Division at Colombey Les Belles, France, he told General Boullett and General Boullett told General Hay that of all the troops he reviewed the boys of the Twenty-eighth Division were the best in the A. E. F. that he had seen. This was told by General Hay at a dinner given the officers, and I am bringing that word home from the commanders. I am putting them on record as making that statement, as it had not heretofore been mentioned by anyone.

"In the Twenty-eighth Division were all kinds of boys—Italians, Hungarians, Jewish, and so on. They made a splendid showing during the war, and Pittsburgh can feel proud of her soldier boys for the splendid part they played in winning this war. These boys have come back better and bigger American citizens; they will have more respect for the United States and what it means; they will have more respect for their flag and more respect for their American women. These boys will be the ones who will fight Bolshevism and prevent the uprising of anarchy in this country.

"The boys in the American army appreciate the splendid work that was done at home in raising subscriptions for this and that purpose and subscribing to the various Liberty Loans, which went over the top every time. This money which you loaned to the Government helped to feed and clothe the boys of the A. E. F. I thank you for this privilege to say a few words to you my friends."

And the question recurring on the motion to take a recess, the motion prevailed.

And the **Chair** declared a recess of Council until Tuesday, May 27, 1919, at 1:30 o'clock P. M.

AFTER RECESS.

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Tuesday, May 27, 1919.

The hour of 1:30 o'clock P. M. having arrived, and the time of the recess hav-

ing expired, Council was called to order, and there were

Present—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Absent—Messrs.

Garland	Rauh
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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES, (CONTINUED).

Mr. **Robertson** also presented from the Committee on Finance, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 2647. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Leo Kane for John E. Kane, deceased, in the sum of \$250.00, and a warrant in favor of John A. Sharp in the sum of \$250.00 which amounts are in full payment for services rendered for testifying on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh in the case of James Reese & Sons vs. City of Pittsburgh, same to be charged to Code Account No. 1075 (Witness Fees, Department of Law).

Which was read.

Mr. **Robertson** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2719. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Fred. A. Twaley in the sum of \$200.00, in full settlement of any and all claims arising out of injuries received by stepping on a sewer lid, which gave way, causing him to fall therein, and charging same to Code Account, Contingent Fund No. 42.

Which was read.

Mr. **Robertson** moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2756. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons, in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
American Public Health Association	\$ 4.00	1218
American Wall Paper Co.	2.78	1570
Baur Brothers Co.	151.08	1232
Daily Law Bulletin.....	10.00	1086
Gleske, E. C.	18.38	1232
Hamilton's Piano Store..	15.05	1811
Jackson Motor Supply Co.	4.80	1032
Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.	9.84	1570
Kaufmann's, "The Big Store"	2.00	1811
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.	.90	1699
Latimer, Robert A.	17.81	1164
Mulford & Co., H. K.	36.00	1206
Pittsburgh Workshop for the Blind.....	2.00	1329
Pittsburgh Stationery Co.	.37	1056
Pittsburgh Stationery Co.	1.60	1090-C
Pittsburgh Stationery Co.	8.18	1655
Pittsburgh Provision Co.	30.00	1647
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	3.75	1165
Smith Brothers Co., Inc.	146.55	1076
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.	54.62	1656

Totty Co., Charles H.	39.00	1716
Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.	434.00	1673

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2757. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Miss Sarah Jane Clouth in the sum of \$100.00, refunding a part of assessment paid by her for sewer on Glen way, in the rear of her property on Maripoe street, and charging same to Appropriation 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2411. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to apportion the sewer assessment, amounting to \$406.98 interest and costs, assessed against Mrs. Mary Young in order that the St. Walburga Church can pay its pro rata share of assessment,

interest and costs, which now amounts to \$81.39, and, upon the payment of said sum, interest and costs to the City of Pittsburgh, the City Solicitor is authorized to satisfy all liens as to that portion of said lot owned by said church.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2665. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to satisfy the lien filed against the Mount Washington Presbyterian Church at D. T. D. 3646, April Term, 1913, upon payment of \$35.23, and to satisfy the lien filed against said church at D. T. D. 904, January Term, 1914, upon payment of \$35.23, the costs to be charged to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2749. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration

of water rent on property of Martha Walker, 2201-3-5-7 and 9 Ridgeway street, Fifth ward, in the sum of \$48.29, this being 50 per cent. of the charge over what the flat rate would be.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2765. Resolution authorizing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,500.00 from Appropriation No. 1647, Supplies, to Appropriation No. 1648, Materials, Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2770. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 51-B, General Elections, to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, the sum of \$23,500.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2715. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for property known as lot No. 8 in Kirkpatrick, Mellon and Robb Plan, located on Penn avenue, between Fortieth and Flisk streets, Ninth ward, City, to R. Z. Joseph, for the sum of \$1,250.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2436. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver deeds for property known as lots Nos. 781, 782, 783 Chalfont street, Eighteenth ward, City, upon the payment of \$1,100.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

In Finance Committee, May 20, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$1,100.00" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$1,350.00," and, as amended,

ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2709. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$551.76 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Cod. Account No. 1568, Miscellaneous Services City-County Building, for purchase of uniforms for the elevator operators, dispatchers and watchmen.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters

Noes—Mr.

McArdle

Ayes—6.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Robertson presented
No. 2823.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PA.

May 21, 1919.

President and Members of
Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—Please find enclosed, for your files, a copy of the Duquesne Light Company's communication, which has been the topic of recent study by Council and the Mayor.

The original will be retained in the Mayor's office.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY.

A. W. Thompson, President.

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 20, 1919.

His Honor, the Mayor, and
City Council of the
City of Pittsburgh,
Pittsburgh Pennsylvania.

Gentlemen—The Duquesne Light and Power Company beg to submit to you for consideration the following proposition in connection with the domestic rate of Pittsburgh published in public rate sheets now in effect on compliance of the Public Service Commission of the State of Pennsylvania and to which rate there has been some objection on part of the City of Pittsburgh, represented by your Assistant City Solicitor, Mr. C. K. Robinson, such inquiry leading to conferences resulting in the proposition which this company proposes.

Because of the necessity for the Duquesne Light and Power Company to have a situation which will permit of immediate financing for the purpose of expanding its properties at once in order to take care of the constant and growing demand for light for domestic consumers, as well as an even greater demand for additional power, it is proposed to go further at this time than originally anticipated in a reduction of domestic rates in order to clear the situation for a period of years to permit of the most economic and favorable financing, which amount will be in the neighborhood of thirty millions of dollars, and financed principally in the nature of bonds.

It is considered by the owners of this property, as well as the officers, that the financing must be done as soon as possible in order to provide for these

growing demands. The bankers advise that this is the time, rather than later, to accomplish the best results in financing.

To provide safe and economic financing at this time it is necessary that the controversy, or, rather, the inquiry of the City, be satisfied and eliminated for a reasonable period. The Duquesne Company, therefore, agrees and proposes to put the following domestic schedule in effect July 1, 1919, provided assurance is given by the City of Pittsburgh that these rates will be stabilized on the basis as presented in this schedule, as follows:

DOMESTIC RATES.

First 30 hours use of demand per mo.,
9c per kwh.

Second 60 hours use of demand per
mo., 7c per kwh.

Excess above 90 hours per month, 3c
per kwh.

With a reduction of 1 cent on the first
two blocks for prompt payment of bills.

There will also go into effect at the
same time a new power schedule, as
follows:

POWER RATES.

First block or *—hours use of de-
mand per month, 2.8c per kwh.

Or, for prompt payment of bills, 2.6c
per kwh net.

Second block or *—hours use of
demand per month, 1.4c per kwh.

Or, for prompt payment of bills, 1.3c
per kwh net.

Third block or excess .007c per kwh.

*See old schedule. No change.

In order to prepare for new financing, and which new financing covers a retirement of ten million dollars of three-year notes outstanding, together with the building of a new power plant at Cheswick on the Allegheny river, also a number of high-tension power lines in the district, sub-stations, etc., it is necessary, as mentioned above, to have a certain stable situation in regard to rates. Hence the above schedule, which we feel should prevail on a program of upbuilding of these properties covering a period of three years, during which time it is proposed to spend a million dollars a year out of earnings for the purpose of improving service and operations and promote economics in operation. As such economics develop the Duquesne Company will co-operate with your representatives to bring about when and at such time as conditions permit, further reductions in rates.

It is proposed to continue the present payment of dividends on the stock.

It is understood that the Assistant City Solicitor, Mr. C. K. Robinson, will withdraw the case now pending before

the Commission, and which is set for hearing on Thursday of this week, asking the Commission to approve this case or give the order for these rates to go into effect on July 1, 1919.

Respectfully yours,
(Signed) A. W. THOMPSON.

Note.—In the domestic rates the basis of calculation for first thirty hours use of demand is as follows:

First 10-lamp outlets considered as 30 watts each; next 20-lamp outlets considered as 20 watts each; excess considered as 10 watts each.

Number of outlets figured on above basis is taken as demand, and for first thirty hours use of demand per month the charges will be made in accordance with rates as mentioned above.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. Dailey, received and filed and ordered printed in full in the Record.

Also

No. 2824. Resolution authorizing the Law Department and the Special Assistant City Solicitors to withdraw complaints against the Duquesne Light Company before the Public Service Commission of this State, in consideration of reduction in rates and other considerations.

Whereas, By an ordinance duly enacted on February 7, 1917, provision was made for the filing of complaints before the Public Service Commission of this State against the Pittsburgh Railways Company and the Duquesne Light Company, and said ordinance provided for the retaining of Special Assistant City Solicitors; and

Whereas, Pursuant thereto, complaints were filed against all the then existing rates and, subsequently, complaint was filed against increases in the power and commercial rates; and

Whereas, Pursuant to said complaints, the matter of municipal domestic, commercial and power rates was duly investigated and considered by the Special Assistant City Solicitors and by electrical engineers duly employed for this purpose and, following their recommendations, a contract for municipal lighting was heretofore entered into, effecting material savings in municipal light rates; and

Whereas, The Duquesne Light Company is now willing to make certain reductions in their domestic, commercial and power rates in adjustment of the matters set forth in the aforesaid complaints; and

Whereas, the Duquesne Light Company is preparing to provide additional facilities for this district by the expenditure of \$15,000,000.00 for the con-

struction of a new power plant at Cheshwick; and

Whereas, The Duquesne Light Company has agreed to set aside an adequate depreciation allowance and to properly and adequately maintain its properties, and to furnish information freely to the City officials respecting the policy, maintenance and financing of the Duquesne Light Company and the results thereof; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Law Department of the City of Pittsburgh and the Special Assistant City Solicitors be and they are hereby authorized and directed to withdraw the said complaints before the Public Service Commission of this State against the Duquesne Light Company, without prejudice to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh. The foregoing to be in consideration of the agreement of the Duquesne Light Company to reduce its rates on July 1, 1919, as follows: The domestic and small commercial lighting to 8 cents per kilowatt hour for the first thirty (30) hours of demand per month; 6 cents for the next sixty (60) hours use of demand per month, and 3 cents thereafter. The demand to be determined as follows: The first ten (10) lamp sockets at 30 watts each; the next twenty (20) lamp sockets at 20 watts each; all additional lamp sockets at ten (10) watts each.

In existing schedules "F" and "G" of the Duquesne Light Company, the first step of the energy charge to be reduced from a net charge of 2.8 cents to 2.6 cents per kilowatt hour. The second step in the energy charge to be reduced from 1.4 cents to 1.3 cents per kilowatt hour; and the third step in the energy charge to be reduced from 8 mills to 7 mills per kilowatt hour, and in further consideration of the carrying out of the policies and arrangements herein set forth in the foregoing recitals.

In Finance Committee, May 20, 1919. Read and ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation, same to be approved by Council.

Which was read.

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, the passage of this bill marks a new step in the City of Pittsburgh in the matter of public service corporations rendering proper service to the people of Pittsburgh.

"I am very proud, indeed, that I was a member of Council three years ago, when we initiated the proceedings against all the public service corporations under the Public Service Company Law.

"It was my good fortune, privilege and pleasure to assist, with five other members of Council, notwithstanding the veto of Mayor Armstrong, in placing at the disposal of Council and the

City of Pittsburgh the services of C. Elmer Bown.

"Our first attack was directed toward the Pittsburgh Railways Company, but, knowing the Railways Company was tied in with the Duquesne Light Company and the Philadelphia Company controlling all the natural gas privileges, or most of them in our City, we felt that the time had come for the people of Pittsburgh to get a reckoning from all these corporations. The past three years have been ups and down in this controversy. It is a sign of the times that the public service corporations all over the country are beginning to realize that they are servants of the public and not stock jobbing corporations.

"I am very glad, indeed, that those in control of the Duquesne Light Company have seen the handwriting on the wall in the illustration of the Pittsburgh Railways Company and have at last come in to the people's elected representatives and are willing to transact business in the open and above board. It is refreshing, indeed, that they now realize that the first duty of a public service company is to serve the people and that their profits are secondary.

"It seems to me that they should receive encouragement in this new line of procedure and it seems fitting that we should give credit to those who had the courage of their conviction to bring about this condition, and it is no more than right that some measure of credit should be given to C. Elmer Bown, who helped to initiate these proceedings.

"As a matter of respect, I deem it my duty to place this in the Record. It should be stated that we were not and are not trying to wreck the public service companies of Pittsburgh, but believe there should be an honest effort set forth by all of us for the purpose of securing better service for the people of Pittsburgh, at reasonable prices, and that capital should get fair returns on honest investments.

"Credit is also due the administration of Mayor Armstrong, which, after Council's employment of Mr. Bown over the veto of Mayor Armstrong, he repented and offered us the assistance of Mr. C. K. Robinson. Most of us are familiar with the history of these proceedings since the matter has been in the hands of Mr. Robinson.

"I firmly believe if the officials in charge of the Pittsburgh Railways Company and the owners of the property will co-operate with the officials of the City and help, rather than hinder, they will receive just and fair and generous treatment from the members of Council.

"I think it is well also to place in the Record at this time that those who have been handling these matters Messrs. Robinson and Munro, as well as Mayor

Babcock, and the Law Department, should be given credit for their co-operation with the Council in this fight for the people, which started some years ago. It is my duty to make this public statement and to say this action lends hope and encouragement for all of us in the future."

And the resolution, as read, was approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

Also, with a negative recommendation.

Bill No. 2607. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John Korenic in the sum of \$—, in full settlement of all claims for the loss of his wife's aid, comfort and usefulness, who was blinded by being attached by an insane patient while an inmate at the City Home and Hospital at Mayview, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2680. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor, upon the payment by the Sterling Land Company to the City of Pittsburgh of the sum of \$6,803.78, to satisfy the liens filed at Nos. 351 and 352, April Term, 1913, M. L. D.; 26 and 27 July Term, 1915, M. L. D.; 66 and 67, January Term, 1915, M. L. D.; 73 to 83, July Term, 1918, inclusive, M. L. D., and 54 to 67, October Term, 1918, inclusive, M. L. D., and authorizing the Collector of Delinquent Taxes, upon the payment of the further sum of \$3,596.05, to satisfy the liens filed at D. T. D. Nos. 1302, September Term, 1910; 1276, September Term, 1911; 1416, April Term, 1913; 2016, October Term, 1913; 5084 January Term, 1914; 15, January Term, 1917; 1417, April Term, 1918, and 1416, April Term, 1918, assessments against said company for the opening, construction of a sewer on and the grading, paving and curbing of Hobart street; also for sewer on and the grading, paving and curbing of Wendover street, Fourteenth ward, and for City taxes for the years 1917, 1918 and 1919, and to issue receipts in full for City taxes for the years 1917, 1918 and 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the resolution be recommended to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. English presented

No. 2825. Report of the Committee on Public Works for May 21, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2752. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance cancelling and annulling Contract No. 4857, Mayor's Office File No. 253, which is a contract entered into between the City of Pittsburgh and Madden & O'Toole, for the grading, paving and curbing of Gibson street, from Lorenz avenue to Marlow street, executed January 8, 1918."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2761. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for the re-improving to the re-established grades of Sylvania avenue, from Taft avenue to Gearing avenue, and of Taft avenue, from Montooth street to a point 350 feet northwestwardly therefrom, and to the re-established lines of Main street, as widened, at its intersection with Liberty avenue, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

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And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

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Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2753. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
A. Amrhein & Brother	\$ 58.40	1516
Atlas Welding & Supply Co.	17.50	1665
East End Auto Lamp & Radiator Repair Co.	5.00	1685
I. J. Glatch	34.35	1525
Keystone Laundry Co.	1.36	1800
Laurel Land Co.	128.80	1523
James A. McKenna	2.50	1583
James A. McKenna	220.92	1622
National Gear Wheel Foundry	35.00	1557
George Purdy	2.85	1665
John Sauter Co.	22.00	1583
Joseph Schiller	10.40	1516
Samuel Ward	99.55	1516
Samuel Ward	8.80	1525

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2754. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Peoples Savings & Trust Company, attorney-in-fact for Elizabeth Louise McLeod Mitchell, for \$1,700.00, for rent due the said company for the period commencing November 1, 1916, and ending March 31, 1918, for the property situate on the west side of Tunnel street and formerly used and occupied by the Division of Motor Vehicles, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Services Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also, with a negative recommendation.

Bill No. 2671. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance opening and naming Anita way, from Murray avenue to Shady avenue, in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

That further action on the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2826. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for May 20, 1919, transmitting two ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2764. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the A. M. Byers Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a reinforced concrete tunnel under and across Bingham street at a point eight (8) feet west of the westerly building line of South Seventh street, in the Seventeenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, for foot traffic, the transportation of merchandise, and the installation and use of water, steam, electric power, light and telephone lines between the proposed storeroom situated on the southwest corner of South Seventh street and Bingham street and the socket shop situated directly opposite on the northern side of Bingham street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2532. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting to the Eastern Railroad Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use two additional overhead crossings over Hazelwood avenue, subject to the terms and conditions of this ordinance."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2827. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for May 19, 1919, transmitting two resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2750. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Charles H. Garlick.....	\$ 3.00	1163
Allegheny General Hospital	36.50	1163
Keystone Laundry Co.....	216.29	1163
Duquesne Light Co.....	3.00	1163
Bertram G. Case.....	57.64	1166
W. H. Champ.....	8.05	1166
August Loch.....	3.00	1166
The Addler Machine Co.....	43.05	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.....	45.90	1166

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2751. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of William R. Reynolds for the sum of \$709.44, covering hospital and doctor bills incurred by him by reason of an accident while performing his duty as a lieutenant in the Bureau of Police,

on September 7, 1918 and charging the same to Code Account No. 1147, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2828. Whereas, There are a number of soldiers, sailors and marines who, by reason of their absence in the service of their country, are not registered, and who desire to vote at the people's bond election on July 8; and

Whereas, There is a provision in the Registration Laws enabling soldiers, sailors and marines to register within two weeks prior to any special election; be it

Resolved, That the public press be requested to give full publicity to this matter, that these returned veterans may be acquainted with their rights and thus enabled to exercise their right of franchise.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle (for Mr. Bauh) presented

No. 2829. Resolved, That the Librarian of the North Side Carnegie Library be authorized and directed to extend the free use of the Music Hall to the American Legion, an organization of returned soldiers for Saturday evening, May 24, and Thursday evening, May 29.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2830. Resolution directing the City Solicitor to satisfy the lien filed against the property of Mary A. Rodgers at M. L. D. No. 179, January Term, 1918, in the sum of \$189.00 and interest, by reason of the improvement of West Liberty avenue, the costs to be paid by the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2831. Communication from R. D. Nuttall Company, regarding the opening of Berlin way, in the Tenth ward.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The Chair presented

No. 2832. Communication from residents and property owners in the vicinity of Forty-eighth street, calling attention to the nuisance caused by the operation of the Allegheny County Light Company's plant on Forty-eighth street.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

The Chair at this time announced the appointment of Mr. Henderson to fill the vacancy on all committees caused by the resignation of Mr. Burke.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the minutes of the proceedings of Council of May 19 and May 20, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2833. Whereas, A number of bills have been introduced in the State Legislature which are of doubtful benefit to the welfare of the City of Pittsburgh,

the larger of the two cities classed as second-class cities in the State of Pennsylvania; and

Whereas Certain of the bills referred to are actually detrimental to the welfare of the City of Pittsburgh and seriously interfere with the finances and government of the City; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, in session assembled, that the great changes in times and conditions brought about by the progress of recent years, indicate that the Constitution of the State of Pennsylvania should be revised and brought up to date; and, pending action by a convention to consider changes in the State Constitution, Council respectfully urges the State authorities to reject any proposed changes in the laws affecting the affairs of the municipal government regarding elections, number of officials, salaries or any other measures which would take from the municipality the right and power to administer the affairs of the City; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to His Excellency, Governor Sproul, and the Honorable Senators and Representatives in the General Assembly of the State of Pennsylvania.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the President of Council submit the resolution to His Excellency, Governor Sproul.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. Dalley,

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, June 2, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Rauh
Henderson

Absent—Messrs.

English Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

In the absence of President Herron,

Mr. McArdle moved

That Mr. Rauh act as President
pro tem.

The motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 2834. Resolution requesting the Mayor to instruct the directors of the several departments of the City government to make arrangements for the granting of vacations, with pay, for all men who are classed as regular employees on the basis of one day for each month worked during the year.

Also

No. 2835. Resolution authoriz-

ing and empowering the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of Alex Loving in the sum of \$42.32 for six month's period on his property at No. 22 Allequippa street, Fourth ward.

Also

No. 2836. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$12,068.79 from Appropriation No. 1161, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Appropriation No. 1169, Firemen's Equalization Fund, Bureau of Fire, Department of Public Safety.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2837. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for additions and repairs to the power plant in the Department of Public Safety Building.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2838. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania	\$ 75.00	1509
Link Belt Co.....	31.39	1656
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.	4.50	1426
Penn Storage Battery Co.	1.50	1663
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	2.70	1416

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-
COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Alr Tight Steel Tank Co.	3.75	1165
Alexander & Co., Geo. H.	1.80	1243
American Metal Market Co.	10.00	1666
Ball, Charles F.	3.50	1808
Baur Bros. Bakery.	17.88	1745
Baur Bros. Bakery.	31.14	1148
B. B. & B. Trunk Co.	14.50	1700
Beckert Seed Store.	8.00	1808
Bisel, Geo. T.	6.00	1078
Bristol Co., The.	6.45	1655
Bristol Co., The.	25.50	1658
Buchanan, W. P.	2.40	1523
Campbell - Neidringhaus Co.	40.00	1639
Chandler-Boyd Supply Co.	630.00	1656
Consumers Auto Supply Co.	12.00	1673
Diebold Lumber Co., E. M.	1.50	1224
Dyke Motor Supply Co.	10.00	1165
Eimer & Amend.	40.00	1804
Electric Motor Repair Co.	2.34	1028
Electric Motor Repair Co.	1.50	1032
Epping-Carpenter Co.	192.45	1323
Follansbee Bros.	150.00	1322
Gilchrist Sons Co., J. M.	18.67	1164
Hales & Edwards Co.	1,542.00	1320
Hamilton, S. C.	39.50	1032
Hiland Auto Co.	3.92	1809
Hiland Auto Co.	.22	1032
Hipwell Auto Supply Co.	27.20	1165
Johns-Manville Co.	1.13	1638
Journal of Nervous and Mental Diseases, The.	8.00	1323
Kaufmann-Baer Co.	18.00	1808
Kelly-Jones Co.	1 003.36	185-A
Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.	17.15	1570
Lange Motor Truck Co.	3.23	1656
Latimer, Robert T.	30.88	1164
Lawrence Co., W. W.	785.95	1468
Logan - Gregg Hardware Co.	1.50	1177
Logan - Gregg Hardware Co.	7.80	1524
Linde Air Products Co.	3.25	1801
Manufacturers Light & Heat Co.	550.62	1320
McClung Printing Co.	4.50	1076
McKenna Drug Co.	227.79	1232
Packard Motor Car Co.	.65	1556
Painter Dunn Co.	75.80	1032
Painter Dunn Co.	.60	1639
Pittsburgh Harness Supply Co.	7.50	1332
Pittsburgh Machine & Supply Co.	.60	1809
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	.45	1164
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	27.00	1504
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	.81	1084
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	2.25	1191

Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	18.36	1403
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.	1.50	1656
Pittsburgh Piping & Equipment Co.	147.00	1656
Pittsburgh Provision Co.	2.90	1569
Point Motor Co.	2.38	1673
Point Motor Co.	29.64	1809
Popular Supply Co.	228.98	1032
Robbins Electric Co.	1.92	1321
Scobie & Parker Co.	1.80	1226
Scobie & Parker Co.	28.00	1323
Seven Baker Bros.	162.50	1224
Smith Bros. Co., Inc.	33.00	1076
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.	.50	OBSTF
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.	3.00	1655
Spalding & Bro., A. G.	4.50	1808
Standard Sanitary Mfg. Co.	.93	1165
West Disinfectant Co.	230.55	1620
West Publishing Co.	7.00	1078
Wheeler Condenser & Engineering Co.	1,860.70	1656
Wilson-Snyder Manufacturing Co.	12.00	1656
Youghiogheny Coal Co.	8.31	1164

Also
No. 2839. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,850.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Appropriation No. 1061, Temporary Salaries, and \$150.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Appropriation No. 1065, Repairs, Department of the City Treasurer.

Also
No. 2840. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Appropriation No. 1066, Equipment, Department of the City Treasurer, for the purpose of purchasing an automobile for the use of the paymaster, Department of the City Treasurer.

Also
No. 2841. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Annie B. C. Acheson for \$100.00, refunding over-payment of assessment for sewer constructed in Glen way, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42. Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented
No. 2842. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$6,000.00 from Appropriation No. 171, Water Improvement and Extension Loan Fund, to Appropriation No. 171-A, Salaries and Expenses, Bureau of Water, for the purpose of payment of engineering, mechanical and other services performed by employees

of, or furnished to, the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, in the improvement and extension of the water system, installation of meters, etc., and materials and supplies used in connection with such work.

Also

No. 2843. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$4,500.00 from Appropriation 1555, Supplies, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1558, Equipment, Asphalt Plants, to provide for payment of steam tandem rollers authorized to be purchased under provisions of an ordinance approved May 26, 1919.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance

Also

No. 2844. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for changing front vestibule doors and for furnishing and erecting of new screen and grating doors at all first floor openings at the South Side Market, and the setting aside of \$1,500.00 from Code Account 1601-G for the payment of the costs thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2845. Communication from M. N. Shapiro asking to be exonerated from payment of excessive water rent on property at 3609 Bethoven street, Sixth ward.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2846. An Ordinance widening certain portions of Brownsville avenue, in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth wards, of the City of Pittsburgh, between a point 22.92 feet west of the third angle east of Warrington avenue and a point 23.02 feet west of the first angle east of William street, hereinafter designated and described as portions A, B, C, D and E, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2847. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Melwood street, from Ridgway street to Denver street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2848. An Ordinance granting unto the Crucible Steel Company of America, its successors and assigns the right to construct, maintain and use a bridge over and above West Carson street, Nineteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, approximately 1,300 feet east of the east building line of South Main street, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., between the buildings of the Crucible Steel Company of America, said buildings being located on opposite sides of West Carson street, known as Singer-Nimick Works.

Also

No. 2849. An Ordinance establishing the grade on Lajoie way, from Castlegate avenue to property line of the Brookline School.

Also

No. 2850. An Ordinance establishing and re-establishing the grade of Webster avenue, from Fullerton street to Roberts street.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2851. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following newspapers for advertising, which was not done in accordance with law, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund:

Pittsburgh Sun	\$214.92
Pittsburgh Post	214.92
Gazette Times	235.20
Pittsburgh Leader	226.80
Pittsburgh Press	219.24
The National Labor Journal.....	60.00
Tribune Publishing Co.....	90.00
Pittsburgh Dispatch	219.24

Also

No. 2852. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to set aside the sum of \$1,200.00 in Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to pay for a new crank shaft for gas engine No. 416 in connection with refrigerating system at the Diamond Market, Bureau of City Property.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2853. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for towel service for the City-County Building, Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works, from May 5, 1919, until December 31, 1919.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2854. An Ordinance re-

establishing the grade on Beechwood boulevard, from Hazelwood avenue to a point 129.95 feet northwardly therefrom.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 2855. Communication from members of Engine Company No. 16, inviting the members of Council to attend an entertainment and lunch in honor of returning soldiers on the evening of June 3, at 8 P. M.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the communication be received and filed, and the invitation accepted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2856. An Ordinance author-

izing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies to advertise for bids and enter into a contract or contracts for the publication of literature in relation to the proposed bond issue which will be submitted to the people on July 8, 1919 and providing for the payment of the cost and preparation of said literature.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the Clerk be instructed to instruct the Division of Investigation to discontinue making reports on Bill No. 2655.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. Garland,

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, June 9, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Rauh
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Absent—Mr.
English

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 2857. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$875.00 from Appropriation No. 1113, Salaries, Regular Employees, Art Commission, to Appropriation No. 1042, Salaries, Regular Employees, Transit Commission, for the purpose of paying salary of clerk in the office of the Transit Commission for the balance of the year 1919.

Also

No. 2858. An Ordinance amending Section 10, Mayor's Office, Transit Commission, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.," approved January 22, 1919.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2859. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
H. S. Anderson Auto Repair Co.	\$ 17.00	1810
P. J. Guina.....	1.50	1665
Iron City Engineering Co.	86.50	1810
McCandless, Collingwood & Alexander	16.00	1679
Penn Storage Battery Co.	3.00	1557
John Sauter Co.....	30.80	1810
Scientific Materials Co.....	1.85	1657
John A. Sharp.....	902.16	1679
B. F. Stout.....	.78	1810
Underwood Typewriter Co.	.90	1657
Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.....	241.98	1657
Fueller's Tire & Tube Repair Co.....	25.85	1674
Metz & Miller.....	19.50	1674

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2860. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$862.73	1160
Keystone Laundry Co.....	5.84	1130

Keystone Laundry Co..... 76.98 1147
William B. McGrady..... 45.17 1136

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Gariand presented

No. 2861. An Ordinance authorizing the setting aside of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) from the Contingent Fund, Code Account No. 42, for the expenses incurred in parade and concert bands and athletic and aquatic sports in the celebration of the Fourth of July, 1919.

Also

No. 2862. Resolved That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons, in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
American Atmos Corporation	\$.75	1164
Atlantic Refining Co.....	15.52	1655
Flocker, John, & Co.....	106.40	1526
Johnston Co., Wm. G.....	7.00	1100-M
Packard Motor Co.....	3.44	1556
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.....	22.50	185-A
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.	751.83	1526
Sellers Co., William.....	960.90	1656
Selferth, H. H.....	43.50	1519

Also

No. 2863. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Pittsburgh & West Virginia Railway Company for the sum of \$251.13, or so much of the same as may be necessary to cover freight charges due on shipments of coal to the pumping stations during the month of January, 1918, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2864. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$75.00 from Appropriation No. 1108-B, Miscellaneous Services, Department of City Planning to Appropriation No. 1109-C, Supplies, Department of City Planning.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 2865. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or con-

tracts for the furnishing of one (1) motor truck for the Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Also

No. 2866. Petition for the widening of Baum boulevard, between South Highland avenue and South Rebecca street.

Also

No. 2867. An Ordinance widening Baum boulevard, in the Eighth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from South Rebecca street to South Highland avenue, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2868. An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh to proceed to condemn the property of Xavier Wittmer, situated in the Eighth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, for public park purposes.

Also

No. 2869. An Ordinance authorizing, empowering and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a lease with the Exhibitors Service Company for the rental of the Duquesne Market, located on Duquesne way, between Sixth and Seventh streets, City of Pittsburgh, and fixing the terms and compensation of said lease.

Also

No. 2870. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed in fee simple to the William Flaccus Oak Leather Company of a certain piece or tract of land on the north side of the Allegheny river, known as the River Avenue Pumping Station.

Also

No. 2871. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Nirella Orchestra for \$170.00 for music furnished in parade held by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States on Memorial Day, May 30, 1919, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1386.

Also

No. 2872. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration of water rent on property of M. N. Shapiro, 3609 Bethoven street, Sixth ward, in the sum of \$129.40, being 50 per cent. of the total charge, less what the flat rate would have been from April 14, 1917, to

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Council met.

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Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Absent—Mr.
English

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 2857. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$875.00 from Appropriation No. 1113, Salaries, Regular Employees, Art Commission, to Appropriation No. 1042, Salaries, Regular Employees, Transit Commission, for the purpose of paying salary of clerk in the office of the Transit Commission for the balance of the year 1919.

Also
No. 2858. An Ordinance amending Section 10, Mayor's Office, Transit Commission, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.," approved January 22, 1919.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2859. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
H. S. Anderson Auto Repair Co.	\$ 17.00	1810
P. J. Guina.....	1.50	1665
Iron City Engineering Co.	86.50	1810
McCandless, Collingwood & Alexander	16.00	1679
Penn Storage Battery Co.	3.00	1557
John Sauter Co.	30.80	1810
Scientific Materials Co.	1.85	1657
John A. Sharp.....	902.16	1679
B. F. Stout.....	.78	1810
Underwood Typewriter Co.	.90	1657
Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.	241.98	1657
Fueller's Tire & Tube Repair Co.	25.85	1674
Metz & Miller.....	19.50	1674

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2860. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$862.73	1160
Keystone Laundry Co.	5.84	1130

Keystone Laundry Co..... 76.98 1147
William B. McGrady..... 45.17 1136
Which was read and referred to the
Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2861. An Ordinance authorizing the setting aside of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) from the Contingent Fund, Code Account No. 42, for the expenses incurred in parade and concert bands and athletic and aquatic sports in the celebration of the Fourth of July, 1919.

Also

No. 2862. Resolved That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons, in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-
COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
American Atmos Corporation.....	\$.75	1164
Atlantic Refining Co.....	15.52	1655
Flocker, John, & Co.....	106.40	1526
Johnston Co., Wm. G.....	7.00	1100-M
Packard Motor Co.....	3.44	1556
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.....	22.50	185-A
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.....	751.83	1526
Sellers Co., William.....	960.90	1656
Seiferth, H. H.....	43.50	1519

Also

No. 2863. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Pittsburgh & West Virginia Railway Company for the sum of \$251.13, or so much of the same as may be necessary to cover freight charges due on shipments of coal to the pumping stations during the month of January, 1918, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2864. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$75.00 from Appropriation No. 1108-B, Miscellaneous Services, Department of City Planning to Appropriation No. 1109-C, Supplies, Department of City Planning.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 2865. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or con-

tracts for the furnishing of one (1) motor truck for the Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Also

No. 2866. Petition for the widening of Baum boulevard, between South Highland avenue and South Rebecca street.

Also

No. 2867. An Ordinance widening Baum boulevard, in the Eighth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from South Rebecca street to South Highland avenue, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2868. An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh to proceed to condemn the property of Xavier Wittmer, situated in the Eighth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, for public park purposes.

Also

No. 2869. An Ordinance authorizing, empowering and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a lease with the Exhibitors Service Company for the rental of the Duquesne Market, located on Duquesne way, between Sixth and Seventh streets, City of Pittsburgh, and fixing the terms and compensation of said lease.

Also

No. 2870. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed in fee simple to the William Flaccus Oak Leather Company of a certain piece or tract of land on the north side of the Allegheny river, known as the River Avenue Pumping Station.

Also

No. 2871. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Nirella Orchestra for \$170.00 for music furnished in parade held by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States on Memorial Day, May 30, 1919, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1386.

Also

No. 2872. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration of water rent on property of M. N. Shapiro, 3609 Bethoven street, Sixth ward, in the sum of \$129.40, being 50 per cent. of the total charge, less what the flat rate would have been from April 14, 1917, to

April 15, 1919, as recommended by the Board of Water Assessors.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2873. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading to a width of 38 feet paving and curbing of McCandless street, from Fifty-third street to Fifty-sixth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2874. An Ordinance widening and changing the lines of certain portions of Pioneer avenue, in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, between Templeton street and West Liberty avenue, as hereinafter designated and described as portions "A," "B," "C," "D," "E," "F," "G," "H," and "I" and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2875. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to set aside the sum of \$2500.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the use of the American Legion, composed of soldiers, sailors, marines, Red Cross nurses and others who were in the active service of the United States Government during the world war, for payment of expenses incurred in its campaign for members, and providing that all warrants therefor shall be drawn on payrolls approved by the Finance Committee of Council.

Also

No. 2876. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Peter McCullough for Lot No. 128, Broadhead street, located in R. G. McGonigle's South Arlington Plan, Twelfth ward, for the sum of \$125.00.

Also

No. 2877. Communication from E. H. Clark Rubber Company relative to ordinance requiring license for salesmen to sell goods in Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 2878. Communication from W. S. Henderson, police officer, asking to be reimbursed for expenses incurred as the result of sickness contracted while on duty.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2879. Communication from M. J. Molans, complaining of non-collection of garbage from his residence at 6412 Phillips avenue.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2880. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Robert Louis Taylor for lot located on Magnet street, Twenty-sixth ward for the sum of \$120.00.

Also

No. 2881. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,287.50 from Code Account No. 1775-E, Resurfacing Walks, West Park, Bureau of Parks, to Appropriation No. 1553, Wages, Temporary, \$1,150.00; and to Appropriation No. 1556, Materials, \$1,137.50; Asphalt Plant, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2882. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$47,494.75 for the removal of 4,409.425 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 5,829.412 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$12,846.02 for the removal of 1,341.49 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 1,481.965 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton; this being for the month of May, 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

The Chair presented

No. 2883. Resolution authorizing the Controller to appoint a delegate to attend the 1919 session of the Controllers' National Association, to be held in the city of Baltimore on June 18, 19 and 20, and authorizing the issuing of a warrant in payment of the expenses incurred by the said delegate attending such convention, on a voucher approved by the Finance Committee, and charging same to Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund.

Also

No. 2884. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the William Penn Hotel for the sum of \$136.70, for luncheons furnished on May 6 and 20, 1919, to members of the Mayor's conference committee in attendance at meetings in re adjustment of lighting rates of the Duquesne Light

Company and also relative to the proposed bond issue, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2885. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Packard Motor Company for \$410.65 for repairing Packard car, known as the "Council car," and charging same to Appropriation No. 1033-E, Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Also

No. 2886. Resolution authorizing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of the County of Allegheny for water rents on Old City Hall property, located at the corner of Smithfield street and Oliver avenue Second ward, for the years 1917 and 1918, and to charge the same off their books.

Also

No. 2887. Communication from James A. Griffith, asking that the City purchase his property on Lillian street, Eighteenth ward, for street purposes, in order to provide an outlet along Lillian street, from Beltzhoover avenue to Knox avenue.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2888. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Bricelyn street, from Tokio street to Wilkinsburg avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2889. Communication from C. O. Shroeder, asking that a bridge be constructed across the run in the rear of Tioga street, Thirteenth ward.

Also

No. 2890. Communication from John Mellor, complaining of the deplorable condition of Jancey and Chislett streets, Tenth ward.

Also

No. 2891. Petition of property owners, asking for a hearing before final action is taken on the ordinance for the grading and paving of Azimuth way from Mildred way to the easterly line of Sarah L. Thomas, Eleventh ward.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2892.

MAYOR'S OFFICE

Pittsburgh, June 9, 1919.

President and Members of
Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen — I would be pleased to have you join in a brief conference with the Receivers of the Pittsburgh Railways Company and myself in the Mayor's office, Tuesday, June 10, relative to operation changes and franchise suggestions; you to name the hour.

Would suggest that if you could arrange this for just before luncheon or just before or after your committee meeting it would be very satisfactory.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received and filed, and that the hour of 11 o'clock A. M., Tuesday, June 10, 1919, be fixed as the time for the conference.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2893. Report of the Committee on Finance for May 27, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2789. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating position for one (1) elevator repairman in the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, City-County Building, at current union wages."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2790. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 140, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Tests, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.,' approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2791. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 62, Line 2, Department of Public Works Division of Public Utilities; Section 74, Line 2, Department of Public Works, Water Accounting Division; Section 88, Line 4, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Parks; Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.,' approved January 22 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2799. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred ninety thousand (\$390,000.00) dollars and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount to provide for the grading, regrading, paving and repaving and otherwise improving West Carson street, from a point 181 feet eastwardly from the south approach to the Point bridge to a point 265.47 feet west of Steuben street."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2810. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Charities, City of Pittsburgh, to appoint medical and surgical consultants for the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2811. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Line 16, Section 25, Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Electricity, of an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2815. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance prescribing the method of disbursement of the appropriation of \$25,000.00 made by Council as Appropriation No. 1637, Civic and War Committee."

In Finance Committee, May 27, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1 by inserting after the words "who shall approve," the words "with the consent of the Finance Committee," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2794. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Con-

troller to transfer the sum of \$1,400.00 from Code Account 1491-E, General Repaying Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to Code Account 1418-F, Equipment and Machinery, General Office, Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2801. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$15,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1144, Bureau of Police, Salaries, to Appropriation No. 156, City Hall Bonds, 1910.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2816. Resolution repealing Resolution No. 225, approved May 9, 1919, authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Robert G. Blackham for lots Nos. 218-249, at the corner of Alger and Win-

terburn streets, Fifteenth ward, upon the payment of \$1,500.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2786. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Daniel Winters, treasurer of committee appointed to call on the Secretary of War and other government officials at Washington, D. C., to hasten the return of the Pittsburgh soldiers, in the sum of \$160.00, in payment of expenses incurred as aforesaid, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 1005, Council's Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2792. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following publishing companies in payment of advertising inserted in their papers by the Department of Pub-

lic Safety, and charging same to Appropriation No. —

Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.....\$25.20
The Press Publishing Co..... 25.20
The Pittsburgh Gazette Times..... 25.20
Tribune Publishing Co..... 18.00
The Pittsburgh Post..... 17.64

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2807. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to allow credits to persons, firms and corporations who obtained licenses for and during the year 1918 to buy, sell and deal in junk, etc., on the license fees to be paid under the ordinance of August 5, 1918, and authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of such persons, firms and corporations who obtained licenses for the year 1918, as required by the Ordinance of December 30, 1904, and who paid the full license fees for the year 1918 under the provisions of the Ordinance of August 5, 1918, the City of Pittsburgh, nevertheless, to retain 25 per cent. of such amounts as paid during the year 1918 under the provisions of the Ordinance of December 30, 1904, for any business which such dealers may have been engaged in during the months of January, February and March, 1918, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2793. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,420.00 from Code Account 1812, Structural and Non-structural Improvements, to Code Account 1811, Equipment, Bureau of Recreation.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the resolution be recommended to the Committee on Finance for further consideration.

The Chair:

"What is the purpose Mr. Dailey, of referring this resolution back to the committee?"

Mr. Dailey:

"Mr. President, I was informed that the Superintendent of the Bureau of Recreation proposes to purchase an automobile out of this fund. This resolution specifically states that the money is to be used for the purpose of purchasing playground equipment. I want to ascertain whether the superintendent proposes to purchase an automobile out of this fund or not."

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"Mr. President, I haven't any special objection to sending this resolution back to the committee for further consideration; but the superintendent of the bureau stated that he was badly in need of this equipment, and for the reason of not delaying the passage of the resolution I would suggest, if there are no objections, that the superintendent be sent for to explain this matter."

Mr. Charles F. Ball, Superintendent of the Bureau of Recreation, was sent for and appeared before Council.

The Chair said:

"Mr. Ball, Council has sent for you to explain what the money is to be used for as provided in the transfer resolution now up for action by Council. This resolution provides for a transfer of \$2,420.00, and it has been stated that you intend to purchase a new automobile out of this fund. Is that correct?"

Mr. Ball said:

"Mr. President, I have about \$600.00 worth of equipment requisitions awaiting this transfer. These requisitions are for items of equipment for the playgrounds. When the budget was set up for 1919 the Council had granted us an appropriation of \$750.00 with which to purchase an automobile. This money had been used for the purchase of playground equipment; and if Council has no objection we would consider that item as being included in this \$2,420.00, to replace that which had been used for the purchase of an automobile, for the reason that our automobiles at present are in bad shape, and they are really a bill of expense to maintain."

The Chair said:

"It is your intention if you have a balance of \$750.00, to use it for the purpose of purchasing an automobile?"

Mr. Ball:

"That is what I would like to do, Mr. President. If there are no objections by Council."

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"Mr. President, it ought to be understood that if the bureau buys an automobile out of this fund later and Council, in making up its budget for 1919, made an allowance of \$750.00 for the purchase of a new automobile and no greater sum than this is expended, there is no breach of faith involved in this by the bureau."

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Garland also presented

No. 2894. Report of the Committee on Finance for June 3, 1919, transmitting an ordinance and sundry resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2858. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies to advertise for bids and enter into a contract or contracts for the publication of literature in relation to the proposed bond issue which will be submitted to the people on July 8, 1919, and providing for the payment of the cost and preparation of said literature."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. Garland moved

To amend the bill in Section 1, after the words "and to engage," by striking out the word "the."

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as read a second time and amended, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Noes—Mr.

McArdle

Ayes—7.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2758. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the W. J. Gilmore Drug Company of Pittsburgh in the sum of \$298.68, in adjustment of water rents from flat rates to meter rates, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2841. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Annie B. C. Acheson for \$100.00, being adjustment for assessment for the construction of a sewer on Glen way, in rear of her property on Maripoe street, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2851 Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following newspapers for advertising, which was not done in accordance with law, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42. Contingent Fund:

Pittsburgh Sun	\$214.92
Pittsburgh Post	214.92
Gazette Times	235.20
Pittsburgh Leader	226.80
Pittsburgh Press	219.24
The National Labor Journal.....	60.00
Tribune Publishing Co.....	90.00
Pittsburgh Dispatch	219.24

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2545. Resolution releasing and discharging C. B. Bratt from the payment of assessments against his property on Flora street, Twenty-seventh ward, for the construction of a sewer connecting with a general sewer system, and authorizing the proper officers of the City to make such entries upon their books as are necessary to show that the assessments have been released and exonerated, and authorizing the Law Department to agree to the striking off of said assessments, on the hearing of any exceptions filed by the owner for that purpose.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2663. Resolution authorizing the City Solicitor to accept the sum of \$847.71 in payment of assessment for the improvement of South street (now Tyndall street), Twentieth ward, from Lucy Dorsey Iams and, upon the receipt of the same, to satisfy the

Item of record filed at No. 1477, October Term, 1904, against Lots 260, 261, 262 and 263, located on said South street (now Tyndall street).

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2839. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,850.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Appropriation No. 1061, Temporary, Salaries, and \$150.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund to Appropriation No. 1065, Repairs, Department of the City Treasurer.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2842. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$6,000.00 from Appropriation No. 171, Water Improvement and Extension Loan Fund, to Appropriation No. 171-A, Salaries and

Expenses, Bureau of Water, for the purpose of payment of engineering, mechanical and other services performed by employees of, or furnished to, the Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2843. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$4,500.00 from Appropriation No. 1555, Supplies, Asphalt Plants to Appropriation No. 1558, Equipment, Asphalt Plant, to provide for the payment of steam tandem rollers.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2852. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to set aside the sum of \$1,200.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to pay for a new crank shaft for gas engine No. 416, in connection with

refrigerating system at the Diamond Market.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2501. Whereas, The Fifteenth Ward Patriotic Association is desirous of erecting an honor roll tablet on Engine House No. 13, corner of Second avenue and Glen Caladh street, which will contain the names of all the boys from that community who carried the colors; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Fifteenth Ward Patriotic Association be given permission to erect said tablet on No. 13 Engine Company House; provided, however, that it must conform to the architecture of the building and that plans be submitted to and approved by the City architect.

In Finance Committee, June 3 1919. Read and amended by inserting a new preamble as follows: "Whereas, The residents of the Fifth district of the Fourteenth ward have formed an association for the purpose of erecting an honor roll tablet on the lot occupied by Engine Company No. 61; and," by adding, at the end of the resolution, the following: "And, be it further, Resolved, That the said association of residents of the Fifth district of the Fourteenth ward be and they are hereby given permission to erect said tablet on the grounds occupied by No. 61 Engine House; provided, however, that the said tablet and pedestal must conform to the architecture of the building, and that plans therefor must be submitted to and approved by the City architect," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2670. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for Lot No. 142, in A. R. Neeb's Place on Dupont street, Fifteenth ward, to Mrs. Clara Kraska for the sum of \$70.00.

In Finance Committee, June 3, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$70.00" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$100.00," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2804. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to make an adjustment of the water rents charged for 1918 and 1919, on the property of Sarah I. Floyd at No. 3310 Ruthven street and Nos. 3305 to 3313 Bigelow boulevard, in the sum of \$-----

In Finance Committee, June 3, 1919. Read and amended by adding, at the end of the resolution the following words, "\$332.22, being 50 per cent. of assessment," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

The motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2834. Resolution requesting the Mayor to instruct the directors of the several departments of the City government to make arrangements for the granting of vacations, with pay, for all men who are classed as regular employees, on the basis of one day for each month worked during the year.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the resolution be recommended to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2895. Report of the Committee on Public Works for May 27, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2784. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile truck for the Bureau of Light."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2785. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for furnishing an automobile for the use of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2797. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Brandon road from a point about 60 feet west of Sewickley road to the existing sewer on Brandon road east of Pennock road, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2798. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the northwest sidewalk of Veronica street and on Sundeman street, from a point about 10 feet southwest of the easterly line of the John N. Straub's Plan of Lots to the existing sewer on Sundeman street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same

be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2808. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 503, entitled, 'An Ordinance authorizing the regrading, repaving and recurbings of Howard street, as widened, at the southeast corner of Staud street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof,' approved November 21, 1917."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2788. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Name.	Amount.	No.
A. Amrhelm & Bro.....	\$ 51.35	1665
Campbell Neidringhaus.....	.53	1417
B. K. Elliott Co.....	24.75	1425
Empire Laundry Co.....	1.36	1807
B. H. Frazier.....	41.00	1516
Gardner Bros. Service Co..	37.00	1516
Ed. M. Horen.....	367.50	1554
William A. Huff.....	400.00	1554
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	39.63	1417
Lincoln Laundry Co.....	.76	1807
J. I. Malroye.....	334.25	1554
Mayer Wagon Co.....	54.75	1516
C. C. Mellor Co.....	16.00	1807
Miller & Woodward, Inc....	.60	1810
H. S. Moorehead & Co.....	234.50	1554
James A. McKenna.....	6.75	1571
James A. McKenna.....	87.35	1583
Nelson & Smeltz.....	140.00	1554
W. D. Poland.....	105.00	1554
William Renton.....	35.00	1657
Royal Typewriter Co.....	1.50	1516
Underwood Typewriter Co..	1.00	1417
James A. McKenna.....	280.64	1563

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—3.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Robertson also presented

No. 2896. Report of the Committee on Public Works for June 3, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2539. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of Blackhawk street, from Pocono street to the City line, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—3.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2540. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Commercial street, from Blackhawk street to Whipple street, and providing that the costs damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2541. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of Homestead street, from Nevada street to Pocono street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2542. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of Pocono street, from Whipple street to the City line, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2543. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of Whipple street from Goodman street to the City line, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the

bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2629. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Hillcrest street, from North Fairmount street to North Rebecca street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2844. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for changing front vestibule doors and for furnishing and erecting of new screen and grating doors at all first floor openings at the South Side Market, and the setting aside of \$1,500.00 from Code Account 1601-G, for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2853. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for towel service for the City-County Building, Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works, from May 5, 1919, until December 31, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2897. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for May 27, 1919, transmitting a petition and several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2649. Petition of Charles B. Bratt, asking for the rescinding and revoking of plan in Twenty-seventh ward.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

Bill No. 2650. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance rescinding and revoking the approval by the City of a plan of lots of record in the office of the Bureau of Engineering, Division of Surveys, of said City, in Plan Book, Volume 9, page 245, purporting to have been laid out and adopted by Charles B. Bratt, for the sub-division of certain real estate in the Twenty-seventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh (the former Eleventh ward of the former City of Allegheny)."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2803. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and establishing the grade on Webster avenue, from Orion street to the southerly boundary line of the Revised Plan of Herron Hill Park."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2806. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance designating Drake way as the name of an unnamed twenty (20) foot way, in the Tenth-Eleventh wards of the City of Pittsburgh, as shown in Stanton Place Plan and W. H. Williams' Plan of Lots from Wellesley avenue to Springer way, and establishing the grade thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Winters
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2532. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting to the Eastern Railroad Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use two additional overhead crossings over Hazelwood avenue, subject to the terms and conditions of this ordinance.

In Public Service and Surveys Committee, May 27, 1919. Read and amended by striking out and inserting a new Sec-

tion 5, and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the amendment of the Public Service and Surveys Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. McArdle also presented

No. 2898. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for June 3, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2848. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Crucible Steel Company of America, its successors and assigns the right to construct, maintain and use a bridge over and above West Carson street, Nineteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, approximately 1,300 feet east of the east building line of South Main street, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., between the buildings of the Crucible Steel Company of America, said buildings being located on opposite sides of West Carson street, known as Singer-Nimick Works."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2849. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade of Lajole way from Castlegate avenue to property line of the Brookline School."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2850. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing and re-establishing the grade of Webster avenue, from Fullerton street to Roberts street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2854. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on Beechwood boulevard, from Hazelwood avenue to a point 129.95 feet northwardly therefrom."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2899. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for June 3, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2837. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for additions and repairs to the power plant in the Department of Public Safety Building."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Garland moved

That the minutes of the meetings of Council held on May 26, 1919, and on June 2, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. Winters,

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, June 16, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Absent—Mr.

Robertson

The Chair stated that, as there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, June 9 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Winters moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, June 9, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2900. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Berthoud street and Wallace street, from a point about 20 feet southwest of Robinson street to the existing sewer on Wallace street at Carrillo street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be

assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2901. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading to certain width, paving and curbing of Webster avenue, from Orion street to Alpena street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2902. An Ordinance establishing the grade of Perry street, from Webster avenue to a point 214.50 feet northwardly therefrom.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 2903. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
D. A. Butler.....	\$188.00	1147
A. L. Campbell Taxicab Co.	36.00	1147
Mrs. Esther Cronin.....	11.81	1158 AM
Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.	5.40	1147
James L. Sunner.....	16.00	1147
Mrs. Margaret Taylor..	86.62	42

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 2904. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Estate of Thomas P. Hershberger in the sum of \$184.42, being the consideration paid by Thomas P. Hersh-

berger for property in the Twentieth ward redeemed at Sheriff's sale, to which the City had no title, and charging same to Code Account No. —

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2905. Resolved. That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Campbell Niedringhaus Co.	\$ 4.33	1665
B. H. Frazier.....	28.35	1665
I. J. Glatch.....	1.00	1516
P. J. Guina.....	.75	1665
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	12.10	1417
Scientific Materials Co.....	7.50	1649
Wappat Gear Works.....	19.90	1557

Also

No. 2906. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the regrading, repaving, recurburing and otherwise improving of Irwin avenue as widened at its intersection with North avenue; Beechwood boulevard as widened at its intersection with Hazelwood avenue; Mansfield avenue as widened at its intersection with South Main street; and for the widening, repaving and recurburing of the roadway of Shady avenue at the second angle southwardly from Fifth avenue, and of the roadway of Mansfield avenue at the first angle southeastwardly from South Main street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Also

No. 2907. An Ordinance changing the lines of Woodville avenue, in the Twentieth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 19.14 feet west of the angle in Woodville avenue east of Lowe street to a point 124.0 feet east of Shaler street, as said Woodville avenue was laid out and opened by Ordinance No. 65 approved January 22, 1879, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2908. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the roadway

and sidewalk of Stadium street, from Radcliffe street to Stafford street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2909. Resolution granting the surrender of the building on Penn avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, located on property leased by the City, to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, owners of the property.

Also

No. 2910. Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) dollars from Code Account 1491-E, "General Repaving," Bureau of Engineering, to the following code accounts in the Asphalt Division, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, to-wit:

Code Account 1553, A-4, "Wages, Temporary Employees"	\$ 20,000.00
Code Account 1554, B, "Miscellaneous Services"	5,000.00
Code Account 1555, C, "Supplies"	10,000.00
Code Account 1556, D, "Materials"	65,000.00
	\$100,000.00

Also

No. 2911. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$1,559.03 from Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets Bureau of Engineering, to Contract No. 798, Seventh Avenue Repaving.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2912. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of George S. White Company for \$541.38 for extra work done on contract for repaving Seventh avenue, from Liberty avenue to Bigelow boulevard, and charging same to Code Account 1941-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, Contract No. 798, Seventh Avenue Repaving.

Also

No. 2913. An Ordinance widening Ashton avenue in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 125.0 feet west of Mansion street to a point 385.0 feet west therefrom, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 2914. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute, acknowledge and deliver to John B. Manifold, executor of Belle Manifold, deceased, a deed in proper form to be approved by the City Solicitor, releasing and quit-claiming all the right, title and interest of the City of Pittsburgh to a certain piece of property located on Bell avenue, in the Twenty-fifth ward.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2915. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Esplanade street, from a point about 10 feet south of Hemlock street to the existing sewer on Esplanade street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2916. Resolution authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to grant a leave of absence with pay to John Manion of the Bureau of Fire for a period of nine months.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2917. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the construction of an 18-inch terra cotta pipe storm drain on the southwest sidewalk of Pioneer avenue and the east sidewalk of McConnell avenue from the existing 18-inch terra cotta pipe storm drain on the southwest sidewalk of Pioneer avenue to a surface drain on the east sidewalk of McConnell avenue at a point about 40 feet south of Pioneer avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Also

No. 2918. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading to a width of 40 feet, paving and curbing of Bay Ridge avenue, from Castlegate avenue to Sussex avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2919. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Herwin avenue, from Pioneer avenue to Glenarm avenue, and

providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2920. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Fordham avenue, from Pioneer avenue to a point 330 feet south-eastwardly from Queensboro avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2921. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Glenarm avenue, from Brookline boulevard to Eathan avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2922. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalks on Beltzhoover avenue, from Hartford way to Michigan street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 2923.

Pittsburgh, June 11 1919.

To the President and

Members of Council.

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Joint Committee on City Hall-Court House Building, held this day, the following changes were recommended:

Mcs. No.	Description.	Add
690	Craig Electric Co. (job order with invoice March 31, 1919, Job Order 950, Mcs. 675)	\$ 324.00
Invoice March 31, 1919, Job Order 918, Mcs. 675		553.75
Invoice March 31, 1919, change outlets in front of elevators.		78.00
Invoice March 31, 1919, straightening fixture hangers, Mayor's office		6.75
Invoice March 31, 1919, blank plates, Recorder's office		12.30
Invoice March 31, 1919, plugs and plates, Law Library		22.70
		\$ 997.50

W. P. Nelson Company—

On account of having to carry bond in force for an extra year they were compelled to pay an extra premium amounting to \$ 174.40

To 78 days' extra time on account of painting in occupied offices, at \$5.20 per day..... 405.60
Interest on money which should have been paid them for work completed, but held up due to changes, etc..... 608.39

Baker-Smith & Co.—

Bond premium extra, January 23, 1917, to January 23, 1918, \$687.50; January 23, 1918, to January 23, 1919, \$687.50..... 1,375.00
Maintenance to date and overhauling, repairing and putting system in first-class shape..... 2,180.00
Installing small h. p. steam boiler with automatic feed, etc., complete..... 729.00

Lord Electric Company—

Additional premium on bond..... 649.95
Curtains for Mayor's office (this amount to be transferred from \$400.00 set aside for painting panels in Mayor's office)..... 383.00

Total.....\$6,282.84

It is understood that one-half of the amounts stipulated will be paid by the County and the other half by the City.

The Joint Committee asks your approval of this action.

Respectfully submitted,

P. J. McARDLE,

Chairman pro tem.

Which was read.

Mr. McARDLE moved

That the report be accepted and approved.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. BAUH presented

No. 2924. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Mrs. Ethel Hocsis for Lot No. 123, located on Kendall street, Tenth ward, for the sum of \$50.00.

Also

No. 2925. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Henry Hund for Lot No. 227, located on Camella street, Tenth ward, for the sum of \$150.00.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2926. An Ordinance accepting the dedication of certain property in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes, opening the same as an extension of Love street, and establishing the grade thereof.

Also

No. 2927. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Welfer street, from Frank street to Beechwood boulevard, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. WINTERS presented

No. 2928. Resolution authorizing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$200.15 from the General Fund of Code Account 1592½, Structural and Non-structural Improvements at the North Side Market, to Contract No. 788, New Electric wiring at the North Side Market, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 2929. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Mary Goldstein and Sarah Paper in the sum of \$16.08, being one-half of the excess of the meter rate over what the former flat rate charge would have been, on their property at 2316½ Bedford avenue, Fifth ward, for the quarter ending April 14, 1919.

Also

No. 2930. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$600.00 from Appropriation No. 1178-A, Operators' Equalization Fund, to Appropriation No. 1169-A, Firemen's Equalization Fund, Department of Public Safety.

Also

No. 2931. An Ordinance providing for the payment of additional compensation to certain employees in the Bureaus of Fire and Electricity in the Department of Public Safety, for the period from July 10, 1918, to January 21, 1919, both inclusive.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2932. Resolution approving the extras on the contract of Thos. Cronin Company for the grading and paving of Guckert way, from Phineas street to a point 466.49 feet eastwardly from Madison avenue, amounting to \$137.50, as certified by the Department of Public Works, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Also

No. 2933. Resolution approving the extras on the contract of Chr's' Donatelli for the grading, paving and

curbing of Thomas street, from North Braddock avenue to North Richland street, amounting to \$1,185.60, as certified by the Department of Public Works, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Also

No. 2934. Resolution approving the extras on the contract of Matthew Ott Company for the grading, paving and curbing of Proxim way from Estella street to Montooth street, amounting to \$477.40, as certified by the Department of Public Works, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Also

No. 2935. Resolution approving the extras on the contract of George S. White Company for the grading, paving and curbing of Fleury way, from North Dallas avenue to North Murtland avenue, amounting to \$1,371.51, as certified by the Department of Public Works, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The Chair presented

No. 2936. Resolution exonerating and exempting the Homewood Avenue M. E. Church from the payment of the assessment of \$47.44 and interest for the construction of a sewer on Cassina way, and authorizing the City Solicitor not to file any lien on account thereof.

Also

No. 2937. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of T. R. Williams in the sum of \$98.47 for cleaning out sewer in front of his property at No. 6820 Thomas boulevard, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 2938. Communication from William H. Davis, Director of the Department of Public Health, transmitting comparative report showing removal of garbage and rubbish during the month of May, 1919 and the month of May, 1918.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2939. Communication from the Spring Hill Board of Trade, asking that Donora street, Twenty-sixth ward, be put in proper condition.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2940. Petition for the vacation of Ridgway street, between the Bloomfield bridge and Melwood avenue.

Also

No. 2941. An Ordinance vacating Ridgway street, in the Fifth and Sixth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, between the Bloomfield bridge and Melwood avenue.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 2942. An Ordinance regulating the installation of wires for electric light, heat, power and certain signal systems in certain classes of buildings; requiring all such wires hereafter installed in such buildings to be made and maintained in accordance with this ordinance; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof; all with a view of preventing loss of life, limb and property.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 2943. Communication from R. C. Sproul, secretary, Mount Washington M. P. Church, asking for the construction of a boardwalk on Virginia avenue, from Bingham street to the entrance to Olympia Park.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 2944. Report of the Committee on Finance for June 10, 1919 transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2858. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 10, Mayor's Office, Transit Commission, of an ordinance entitled, An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.," approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2868. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh to proceed to condemn the property of Xavier Wittmer, situated in the Eighth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, for public park purposes."

In Finance Committee, June 10, 1919. Ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

In Finance Committee June 11, 1919. Vote reconsidered by which the bill was ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation, and bill amended in Section 1, by inserting after the words "Xavier Wittmer" the words "Henry Wittmer, Thomas Wittmer, George Wittmer, Jr., and Roscoe H. Smith, Trustees, known as Wittmer Property Trustees," and in the title by inserting after the words "Xavier Wittmer" the words "et al.," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Winters
Henderson	

Noes—Mr.

Rauh

Ayes—7.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2869. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing, empowering and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a lease with the Exhibitors' Service Company for the rental of the Duquesne Market, located on Duquesne way between Sixth and Seventh streets, City of Pittsburgh, and fixing the terms and compensation of said lease.

In Finance Committee, June 10, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1 by striking out the words "the Exhibitors' Service Company, leasing to said company for a period of ——— years," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "Fred Seebick, leasing for a period of one year," and by inserting in the blank space, after the words "annual rental of," the words "\$3,600.00," and in the Works to enter into a lease with the Exhibitors' Service Company," and by inserting in lieu thereof, the words "Fred Seebick," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Henderson
Garland	Rauh

Noes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—4.

Noes—4.

And there not being a majority of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill failed to pass finally.

Also

Bill No. 2863. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Pittsburgh & West Virginia Railway Company in the sum of \$251.13, or so much of the same as may be necessary, to cover freight charges due on shipments of coal to the pumping stations during the month of January, 1918, the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2884. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the William Penn Hotel for the sum of \$136.70, for luncheons furnished on May 6 and 20, 1919, to members of the Mayor's conference committee in attendance at meetings in re adjustment of lighting rates of the Duquesne Light Company and also relative to the proposed bond issue, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2885. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Packard Motor Company for \$410.65, for repairing Packard car, known as the "Council car," and charging the same to Appropriation No. 1033-E, Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2384. Resolution providing for the interpretation of the provisions of the salary ordinance, which salaries of certain employees are fixed by a graduated scale so as to allow any time spent in the United States Army, Navy or Marines as a part of the time of their employment with the City of Pittsburgh as fully and to the same extent as though they had been continuously on duty in said employment during said period of the war.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2857. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 1113, Salaries, Regular Employees, Art Commission, to Appropriation No. 1042, Salaries, Regular Employees, Transit Commission, the sum of \$875.00, for the purpose of paying salary of clerk in the office of the Transit Commissioners for the balance of the year 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2864. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$75.00 from Appropriation No. 1108-B, Miscellaneous Services, to Appropriation No. 1109-C, Supplies, Department of City Planning.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2881. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,287.50 from Code Account No. 1775-E, Resurfacing Walks, West Park, to several code accounts of the Asphalt Plant, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, to-wit:

Appropriation No. 1553, Wages,	
Temporary	\$1,150.00
Appropriation No. 1556, Ma-	
terials	1,137.50

Total.....\$2,287.50

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2872. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration of water rent on property of M. N. Shapiro, 3609 Bethoven street, Sixth ward, in the sum of \$129.40, being 50 per cent. of the total charge, less what the flat rate would have been from April 14, 1917, to April 15, 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2812. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Joseph L. Hass for the sum of \$450.00, for lot No. 177, Monastery street, Seventeenth ward.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2817. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for Lot No. 249 in William Flinn's Greenfield Plan, located at the corner of Alger and Winterburn streets, Fifteenth ward, to Robert G. Blackham, for the sum of \$450.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2659. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver deeds for Lots Nos. 46, 47, 48, 49 and 53, located on Kerr street, Twentieth ward, to W. N. Richards, for the sum of \$1,100.00.

In Finance Committee, June 10 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$1,100.00," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$1,200.00," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

The motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2787. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Cunigundi McKee on account of increased charge of water on property at

2031 Wylie avenue, Fifth ward, in the sum of \$36.02, being one-half of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate.

In Finance Committee, June 10, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$36.02" and by inserting, in lieu thereof "\$38.74" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2413. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Mrs. Hannah Sarraf in the sum of \$19.52, for water rent on her property at 1109-1111 Bedford avenue, Third ward, for the year 1918.

In Finance Committee, June 10, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$19.52" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$18.36" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2836. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$12,068.79 from Appropriation No. 1161, Salaries, Regular Employees Bureau of Fire, to Appropriation No. 1169-A, Firemen's Equalization Fund, Bureau of Fire.

In Finance Committee, June 10, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$12,068.79" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$8,500.00" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2840. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer

the sum of \$2,000.00 from Appropriation No. 42. Contingent Fund, to Appropriation No. 1066, Equipment, Department of the City Treasurer, to be used for the purchase of an automobile for the use of the paymaster, Department of the City Treasurer.

In Finance Committee, June 10, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$2,000.00" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$3,000.00" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2871 Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Nirella Orchestra for \$10.00, for music furnished for parade held by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, on Memorial Day, May 30, 1919, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1386.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the resolution be recommended to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Also, with a negative recommendation.

Bill No. 2286. Resolution authorizing the City Solicitor to charge the sum of \$387.27, together with the penalty and interest thereon, against property of William L. Smith for the construction of a sewer on Cassania way, to Appropriation No. 42 Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2864. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mary Smith and Hubert Smith, her husband, in the sum of \$700.00, damages to property caused by construction of a sewer on Murray avenue, Windsor street, private property, etc., and charging the same to Code Account No. —

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the resolution be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. English presented

No. 2945. Report of the Committee on Public Works for July 11, 1919, transmitting two ordinances and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2581. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the regrading, repaving and recurbings of Stafford street, from Stadium street to a point 234.08 feet southwardly therefrom, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Herron (President)
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council

cil being in the affirmative. the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2686. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance opening Larimer street, in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Nelson street to Lemington avenue, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2859. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
H. S. Anderson Auto Repair Co.	\$ 17.00	1810
P. J. Guina.....	1.50	1665
Iron City Engineering Co.	86.50	1810
McCandless, Collingwood & Alexander	16.00	1679
Penn Storage Battery Co..	3.00	1557
John Sauter Co.....	30.80	1810
Scientific Materials Co.....	1.85	1657
John A. Sharp.....	902.16	1679

B. F. Stout.....	.78	1810
Underwood Typewriter Co.	.90	1657
Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.....	241.98	1657
Fueller's Tire & Tube Repair Co.....	25.85	1674
Metz & Miller.....	19.50	1674

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2946. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for June 11, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2860. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$862.73	1160
Keystone Laundry Co.....	5.84	1130
Keystone Laundry Co.....	76.98	1147
William B. McGrady.....	45.17	1126

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2947. Report of the Committee on Health and Sanitation for June 11, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2882. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$47,494.75 for the removal of 4,409.425 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 5,829.412 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$12,846.02 for the removal of 1,341.49 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 1,481.965 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton; this being for the month of May, 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Herron (President)
Garland	McArdle
Henderson	Winters

(Mr. Rauh not voting.)

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. English presented

No. 2948. Whereas, Owing to the improvement of West Carson street, the congestion of traffic on that street has been increased; and

Whereas, It is necessary to establish special rules and regulations for traffic

until such time as the new wide street is opened; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have the Director of the Department of Public Safety and the Director of the Department of Public Works formulate necessary emergency rules and regulations to govern traffic on West Carson street while being improved, put up necessary signs and provide a sufficient number of patrolmen and inspectors at all times to keep traffic moving as promptly as possible.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair presented

No. 2949.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PA.

June 12 1919.

President and Members
of Council of the

City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—Your Bill No. 2807. The Legal Department of the City recommends that this bill be withdrawn for further consideration owing to the fact that it is not in satisfactory form and might give rise to considerable confusion in the process of making the adjustments set out in this ordinance.

If you will comply I will be pleased.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. Garland, received and filed.

Also

No. 2950. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to return to Council, without action thereon, Bill No. 2807, Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of persons, firms and corporations, refunding amounts paid for license to buy, sell and deal in junk, etc., in excess of the license fee as fixed by ordinance of December 30, 1904, for further consideration.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

The adoption of the resolution

Which motion prevailed.

And the Mayor having returned, without action thereon.

Bill No. 2807. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of such persons, firms and corporations who obtained junk licenses for the year 1918,

as required by the Ordinance of December 30, 1904, and who paid the full license fee for the year 1918 under the provisions of the ordinance of August 5, 1918; the City to retain 25 per cent. of such amounts as paid during the year 1918 under the provisions of the ordinance of December 30, 1904, for all business which such dealers may have been engaged in during the months of January, February and March, 1918, the said refunds to be charged to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

In Council, June 9, 1919. Rule suspended, read three times and finally passed by a two-thirds vote.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

To reconsider the vote by which the resolution was read a second and third times and finally passed.

Which motion prevailed.

And the question recurring "Shall the resolution be read a second and third times and finally passed?"

The motion did not prevail.

Mr. Garland moved

That the resolution be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Eash presented

No. 2951. Communication from A. J. Fitzgibbon, 410 Union Bank Building, complaining of Special Officer Jones striking a prisoner on Saturday evening, June 14, 1919.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

The Chair:

"Gentlemen, there are a number of young men, former soldiers, sailors and marines, who are interested in the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, and desire a hearing before Council. What is your pleasure, gentlemen? Do you want to adjourn Council and go into a committee meeting, or do you prefer to hear them now?"

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"Mr. President, in anticipation of what these boys might say to Council, I have prepared a resolution and, before I offer this resolution, I would ask that they be heard."

The Chair:

"Gentlemen if there are no objections, we will hear these boys now. Mr. Dalley has presented the name of Mr. Herring."

Mr. F. C. Herring arose and said:

"Mr. President and Gentlemen of Council, City Council, by resolution, which

was approved by the Mayor, turned over to a citizens' committee appointed by the Mayor the Public Safety Building, to be used as a Soldiers' and Sailors' Club.

"This committee, after establishing the club, turned it over to the War Camp Community Service. A difference over policy of operation has arisen between the officials of the War Camp Community Service and Captain Shadle, director of the club, elected by the citizens' committee, a Pittsburgh boy who spent eighteen months in the trenches and made a gallant war record, rising from the rank of private to that of captain on the field of battle, and winning the Croix de Guerre for distinguished service.

"The paid officials of the War Camp Community Service, all of whom come from New York and other places, now insist that Captain Shadle be dismissed.

"The signers to this petition are all soldiers and sailors who have seen much of the club under the direction of Captain Shadle and want to be recorded as saying that they feel that the success of the club is largely due to Captain Shadle.

"We, therefore appeal to you and City Council, by whose pleasure the Public Safety Building is now occupied as a Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, to notify the directors of the War Camp Community Service that it does not approve of putting a Pittsburgh soldier boy out of his job, especially as he has made good, both on the field of battle and in the club, to satisfy a civilian who was sent here from New York by the War Camp Community Service.

"We further appeal to you and City Council to stand by Captain Shadle, as we know that it has been due to his untiring efforts that the Pittsburgh Soldiers' and Sailors' Club has made a record that is not surpassed by any other organization in the country.

"This appeal is addressed to you because the club was originally started by you and you have the control of the property in which it exists. We feel that minor internal dissensions should not be allowed to spoil the great record this club has made and that it should continue as at present until its present work is done.

"Since the club opened, over a year ago, Captain Shadle has done wonderful work in the interest of the boys coming home. He has done splendid work in placing returned service men in places of employment. He has placed at least 500 returned soldiers; at one place in New Kensington he placed 150 men. Not only did he perform this splendid service, but he gave out of his own funds money to different boys to buy medicine, clothing, railroad ticket, etc.

"We have the endorsement of the man-

agers of the Nixon Theater, the William Penn Hotel, the Nixon and Davis cafeterias and Mr. Sampson that the club under the leadership of Captain Shadle, is a success. We also have the endorsement of the Superintendent of Police, the Police Magistrate at Central Station, and from at least 100 citizens of Pittsburgh who have signed the petition asking that no change be made in the present management of the club.

"Mr. Duffus makes certain charges against Captain Shadle, which he is not justified in doing. I have here a citation from Major R. C. Ditto, of the Seventh Infantry. He says: 'Leadership excellent; ability to instruct, excellent; military training and bearing, excellent. Service: Enlisted in the Fifth Reserve Engineers, April 16, 1917. Called into active service May 21, 1917. Appointed First Sergeant, Company A, Fifth Reserve Engineers, May 21, 1917. Date of appointment as a temporary Second Lieutenant about January 1 1918. Awarded Croix de Guerre and mentioned in orders for directing the defense against an enemy raiding party, consisting of 300 Germans, this while attached to the French army. Lieutenant Shadle did not request this recommendation, nor did any person request it in his behalf. He is in no way related to me. This recommendation is based on this officer's services as I saw them while commanding Company L, Seventh Infantry, in the training area and in active service. He is fitted in every way to command a company. I consider him most efficient Lieutenant.'"

"This is a recommendation from Major Ditto and one which any soldier could well be proud of.

"Captain Shadle is a Pittsburgh boy, and we earnestly request that the Council take some action on this case to see that Captain Shadle is retained in his present position."

The Chair:

"What is their reported reason for wanting to get rid of Captain Shadle?"

Mr. Herring:

"Ever since the club opened Mr. Duffus, who, I understand, is from New York, has been bucking Captain Shadle. Mr. Duffus does not tell Mr. Shadle anything at all. If anything goes wrong he does not say anything to Captain Shadle, but goes and tells the boys. That sort of thing has been going on ever since the club opened. Then, the other evening, they had some trouble over the disappearance of money. Captain Shadle was not responsible for that, as he was out of the City on an errand. I believe for Mayor Babcock.

"Captain Shadle, under pressure, submitted his resignation to the directors of the club, but has since withdrawn it. I trust Council will take a hand in this

matter and see that no change is brought about in the management of the Club. I thank you, gentlemen."

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2952. 1—Whereas, A great number of our returned soldiers have protested against any change in the management of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, which would affect Captain Charles S. Shadle, and have expressed their hearty approval of the manner in which he has conducted it.

2—The club is being operated solely for our soldier boys, and they are the ones to be satisfied primarily and finally.

3—The War Department has announced that entire demobilization will be completed by September 1 and at the latest by October 1.

4—The purpose for which the club was created, to provide a temporary home for our service men during the war and demobilization, will have been served in two or three months.

5—If the club is not closed then it will have to be reorganized along different lines, and such a step should be taken only after careful thought.

6—The War Camp Community Service is purely a war activity; there have been no war camps in Pittsburgh for some months; soon there will be no war camps in the entire country. The reason for this agency is, therefore, fast passing away. If it continues its work will be so limited in scope as not to justify the Mayor and Council placing a large building at its disposal.

7—While there have been slight differences as to the policy of operation, we understand they are not vital and there appears to be no pressing necessity to make any changes until the club's present work is finished in the near future; therefore, be it

Resolved, In view the creditable record the club has made, for which Captain Shadle deserves a fair share of credit, as attested by his comrades, and in view of his gallant record as a soldier—17 months "over there"—that Council and the Mayor, donors of the building and founders of the club, advise the directors of the War Camp Community Service, tenants of the Public Safety Building, as follows:

1—That we deeply appreciate the work they have done and the substantial help they have given the club.

2—That, in our opinion, the club should continue to operate as it has until the time arrives to cease its present activities and be reorganized along other lines, September 1 or October 1.

3—That Captain Shadle should be allowed to finish his work and that he should not be displaced, placed on fur-

lough, or interfered with, until he does so.

4—That the Mayor, at his convenience, prior to September 1, call a conference of the directors of the War Camp Community Service, the citizens who composed the original "organization committee" of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, and the members of Council, and that said conference decide on future plans for the club, and, if it is to continue, as to how and by whom it shall be operated.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

To amend the resolution by striking out the entire sixth paragraph in the preamble, reading as follows:
"6—The War Camp Community Service

is purely a war activity; there have been no war camps in Pittsburgh for some months; soon there will be no war camps in the entire country. The reason for this agency is, therefore, fast passing away. If it continues, its work will be so limited in scope as not to justify the Mayor and Council placing a large building at its disposal."

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters moved

That the resolution, as amended, be adopted.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. Winters,

Council adjourned.

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COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, June 23, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
English Raub
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Absent—Mr.

Garland

The Chair stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, June 16, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, June 16, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 2953. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile truck for the Bureau of Electricity, City of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Also

No. 2954. An Ordinance regu-

lating the transportation of motion picture films within the City of Pittsburgh, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Also

No. 2955. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
American Atmos Corporation	\$ 2.10	1166
American Typewriter Inspection Co.	1.50	1166
D. A. Butler	44.00	1147
Bertram G. Case	60.62	1166
Dixon Motor Co.	2.50	1166
Duquesne Light Co.	3.00	1163
Charles H. Garlick	3.00	1163
J. L. Harman & Sons	56.00	1147
A. H. Johnson	65.60	1166
Keystone Laundry Co.	185.45	1163
J. F. Logue	16.00	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.	29.00	1166
Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.	8.00	1147
Terheyden Co.	2.50	1166
Underwood Typewriter Co.	1.00	1163
Underwood Typewriter Co.	29.05	1166
Wadsworth Stone & Paving Co.	63.00	1166
Winton Co.	7.55	1166

Also

No. 2956. Resolution authorizing and empowering the Director of the Department of Public Safety to detail a detective of the Bureau of Police to the City of Chicago, Illinois, for the purpose of making a thorough investigation in that city, with the view of recovering stolen bonds now located there, and returning the same to owners who are citizens of the City of Pittsburgh, Pa., the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of \$100.00, and charging same to

Code Account No. 1158, Item M, Special Secret Service Fund, Bureau of Police.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 2957. An Ordinance opening Thomas street in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from North Lexington street to North Richmond street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2958. An Ordinance widening Woodville avenue, in the Twentieth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 11.78 feet west of the first angle in Woodville avenue east of Lowe street to a point 124.0 feet east of Shaler street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 2959. Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfers from one code account to another in the Bureau of City Property:

From	
Code Account No. 1569, Supplies,	
City-County Building	\$1,000.00
Code Account No. 1572, Equip-	
ment, City-County Building.....	450.00
Code Account No. 1589, Supplies,	
North Side Market.....	200.00
Code Account No. 1600 Equip-	
ment, South Side Market.....	50.00
	\$1,700.00
To	
Code Account No. 1570, Ma-	
terials, City-County Building.....	\$1,000.00
Code Account No. 1582, Ma-	
terials, Diamond Market.....	500.00
Code Account No. 1590, Ma-	
terials, North Side Market.....	200.00
	\$1,700.00

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2960. Whereas, In order to erect reviewing stands for the relatives of the returning soldiers, it was necessary to employ additional carpenters; and

Whereas, During the period of their employment a wage dispute between contractors and carpenters was settled, increasing the rate of current union wages from 80 cents per hour to 90 cents per hour; and

Whereas, When the carpenters so employed were paid, the amount so paid was based on the old rate; consequently they are entitled to an additional sum of 10 cents per hour for the period of employment as set forth in detail upon a payroll which has been prepared for approval; and

Whereas, It is the decision of the City Controller that he is not authorized to countersign warrants for the amount set forth in the said payroll without authority of Council.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons, being amounts due them for services rendered to the City of Pittsburgh, and charge the same to Appropriation 1540, Wages, Temporary Employees, Boardwalks and Steps, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

John Schnellbacher, 65 hours at 10c.....	\$6.50
Thomas Connell, 55 hours at 10c.....	5.50
August Vestervick, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
A. L. Murphy, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
John White, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
W. M. Straw, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
A. B. Pennington 64 hours at 10c.....	6.40
A. Nelson, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
M. Lynch, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
John Mitch, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
C. W. Lieb, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
W. A. Shook, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
John Anderson, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
Andrew Johnson, 65c hours at 10c.....	6.50
Theodore Heins, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
F. E. Hontz, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
John Meyers, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
S. Laird, 75 hours at 10c.....	7.50
A. A. McKee, 47 hours at 10c.....	4.70
Wm. Stevenson, 47 hours at 10c.....	4.70
J. E. Fry, 47 hours at 10c.....	4.70
Wm. Wylie, 43 hours at 10c.....	4.30
David Martin 43 hours at 10c.....	4.30
J. W. Baker, 36 hours at 10c.....	3.60
Frank Smith, 34 hours at 10c.....	3.40
	\$146.60

Also

No. 2961. Resolution granting permission to the Permanent Committee on Historical Records of the United Presbyterian Church to affix a suitable memorial tablet to the outer wall of the new Market House, the exact location of said tablet to be determined by the Director of the Department of Public Works, and the design of said tablet to be submitted to the Art Commission of the City of Pittsburgh for its approval before the affixing of the same.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2962. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in the aggregate sum of \$4,000.00 for the pur-

pose of defraying the operating expenses of the Women's Employment Committee of the Council of National Defense, which shall be disbursed upon vouchers and payrolls to be approved and certified by the Mayor, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42 Contingent Fund, until such time as Congress shall appropriate the necessary funds to defray the expenses of said committee.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2963. An Ordinance authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of the County of Allegheny to construct, operate and maintain a public highway tunnel, consisting of one tube, from a point beginning on the southerly side of Brownsville avenue opposite or nearly opposite South Third street, Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, to a point in the Eighteenth ward Pittsburgh, opposite or nearly opposite the end of the improved West Liberty avenue, at or near the Bell House.

Also

No. 2964. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and delivery of one (1) seven-ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller and one (1) five-ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller for the Asphalt Plants of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of

Public Works, and providing for the payment thereof.

Also

No. 2965. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Gold way, from Denver street to the Bloomfield bridge approach, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2966. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of George Naismith & Son for payment of the sum of \$699.10 for labor furnished in the construction of certain driers at the Asphalt Plant of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1557, Repairs, Asphalt Plants.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 2967.

Pittsburgh, Pa., June 17, 1919.

To the President and
Members of Council.

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Joint Committee on City Hall-Court House Building, held this day the following changes were recommended:

Baker, Smith & Co., Credit Change, Mcs. 699—		Add.	Deduct.
Temporary heat, extras authorized—			
Change No. 136.....	\$ 5,000.00		
Change No. 294.....	2,000.00		
Change No. 342-B.....	1,500.00		
Change No. 494.....	1,903.25		
	<u>\$10,403.25</u>		
Bills rendered by Baker, Smith Co.....	5,276.58		
			\$5,126.67 Bal.
Payroll expenses Jas. L. Stuart on temporary heat.....	\$1,093.25		
Liability insurance, 5 per cent.....	54.66		
Less amount collected from Allegheny Co. Htg. Co.....	654.59		
Total charges for power, testing elevators, etc.....	\$3,095.39	\$ 493.32	
Less amount authorized.....	3,000.00		
		95.39	
Erecting Historical Society tablet.....		38.90	
Carpenters' labor on miscellaneous changes, per Jas. L. Stuart's payrolls.....	370.63		
Liability insurance, 5 per cent.....	18.53		
	<u>389.16</u>		
		\$1,016.77	
			\$4,109.96
Mcs. 700—Craig Electric Co.—			
Maintaining clock system from April 1, 1919, to date, inc. Inv. November 14, 1919, Job Order No. 918 of April 16, 1918, 292 hours journeyman's time at \$1.30.....	\$ 379.60		
83 .003 lock pawl springs for style No. 1 secondary movements.....	3.32		
4 bearings for motor-generator set at \$6.00.....	24.00		
	<u>\$406.92</u>		

Mcs. 701—Baker, Smith & Co., Inc. Credit—

To credit for unused portion of labor installing 3-inch high pressure steam line to risers, change Order No. 473, Mcs. 604, Job Order 919, \$200.00.....

200.00

It is understood that one-half of the amounts stipulated will be paid by the County and the other half by the City.

The Joint Committee asks your approval of its action.

Respectfully submitted,

P. J. McArdle,
Chairman Pro Tem.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the report be accepted and approved.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Raub presented

No. 2968. Petition of employees in the Bureau of Fire asking for payment of 50 per cent. of the increase in salary allowed members of the Bureau of Fire while they were in the service of the United States Government.

Also

No. 2969. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Casper Kujawa for Lot No. 91, located in John Harrison's Plan, on Vesper street, Fifth ward, for the sum of \$300.00.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2970. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Welfer street, from Frank street to the existing sewer on Welfer street at a point about 300 feet east of Frank street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2971. Petition for the grading, paving and curbing of Eberhardt avenue, between Froman street and property line.

Also

No. 2972. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Eberhardt avenue, from Froman street to property line at the easterly terminus thereof, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 2973. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Froman street from Harpster street to Eberhardt avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 2974. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for remodeling and repairing Engine House No. 11, Bureau of Fire.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 2975. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,800.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1158, Item M, Special Secret Service Fund, Bureau of Police.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 2976. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of Edwin L. Allen for \$41.60 and the Ray Detective Agency for \$1,254.00 for services rendered the Department of Public Safety, and charging same to Code Account No. 1158-M.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

The Chair presented

No. 2977. An Ordinance directing the Directors of the several departments of the City government to allow to employees who were in the United States army during the world war and who were working at the time of entering the army under a graduated wage salary the same benefit that would accrue to them if they had continued in the City service.

Also
No. 2978. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Mary E. Schenley Estate in the sum of \$1,052.57, refunding water rent on property in the Second ward for the years 1917, 1918 and 1919, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes.

Also
No. 2979. Resolution requesting Council to direct the reopening of the cases of people who were denied the privilege of receiving half pay of City employees who entered the service of the United States Government and upon investigation if any errors are discovered the claims are to be allowed as well as the amounts previously withheld from the dependents of soldiers.

Also
No. 2980. Resolution authorizing and directing the Directors of the several departments to make payrolls covering the increase in salary fixed for the position in the same manner as the man in the service would have been entitled to receive for all those employees who entered the service of the United States Government the same as if they were in continuous service for the City.

Also
No. 2981.
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
June 18, 1919.
President and Members,
City Council.

Gentlemen—In July, 1918, your Honorable Body passed legislation exempting property owners for water used in public war vegetable gardens, and authorizing this department to issue street permits and corporation cocks for the installation of the necessary water services free of charge under certain conditions.

I am under the impression that this was intended only as a war measure; however, the legislation is still in force. Would you kindly favor me with a suggestion as to whether your body still desires to continue this service.

Yours very truly,

JOHN SWAN.
Director.

Also
No. 2982. Communication from the Civic Club of Allegheny County, asking the Council to state what the item of \$831,000.00 in the proposed bond issue will be used for in the development of existing playgrounds and the acquisition of new property for playgrounds.

Also
No. 2983. Communication from

James F. Rice, chairman, Soldiers-Firemen Committee asking that dependents of members of the Bureau of Fire who were in the service of the United States Government be allowed 50 per cent. of the increase granted in salary to firemen while they were in the service.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also
No. 2984. Communication from G. H. Williams, business manager, inviting the members of Council to visit the Yacht Tamiami in the Monongahela river and view the great sea monster.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received and filed, and the invitation be accepted.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. English presented

No. 2985. Communication from Mrs. E. O. Briggs, asking to be reimbursed in the sum of \$15.00 for loss of articles as a result of falling on defective boardwalk on Municipal street.

Also
No. 2986. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants from time to time, as the same are required, for the payment of expenditures incurred in the discharge of any duty assigned any member or committee of Council regularly appointed therefor; providing that the payroll issued in payment of the vouchers presented for payment of said expenses shall be certified by the City Clerk or his Assistant, and charging same to Appropriation Item 1005.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Bill No. 2869. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing, empowering and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a lease with Fred Seebick for the rental of the Duquesne Market, located on Duquesne way, between Sixth and Seventh streets, City of Pittsburgh, and fixing the terms and compensation of said lease."

In Council, June 16, 1919. Committee amendments agreed to. Rule suspended bill read three times and failed to pass finally for lack of a legal majority of the votes of Council.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

That the bill be laid over for the present.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair presented
No. 2987.

June 23, 1919.

President and Members of
Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I have received a communication from Representative Stephen G. Porter relative to aerial mail service for Pittsburgh and have this afternoon received a personal call from him to discuss the same subject. Herewith enclosed is a copy of Congressman Porter's communication.

There are no funds at present available for the installation of this system by the Postoffice Department. It is Mr. Porter's purpose to have proper provision made for this service in the next postoffice appropriation bill, which will be taken up by Congress on the first Monday in December. An effort will be made to have a proper investigation before that time so as to get favorable consideration from the Postoffice Department.

I have given Congressman Porter assurance that any reasonable arrangement that Pittsburgh could make would have my enthusiastic support. I believe that air service, as developed by the war activities of the past two or three years, has come to stay, just as the automobile, which only a few years ago came, has stayed. It is our duty as City representatives to give this subject careful consideration.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Washington, D. C.,

June 16, 1919.

Hon. E. V. Babcock, Mayor,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

My Dear Mayor—About one month ago I made an application to the Postoffice Department for the extension of the aerial mail service to the City of Pittsburgh.

This service has been in operation between Washington and New York for upward of a year and recently was installed between New York and Chicago. It has passed the experimental stage and, in my judgment, will be looked upon as a necessity within the next few years.

I am today in receipt of a letter from Postmaster General Burleson informing me that the department intended going over the route and examining terminal facilities with a view of including service to Pittsburgh in the next postoffice appropriation bill.

I feel quite confident that this service

will be granted to Pittsburgh provided reasonable arrangements for a terminal in that City can be made. I have in mind the Schenley Oval, which is midway between the main office and the East End sub-station, and only about five minutes' run by auto from the Oakland sub-station. Aerial mail, as you know, is taken up by auto and delivered to the nearest postoffice or sub-station, thence delivered by special messenger. The nearer the landing place to the center of Pittsburgh the quicker the service.

I expect representatives of the Postoffice Department to visit Pittsburgh in the near future, and I think it would be prudent to ascertain the views of Council with regard to offering the department the use of Schenley Oval for this service.

It requires a large amount of space to give safe landing to these airplanes, and it is also vitally important that landing be reasonably near for the post-offices. If the Council see fit to permit the department to use Schenley Oval, free of cost, it would be a very great inducement toward bringing the service to Pittsburgh.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) STEPHEN G. PORTER.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Dailey called up

Bill No. 428. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating municipal contracts, stipulating for the employment of competent and first-class workmen only, defining the words competent and first-class workmen hours and wages to be paid, requiring an affidavit to be filed with the City Controller, showing compliance and providing certain reductions as liquidated damages for the violation thereof."

In Council, May 13, 1918. Bill read and laid over for three weeks.

Which was read.

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I think it would be unwise to pass upon this bill today for two reasons. First, you all know that one member of Council who last year was bitterly opposed to the passage of this ordinance is out of the City, and the second reason is the effect its passage may have on the proposed bond issue. My notion is that this ordinance should be referred to the bond attorneys, Messrs. Delafeld, Hawkins & Longfellow, who have handled this bond question for the City, and find out whether the passage of the ordinance would have

any effect on the bond items if approved by the people on July 8. Perhaps we should send it to the Mayor and have him communicate with the bond attorneys, as he has had charge of all the bond matters we have referred to the attorneys. I don't believe we should take action on this ordinance today in view of Mr. Garland's absence from the meeting, and until we are given an opportunity to get legal advice on this question. I don't believe any time will be lost if we laid the ordinance over for one week, at which time all members could intelligently act on the ordinance. If all members could not be present next Monday, a special meeting could be called for some day this week.

"I believe sufficient time should be given organized labor to decide whether or not they favor the bond issue. I think they are entitled to that consideration.

"I therefore move that a copy of this bill be referred to the Mayor with a request that he communicate with the bond attorneys and ascertain whether it would have any effect towards invalidating our bond issue."

Mr. Dalley arose and said:

"Mr. President, I am certain this ordinance will not in any way have any influence on the bond issue. It was introduced in Council, March 25, 1918, and on May 13, 1918, by motion of the member to my left (Mr. English) it was laid on the table for three weeks in order to allow a copy to be sent to the War Labor Board at Washington for its opinion and report. The ordinance was sent to the War Labor Board, and up to this time we have no reply. It has been here for over a year. If the members of Council do not want it, let them say so, so we can dispose of it one way or another."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I would like to ask the gentleman a question. Wasn't my motion to refer this matter to the War Labor Board defeated? I am positive of this, and I would ask for the record on same?"

Mr. Dalley arose and said:

"Mr. President, my recollection is that the Committee on Finance, by a vote of 7 to 2, ordered the ordinance returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation, and it was upon the motion of Mr. English, in Council that a vote be taken so the matter could be referred to the War Labor Board to see if there were objections to the bill. I would like to ask the Clerk if this is not correct and the bill referred to the War Labor Board?"

The Clerk (Mr. Martin) said:
"Yes, sir; Bill No. 428."

Mr. English said:

"Mr. Clerk, what was the motion?"

The Clerk:

"It is a resolution."

Mr. English:

"What is the resolution?"

The Clerk:

"It is a resolution presented by yourself."

Mr. English:

"Read it."

The resolution, as follows, was read:

No. 790. Whereas, Mr. Frank, as the spokesman for the Employers' Association of this vicinity, has notified the members of Council sitting in the Committee on Finance, that the passage of Ordinance No. 428 is contrary to the spirit and the rules adopted by the National War Labor Board; and

Whereas, The National War Labor Board is the body appointed by President Wilson to consider and adjust all differences between employers and employees during the war; and

Whereas, The members of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh desire to help the National Government by all the means in the power of said Council, and do not wish to pass any ordinance or ordinances which could be considered as any obstruction to the winning of the war; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Ordinance No. 428 be submitted to the National War Labor Board, together with the written statements or briefs of the arguments for and against the Bill; and be it further

Resolved, That Council respectfully requests the National War Labor Board to pass its opinion on this ordinance and whether or not it is contrary to the spirit and rules adopted by the said board as a guide for employers and employees during the war.

Mr. English said:

"Mr. Clerk, was there a roll call on this resolution?"

The Clerk:

"Yes, sir."

Mr. English:

"What was the vote?"

The Clerk:

"Five to three. Messrs. Dalley, English, Garland, Rauh and Robertson voted in the affirmative, and Messrs. Burke, Herron (President) and McArdle opposed it."

Mr. English:
"Did you send it to the War Labor Board?"

The Clerk:
"Yes, sir."

Mr. English:
"Did you ever receive an acknowledgment or a reply of any kind to your communication?"

The Clerk:
"No, sir."

Mr. English:
"Have you ever reported this fact to the Council prior to this time?"

The Clerk:
"No, sir."

Mr. English arose and said:
"Mr. President, perhaps the gentleman did not see as far as I did. The first question the attorneys would ask is, At what rate did you figure the wages to be paid workmen in making up this schedule? Are those rates in accordance with the union wages paid around this territory, and would there be enough money to pay for the services of the men engaged in the different lines of work in case these bonds are approved by the people and the contracts awarded for doing the work provided for therein? Is there enough money for these different improvements without additional money being required from the annual tax levy or councilmanic bonds to meet the additional increase caused by the passage of this ordinance if there is any? Take the case of a carpenter: No doubt the department, in making up its estimate of the different improvements on which carpenters would be engaged figured the wages at the prevailing rate of pay of today; and if there were an increase in the carpenters' wages there would be that much less money to pay the carpenters or that much work would not be done. For that reason I wanted the information from the bond attorneys. If the members of Council would not second my motion to get an opinion on this from the bond attorneys, well and good, then I withdraw my motion for delay of one week. I am prepared to vote for the ordinance today. I pay taxes, and I am willing to pay my share of the additional increase should there be any in case this ordinance becomes a law. However, had the department figured the wages of the men to do the work under this bond issue at less than union wages there will not be sufficient money to make any of the improvements and there will surely be some complication if the bond issue is approved by the people."

Mr. Winters arose and said:
"Mr. President, I move that action on the bill be postponed until next Monday. I offer that motion because I am sure it is agreeable to those who are sponsors for the bill and that such a course will be satisfactory to them. There are at least two members of Council who have no knowledge of the bill or its previous history. I believe, in justice to them, that this delay should be taken so they might be able to discuss and vote intelligently upon it."

Mr. Robertson arose and said:
"Mr. President, I second the motion."

Mr. Henderson arose and said:
"Mr. President, I am one of the members who is not familiar with the ordinance under discussion; in fact, I don't know what the talk is about today. This proposition came up last March and as I understand it, it appears to be an ordinance with some merit. I have not seen it yet."

Mr. Winters arose and said:
"Mr. President, I desire to amend my motion by adding, that during the interim of the one week the Mayor be notified of our action and the Mayor be furnished a copy of the ordinance, and that it is within the province of the Mayor or anybody to present such information as they care to either for or against the bill by next Monday."

Mr. Robertson arose and said:
"Mr. President, I second the motion as amended."

Mr. McArdle arose and said:
"Mr. President, what is the purpose of the latter portion of this motion?"

Mr. Winters arose and said:
"Mr. President, my thought is that the Mayor be notified by the Clerk of Council of our action here today and that the members of Council who have any thought on the ordinance as to its legality or relationship to the bond issue can present same, and it will give any member who wants to know the opinion of Messrs. Delafield, Hawkins & Longfellow an opportunity to learn whether the passage of the ordinance would be a handicap, and if he does not want to get that information from that source we don't need to consider it."

The Chair:
"Gentlemen, the motion is that the bill be laid on the table for one week and that the Mayor be notified that this will come up next Monday, and any member who cares to can communicate with the bond attorneys and ascertain whether the passage of the ordinance

will have any effect on the bond issue. Are there any further remarks?"

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"I would like to know, Mr. President, the necessity for the latter provision of the motion."

The Chair:

"There is no necessity for it, except that it will give any member of Council an opportunity to consult with the bond attorneys."

Mr. McArdle:

"I refer to that portion of the motion of Mr. Winters advising the Mayor of the status of this ordinance."

The Chair:

"It is for the purpose of notifying the Mayor so that he can be prepared to act on it when it is sent over to him for his approval or disapproval."

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"Mr. President, isn't the Mayor as much interested in this bill as any member of Council?"

The Chair:

"That is the reason, no doubt, why you want it sent to him before Council acts."

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"Mr. President, then, for that reason, I am opposed to the motion to delay action on the bill. The bill has been here for much more than a year and action was delayed on it by Council after the Finance Committee, as Mr. Dailey correctly states, by a decided majority, recommended it to Council. Its consideration was delayed for the purpose of permitting it being sent to the War Labor Board for an opinion, and in the meantime, the war has been fought and won, and the bill has been called up by a member of Council, I presume, at the request of someone who was originally interested in its introduction. Now we propose another week's delay. In the meantime we are going out to ask the men who are interested in this bill to support a very considerable schedule of public improvements. While I have not discussed it with them as to why the thing is being revived now, if it is being done on their motion, I take it to be because of the question confronting them. We propose delaying it for a week and notifying the Mayor that it has come here, and we do it in the face of the fact that the question will be disposed of, as far as these men are concerned, in about fifteen days, we take another week in considering it. We place on top of that one or two days before it is submitted to the Mayor and then, under the law, the Mayor has ten

days in which to reach his conclusions, and where he must, in all ordinary matters, or extraordinary, for that matter, as far as the law is concerned, reach his conclusions as to what he shall do upon it, and then, if his attitude is unfavorable another week elapses before Council decides whether it shall affirm it regardless of his objections if he files them here. In the meantime the bond question, that is going to provide for a large expenditure of money, and to which the provisions of this bill will be applicable if it becomes a law, will be disposed of. If we are going to consider them we ought not to further delay the consideration of this bill.

"It is spoken of here as though it was a new subject. This subject has been very much discussed around City Hall and, as the result of its discussion in the newspapers for the past seven years, at least, the principles in this bill are understood and are thought to be fairly well known to everybody who has even a casual knowledge of the affairs of the City, because it has been very much debated pro and con.

"For these reasons I am not disposed to add further to the delay of its consideration since it has been brought up here."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I want to warn the members of Council that this is a very dangerous proceeding at this particular time. Mark my word, passage of this bill may cause organized labor to oppose the bond issue; and, on the other hand, in view of the attitude of the manufacturers' association against the adoption of this ordinance, the passage at this time may cause them to oppose the bond issue. But, thanks be to God, I have the courage of my convictions and propose to vote for the bill. Let the chips fly where they will. I believe in honesty, in justice and common ordinary decency and for that reason I believe it is indecent to push this bill at this time in view of one member who is opposed to it being absent from this meeting, and without some statement from the bond attorneys.

"I believe it would have been much better to have had this matter disposed of before the bond issue came up or while we were preparing the bond ordinances. Had we received advice from the War Labor Board in accordance with our request to them this bill could have been disposed of long ago. And, since the Clerk will stand upon his record that the War Labor Board did not answer his letter, that removes my former objection. If the War Labor Board was not interested enough to even acknowledge receipt of our letter, certainly I cannot be held responsible for their neglect. I have always favored the employment of

competent men and the payment of good wages for competent workers.

"If we cannot get a sufficient majority of votes to pass the bill today on account of the two new members not knowing anything of the hearings held by Council committee on it, which occurred some months ago, then these members, in my opinion, are justified in not voting on the question, because they don't know what it means, I shall not be held responsible for the delay. If the ordinance should pass Council and the Mayor should veto it, it will jeopardize the bond issue, because organized labor would be arrayed against the bond issue; should the ordinance pass Council with a unanimous vote and be signed by the Mayor, it is possible that the manufacturers' association would start a campaign to defeat the bond issue. And this thing, before it is through, might start a bitter fight between union labor and those organizations who are opposed to organized labor unions. Be that as it may I am sincerely and honestly in favor of this kind of a bill.

"It may cost the citizens of Pittsburgh more money if we are compelled to pay more money to get competent and first-class workmen, and as this City is made up of competent and first-class workmen, and as every good American citizen is opposed to the I. W. W.'s and similar government-wrecking organizations, I don't fear any offense towards the working people or the good people of Pittsburgh on this question. I will explain to them that we must do what we can to uplift labor. I doubt the wisdom of pressing this question for decision today unless we have some advice from the bond attorneys and, hence, I made a motion for one week's delay, but as I failed to get a second to my motion I am prepared to vote for the bill if the members present desire a vote today.

"It does not matter to me whether this ordinance is laid on the table for one week. Mr. Garland could be telegraphed as to whether he is still opposed to the bill, and the two new members could be consulted. If it is the desire of a majority of the members of Council to take the ordinance up for final action in special meeting this week before the next regular meeting of Council on Monday, June 30. However, should it pass Council and be vetoed by the Mayor, I want to state here that I will lend every effort towards passing it over the Mayor's veto. As I propose to stand by the working people. I have always been for the passage of the ordinance; and it was through courtesy, honesty, common decency and fairness that I made the motion last year to refer the ordinance, along with the typewritten statements of those for and against to the War Labor Board for its opinion upon same. The Clerk says that the War Labor Board never replied to our

request. I want to ask the Clerk again. Did you ever receive any word from the War Labor Board acknowledging receipt of your communication to them?"

The Clerk (Mr. Martin):

"No, sir."

Mr. English:

"If they are willing to ignore the great City of Pittsburgh, I shall not concern myself over them. I made the motion to refer the matter to the War Labor Board in all honesty and sincerity."

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"Mr. President, I offered this motion because I thought it was agreeable to both those for and against the bill, and I had assurance before I made the motion that it was satisfactory to the sponsors of the bill. The sponsors of the bill know me and my attitude towards organized labor as well as they do any other member of this body.

"I ask that this be held over in order that the new members (Mr. Henderson and myself) might have an opportunity to study the bill. We have never had the bill brought to our attention and, without a moment's study, we are asked to vote on an important measure like this without being allowed same. I don't believe it is the desire of any member of Council to take away from us the right to an intelligent discussion of or a review of the statements made before Council on this bill. But, if this is denied us, we must vote without that information.

"I take it that the Mayor will have some opinion on this ordinance and that he can, under my former motion, be prepared to present same next Monday when action would be taken on the bill than to wait until action is taken and then prepare a statement. In any event I see no reason why there should be any lengthy discussion over this bill; this being material to the merits or demerits of the bill.

"It was only as a matter of courtesy that I asked that the Mayor be notified. Since the question has been raised that there might be something in this that would greatly concern the payment of the bond issue and the amount set up for the various items involved in that question. I think it is no more than right that the member who raised that question should be allowed to have it definitely decided before he is asked to vote on the ordinance if he desires that information. If that is done nobody is hurt and no harm will be done Council.

"Attention has been called by the previous speaker of the possible attitude at the polls of organized labor as the outcome of the vote on this ordinance. Now, I made the motion without any

consideration or regard to any political significance it might have, and I had no thought of organized labor being instigated to begin a campaign for or against the bond issue. The real answer of the wages and conditions on this work incorporated in the bond issue will not be needed until the bond issue is passed, and if the bond issue is not passed there will be no work to do. I made the motion without regard to the political effect or political significance it might have on any one."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President I hope the last speaker will not think that I was charging him with anything. I was giving Council my unbiased opinion and did not intend any reflection upon any person, whether a member of Council or not."

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"Mr. President, I would like to say concerning the reference as to the effect it might have on the bonds, it is so palpably plain as to deserve no consideration at all. The Law Department or the bond attorneys pass upon the manner in which the bonds are authorized and issued and, once they are authorized and issued in accordance with existing laws, there is no chance in the world for any rights of the possessors of those bonds being interfered with, either by the passage of or by the operation of this law as proposed in this bill, any more than there would be if somebody came in and stole the money for the payment of all the bonds after they were authorized and sold by the City. We have our obligations and would have to meet them, and our bond attorneys never attempt and never will follow up the expenditures to see whether or not they are made in accordance with the law."

Mr. Dailey arose and said:

"Mr. President we could hold a special meeting of Council on Wednesday afternoon to act on the ordinance."

Mr. Robertson arose and said:

"Mr. President, I expect to be out of the City on Wednesday."

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"Mr. Kelly, of the carpenters' union, I believe, said it would be satisfactory to them to withhold action on the ordinance until next Monday. Isn't that true, Mr. Kelly?"

Mr. W. J. Kelly, president of the carpenters' union, arose and said:

"Mr. President, the reason that we agreed to the change was on the possibility of it going over to the bond attorneys and, naturally, when Mr. English changed his decision to refer it to the

bond attorneys our position has changed also."

Mr. Winters said:

"You are not objecting to it coming up next Monday?"

Mr. Kelly:

"No, we are not objecting to it coming up next Monday."

Mr. Winters said:

"I think I understand some of the maneuvers that have been made since I spoke to you. I understood you to say to me before the meeting that it would be agreeable to you to permit the ordinance to go over until next Monday. Isn't that true?"

Mr. Kelly:

"We thought it no more than fair to allow the two new members to study the ordinance."

Mr. Winters:

"Mr. President, I don't want to be understood as being afraid to vote now. Some members seem to want to deny us the right to intelligently consider the bill; so I will withdraw my motion."

The motion of Mr. Winter's, with the consent of the seconder, was withdrawn.

Mr. Robertson arose and said:

"Mr. President, I move that the bill lay over for one week for the benefit of Mr. Henderson and Mr. Winters."

Which motion was not seconded.

Mr. Henderson arose and said:

"Mr. President I am not familiar with the bill and I cannot imagine why there is so much speech-making on it unless there is something hidden in it. I don't think it a fair thing to ask me to vote on this question on a few minutes' notice after Council has had it before them for the past seven years, as Mr. McArdle has stated. I am not familiar with the provisions of the ordinance and would ask that I be given some time to study it."

Mr. Bauh moved

That, out of consideration to the new members of Council, this bill be laid on the table for one week.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"Mr. President, I don't think anybody can complain that I have not at all times since my inception as a member of Council been courteous to every other member, and I tried to make myself clear why I objected to the bill being laid on the table for one week, and I thought the maker of the motion would see the

wisdom of leaving the latter part of his motion out, and on the motion to lay over for one week I offer no objection against it either in voice or action. I think the members of Council are entitled to all the information they desire on any measure pending before this body."

The Chair said:

"I have already expressed myself on this bill. I am thoroughly conversant with its provisions, but, in justice to the new members of Council who are not familiar with the ordinance, I believe action should be postponed for a few days at least, so these new members can intelligently study and vote on the ordinance when it comes up for final action. They are entitled to this consideration by Council."

Mr. Rauh moved

That the bill be laid over for one week.

Upon which motion Mr. English demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were ordered taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Henderson	Rauh
Herron (President)	Robertson

Noes—Messrs.

English	Winters
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Ayes—6.

Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 2988. Report of the Committee on Finance for June 17, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2861. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the setting aside of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) from the Contingent Fund, Code Account No. 42, for the expenses incurred in parade and concert bands and athletic and aquatic sports in the celebration of the Fourth day of July, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. Rauh also presented

No. 2989.

June 23, 1919.

To the President and

Members of Council.

Gentlemen—Referring to the motion adopted by the Finance Committee on the 17th instant requesting an itemized statement of the distribution of the \$5,000.00 asked for the Fourth of July celebration, I herewith submit the following schedule:

Schenley Park concerts.....	\$384.00
Highland Park concerts.....	240.00
Wittmer Field concerts.....	216.00
Riverview Park concerts.....	240.00
Arsenal Park concerts.....	240.00
McKinley Park concerts.....	264.00
Olympia Park concerts.....	240.00
Brookline concerts.....	240.00
West Park concerts.....	360.00
Arlington Heights concerts.....	216.00
Beechview concerts.....	240.00
West Liberty concerts.....	216.00
West End Park concerts.....	240.00
Lake Elizabeth aquatic sports.....	200.00
Schenley Park athletic and aquatic sports.....	250.00
Highland Park athletic and aquatic sports.....	225.00
Woods Run concerts.....	120.00
Manchester concerts.....	240.00
	\$4,371.00

This leaves a balance of \$629.00 and, as there are requests from several other sections of the City, I will submit a supplementary schedule later.

Yours very truly,

JOHN SWAN,

Director.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. McArdle, received and filed.

And the bill as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2931. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the payment of additional compensation to certain employees in the Bureaus of Fire and Electricity in the Department of Public Safety for the period from July 10, 1918, to January 21, 1919, both inclusive."

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Rauh
English	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Noes—Mr.
McArdle

Ayes—7.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2448. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 56, Department of Public Works, Division of Bridges, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919, by adding one (1) chief bridge inspector at eighteen hundred (\$1,800.00) dollars per annum."

In Finance Committee, June 17, 1919. Read and amended in section 1 and in the title of the bill by striking out the words "bridge" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Messrs.

Dalley	Rauh
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Ayes—6.

Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2838. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania	\$ 75.00	1509
Link Belt Co.	31.39	1656
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.	4.50	1426
Penn Storage Battery Co.	1.50	1663
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	2.70	1416

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Air Tight Steel Tank Co.	3.75	1165
Alexander & Co., Geo. H.	1.60	1243
American Metal Market Co.	10.00	1666
Ball, Charles F.	3.50	1808
Baur Bros. Bakery.	17.88	1745
Baur Bros. Bakery.	31.14	1148
B. B. & B. Trunk Co.	14.50	1700

Beckert Seed Store.....	8.00	1808
Bisel, Geo. T.....	6.00	1078
Bristol Co., The.....	6.45	1655
Bristol Co., The.....	25.50	1658
Buchanan, W. P.....	2.40	1523
Campbell - Neidringhaus Co.....	40.00	1639
Chandler-Boyd Supply Co.....	630.00	1656
Consumers Auto Supply Co.....	12.00	1673
Diebold Lumber Co., E. M.....	1.50	1224
Dyke Motor Supply Co.....	10.00	1165
Eimer & Amend.....	40.00	1804
Electric Motor Repair Co.....	2.34	1028
Electric Motor Repair Co.....	1.50	1032
Epping-Carpenter Co.....	192.45	1323
Follansbee Bros.....	150.00	1322
Gilchrist Sons Co., J. M.....	18.67	1164
Hales & Edwards Co.....	1,542.00	1320
Hamilton, S. C.....	39.50	1032
Hiland Auto Co.....	3.92	1809
Hiland Auto Co.....	.22	1032
Hipwell Auto Supply Co.....	27.20	1165
Johns-Manville Co.....	1.13	1638
Journal of Nervous and Mental Diseases, The.....	8.00	1323
Kaufmann-Baer Co.....	18.00	1808
Kelly-Jones Co.....	1,003.36	185-A
Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.....	17.15	1570
Lange Motor Truck Co.....	3.23	1656
Latimer, Robert T.....	30.88	1164
Lawrence Co., W. W.....	785.95	1468
Logan - Gregg Hardware Co.....	1.50	1177
Logan - Gregg Hardware Co.....	7.80	1524
Linde Air Products Co.....	3.25	1801
Manufacturers Light & Heat Co.....	550.62	1320
McClung Printing Co.....	4.50	1076
McKenna Drug Co.....	227.79	1232
Packard Motor Car Co.....	.65	1556
Painter Dunn Co.....	75.80	1032
Palmer Dunn Co.....	.60	1639
Pittsburgh Harness Sup- ply Co.....	7.50	1332
Pittsburgh Machine & Supply Co.....	.60	1809
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	.45	1164
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	27.00	1504
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	.81	1084
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	2.25	1191
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	18.36	1403
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	1.50	1656
Pittsburgh Piping & Equipment Co.....	147.00	1656
Pittsburgh Provision Co.....	2.90	1569
Point Motor Co.....	2.38	1673
Point Motor Co.....	29.64	1809
Popular Supply Co.....	228.98	1032
Robbins Electric Co.....	1.92	1321
Scobie & Parker Co.....	1.80	1226

Scobie & Parker Co.....	28.00	1323
Seven Baker Bros.....	162.50	1224
Smith Bros. Co., Inc.....	33.00	1076
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.....	.50	OBSTF
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.....	3.00	1655
Spalding & Bro., A. G.....	4.50	1808
Standard Sanitary Mfg. Co.....	.93	1165
West Disinfectant Co.....	230.55	1620
West Publishing Co.....	7.00	1078
Wheeler Condenser & Engineering Co.....	1,860.70	1656
Wilson-Snyder Manufac- turing Co.....	12.00	1656
Youghiogheny Coal Co.....	8.31	1164

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2883. Resolution authorizing the Controller to appoint a delegate to attend the 1919 session of the Controllers' National Association, to be held in the City of Baltimore on the 18th, 19th and 20th of June, and authorizing the payment of the expenses incurred on a voucher approved by the Finance Committee, and charged to Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2904. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Estate of Thomas P. Hershberger in the sum of \$184.42, being the consideration paid by the said Thomas P. Hershberger for property at Sheriff's sale, to which the City had no title, and charging the same to Code Account —

In Finance Committee, June 17, 1919. Read and amended by adding at the end of the resolution the words "42. Contingent Fund," and as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2871. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Nirella Orchestra for \$170.00 for music furnished in parade held by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States on Memorial Day, May 30, 1919, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1386.

In Finance Committee, June 17, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the words "Veterans of Foreign Wars," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "United Spanish War Veterans," and by striking out "1386" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "42. Contingent Fund," and, as amended, ordered re-

turned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

The motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2916. Resolution authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to grant a leave of absence with pay to John Manion of the Bureau of Fire for a period of nine months.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2910. Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby author-

ized and directed to transfer the sum of one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) dollars from Code Account 1491-E, "General Repaving," Bureau of Engineering, to the following code accounts in the Asphalt Division, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, to-wit:

Code Account 1553, A-4, "Wages, Temporary Employees"	\$ 20,000.00
Code Account 1554, B, "Miscellaneous Services"	5,000.00
Code Account 1555, C, "Supplies"	10,000.00
Code Account 1556, D, "Materials"	65,000.00
	\$100,000.00

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2911. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,559.03 from Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to Contract No. 798, Seventh Avenue Repaving.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2928. Resolution authorizing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$200.15 from the General Fund of Code Account 1492½, Structural and Non-structural Improvements at the North Side Market, to Contract No. 788, New Electric Wiring at the North Side Market.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2930. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 1178-A, Operators' Equalization Fund, to Appropriation No. 1169-A, Firemen's Equalization Fund Department of Public Safety, the sum of \$600.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2444. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lot on Henderson street, Twenty-fifth ward, to Myrtle I. McKee for the sum of \$50.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Bauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2880. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lot on Magnet street, Twenty-sixth ward, to Robert Louis Taylor for the sum of \$120.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Bauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 674. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to satisfy the liens filed at No. 125, October Term, 1914, and No. 3422, October Term, 1914, and to charge the costs thereon to the City, upon payment by Victor L. Covert to the proper City

official of the sum of \$58.76, being the difference between \$180.28, taxes assessed for the year 1912 against property on Luray street, and \$121.52, which he paid on property on Marshall avenue (which he had sold, but through error of City officials a statement of the wrong property was given to Mr. Covert).

In Finance Committee, June 17, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$58.76" and by inserting, in lieu thereof "\$115.46," and by striking out the words "difference between \$180.28" and the words "and \$121.52, which he paid on property on Marshall avenue (which he had sold, but through error of City officials a statement of the wrong property was given to Mr. Covert)" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Bauh moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Bauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. English presented

No. 2990. Report of the Committee on Public Works for June 17, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2915. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Esplanade street from a point about 10 feet south of Hemlock street to the existing sewer on Esplanade street, and providing that the costs, damages

and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2900. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Berthoud street and Wallace street, from a point about 20 feet southwest of Robinson street to the existing sewer on Wallace street at Carrillo street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2917. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the construction of an 18-inch terra cotta pipe storm drain on the southwest sidewalk of Pioneer avenue and the east sidewalk of McConnell avenue, from the existing 18-inch terra cotta pipe storm drain on the southwest sidewalk of Pioneer avenue to a surface drain on the east sidewalk of McConnell avenue at a point about 40 feet south of Pioneer avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2633. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for repairs in the South Side Market and the setting aside of \$12,715.00 from Code Account 1599-E, Repairs to South Side Market, Bureau of City Property, for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English Rauh
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters
McArdle

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2906. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the regrading, repaving, recurbng and otherwise improving of Irwin avenue as widened at its intersection with North avenue; Beechwood boulevard as widened at its intersection with Hazelwood avenue; Mansfield avenue as widened at its intersection with South Main street; and for the widening, repaving and recurbng of the roadway of Shady avenue at the second angle southwardly from Fifth avenue, and of the roadway of Mansfield avenue at the first angle southeastwardly from South Main street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English Rauh
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters
McArdle

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council

being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2926. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance accepting the dedication of certain property in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes, opening the same as an extension of Love street and establishing the grade thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English Rauh
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters
McArdle

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2905. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Appropriation	
	Amount.	No.
Campbell Niedringhaus Co.	\$ 4.83	1665
B. H. Frazier.....	28.35	1665
I. J. Glatch.....	1.00	1516
P. J. Guina.....	.75	1665
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	12.10	1417
Scientific Materials Co.....	7.50	1649
Wappat Gear Works.....	19.90	1557

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2912. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of George S. White Company for the sum of \$541.38, for extra work done on contract for repaving Seventh avenue, from Liberty avenue to Bigelow boulevard and charging same to Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, Contract No. 798, Seventh Avenue Repaving.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2933. Resolution approving extras amounting to \$1,185.60 in the contract of Christ Donatelli for the grading, paving and curbing of Thomas street, from North Braddock avenue to North Richland street.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended,

the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2932. Resolution approving extras amounting to \$137.50 in the contract of Thos. Crouin Company for the grading and paving of Guckert way, from Phineas street to a point 466.49 feet eastwardly from Madison avenue.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2934. Resolution approving extras amounting to \$477.40 in the contract of Matthew Ott Company for the grading, paving and curbing of Proxim way, from Estella street to Montooth street.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2935. Resolution approving extras amounting to \$1371.51 in the contract of George S. White Company for the grading, paving and curbing of Fleury way, from North Dallas avenue to North Murtland street.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2991. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for June 17, 1919 transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

Bill No. 2802. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Estate of Henry Rea, Jr., his heirs, successors and assigns, the right to build, construct, maintain and use a certain brick, steel and reinforced concrete warehouse, structure or building over and across Gasoline street at a point from the southerly line of Second avenue to a point on the northerly line of Greenough street in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, subject to the terms and conditions of this ordinance."

In Public Service and Surveys Committee, June 17, 1919. Read and amended in Section 6 by inserting in blank space before the word "month" the word "twelve" and, as amended, ordered re-

turned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the amendment of the Public Service and Surveys Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. McArdle also presented

No. 2992. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for June 18, 1919, transmitting several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2902. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade of Perry street, from Webster avenue to a point 214.50 feet northwardly therefrom."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2908. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalk of Stadium street, from Radcliffe street to Stafford street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2922. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalks on Beltzhoover avenue, from Hartford way to Michigan street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 2993. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for June 18, 1919, transmitting a resolution and several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2942. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the installation of wires for electric light, heat, power and certain signal systems in certain classes of buildings; requiring all such wires hereafter installed in such buildings to be made and maintained in accordance with this ordinance; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof; all with a view of preventing loss of life, limb and property."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2903. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
D. A. Butler.....	\$188.00	1147
A. L. Campbell Taxicab Co.	36.00	1147
Mrs. Esther Cronin.....	11.81	1158 AM
Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.	5.40	1147
James L. Sunner.....	16.00	1147
Mrs. Margaret Taylor..	86.62	42

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also, with a negative recommendation.

Bill No. 2474. An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance regulating the installation of wires for electric light, heat, power and signals in certain classes of buildings; requiring all wires in such buildings to be made and maintained in accordance with this ordinance; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof; all with a view of preventing loss of life, limb and property."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

That further action on the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 2593. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the installation of wires for electric light,

heat, power and certain signal systems in certain classes of buildings; requiring all such wires hereafter installed in such buildings to be made and maintained in accordance with this ordinance; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof; all with a view of preventing loss of life, limb and property."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

That further action on the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 2994. Whereas, The United States postal authorities are contemplating the establishing of an aerial postal service; and

Whereas, Owing to the importance of the City of Pittsburgh as a commercial and manufacturing center, Council believes it should be made one of the stations of this proposed service; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Council and the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh that Postmaster General A. S. Burleson be requested to make Pittsburgh one of the stations or stops for the aerial postal service when established, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Postmaster General for his information; and be it further

Resolved, That if the Postmaster General will grant the Mayor and Council a hearing, and will signify when it will be agreeable that they will be pleased to go to Washington to attend said hearing; and be it further

Resolved, That Representative Stephen G. Porter and the other Pennsylvania Congressmen be sent a copy of this resolution.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 2995. Resolved, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works be invited to confer with Council relative to the matter of the Sixteenth street, Forty-third street and proposed McKees Rocks bridges, as set forth in the communication from the County Commissioners. Said conference to be held Tuesday, June 24, 1919, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 2996. Whereas, It is a common occurrence for the laborers employed in the Bureau of Highways and Sewers to have their pay held up from five to ten days; and

Whereas, This works a great hardship on these men and their families; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller and the City Treasurer be and are hereby requested to furnish Council a report, as soon as possible, as to why these pay-rolls are held up, and if they cannot devise some means so that it will not occur in the future.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 2997. Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh having title to a large number of vacant lots the majority of which being so situated as to afford suitable location for the erection of tents by citizens who, on account of housing conditions, are practically shelterless; it is

Resolved, That Council, or its committees, grant a hearing on Tuesday of this week, at 2 o'clock P. M., to a committee who desire to explain the matter to the members of Council.

Which was read.

Mr. Bauh moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle at this time arose to a question of personal privilege, and said:

"Mr. President, I arise to a question of personal privilege. I am informed that on last Saturday a meeting was held in the Mayor's office to discuss ways and means to promote the bond issue, and that all members of Council were invited to participate except those who voted against the desire ordinance submitting an item of \$6,000,000.00 for the building

of a subway loop in the First and Second wards.

"This would indicate that it is the opinion of the Mayor that the co-operation of Messrs. Herron, Dailey and myself is not desirable in the promotion of those groups of improvements that received the unanimous support of all the members of Council.

"If this seems a satisfactory policy for the Mayor to pursue, I presume that it will have to be submitted to by the taxpayers, whose money is being spent for the purpose of enlightening the voters on the questions submitted to them.

"However this may be I deem it my duty to define publicly what my attitude is going to be toward the bond question now before the people for their study and action.

"I supported, in Council, on final passage, every ordinance upon which the people are asked to vote, except that providing for the subway in the First and Second wards. This will continue to be my policy until these questions are disposed of by the voters on July 8.

"I shall take whatever opportunities present themselves to express my belief in the necessity of those public improvements which I supported in Council and shall use whatever influence I possess to get the voters of Pittsburgh to support these projects in the interest of Pittsburgh's future. By the same token I shall give the people who may care to have it my judgment on the question of the subway. I have been and still am opposed to that project, and I deem it my duty as well as my right to give to the public the reasons why I pursue that course. I believe that the voters of Pittsburgh want to cast intelligent votes in the interest of their City, and I shall be pleased to render them such help as I am capable of, allowing them, as is their inherent right, to place their estimate of value on the judgment I express.

"I believe the subway project to be bad for Pittsburgh at this time, and will continue to say so to the people of the City, even though it displeases some of those who are favorable to it."

And, on motion of Mr. Robertson,
Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, June 30, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Absent—Mr.

Robertson

The Chair stated that, if there were no objections the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, June 23, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Garland moved

That the minutes of the meeting for Monday, June 23, 1919, be approved.
Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 2998. An Ordinance designating "Adaza way" as the name of an unnamed twenty-foot way laid out in E. G. Mooney's Plan of Lots, in the Seventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Akron way westwardly to the westerly line of the plan and establishing the grade thereof.

Also

No. 2999. An Ordinance establishing the grade of Akron way, from Alder street to the southerly line of Edward G. Mooney Plan of Lots.

Also

No. 3000. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Dunkirk street, from North Fairmount street 272.0 feet eastwardly to the easterly line of the A. J. Davis Estate Plan.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 3001. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
John T. Elliott.....	\$ 20.00	1147
Mrs. Ellen C. Monahan.....	16.50	1150

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 3002. An Ordinance authorizing the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, to hire automobile trucks and wagons and teams when required, and providing for the payment thereof.

Also

No. 3003. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following for automobile trucks hired by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers for hauling asphalt for repair work on the streets of the City, and charging same to Appropriation Item 1554:

Nelson & Smeltz, 1268 Blackadore avenue	\$ 525.00
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Wm. A. Hoff.....	1,228.00
H. S. Moorhead & Co., 220 South Highland avenue	644.00
Edw. M. Horen, 6371 Penn ave- nue	714.00
J. I. Malroye, 320 Sackett street	663.25

Also

No. 3004. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Matthew Ott & Co. for \$312.00 for extra work done on the contract for the construction of a sewer on Pear way, private properties, etc., from Pear way to Saw Mill Run, and charging same to Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, Pear Way Sewer Contract No. 5072.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3005. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile for the City Treasurer's office, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Also

No. 3006. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
John Flocker & Co.....	\$ 106.40	1526
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.	751.83	1526
Heinz Co., H. J.....	1,389.50	1531
Sellers Co., William.....	960.90	1656

Also

No. 3007. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund, to Appropriation No. 1048, Supplies, and the sum of \$300.00 from Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund, to Appropriation No. 1051, Equipment and Machinery, Department of City Controller.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3008. An Ordinance opening Enfield street, in the Eighth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Center avenue to Baum boulevard and providing that the cost, damages and expenses

occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3009. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Charities of the City of Pittsburgh to advertise for and award to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders a contract or contracts for the construction of an extension to the present coal-handling machinery in the power house at the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa., and setting aside the sum of \$4,000.00 for the payment of the cost thereof.

Also

No. 3010. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$11,000.00 from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to Code Account No. 1419-D, Castings, General Office, Bureau of Engineering.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3011. An Ordinance authorizing and directing partial payments to be made to M. O'Herron Company for the grading, regrading, paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving Carson street West.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3012. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a contract with the W. W. Lawrence & Company, a corporation of the State of Pennsylvania, and owner of certain property, including a six-story warehouse building on the northeast side of Carson street West, in the Nineteenth ward, City, relating to the construction of an arcade over the sidewalk and to the making of various changes and alterations in said building, so as to provide a continuous sidewalk for the use of the public, and providing the conditions and payment of the cost thereof.

Also

No. 3013. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of a retaining wall on Leander street, between Rust way and the westerly terminus thereof and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Also

No. 3014. An Ordinance changing the lines of and opening Butler street, in the Tenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Livonia street to a point 527.27 feet east of the angle in Butler street east of Livonia street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3015. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Cowan street, from Dilworth street to Prospect street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 3016. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to W. A. Martin for Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in W. S. Beech Schenley View Plan, Tenth ward, situate on the west side of Breeseport street, at the corner of Mathilda street, for the sum of \$1,000.00.

Also

No. 3017. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to John F. Lang for Lot No. 198 Industry street, Eighteenth ward, for the sum of \$600.00.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance

Also

No. 3018. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Courtland street, from Gloster street to Langhorn street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3019. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading and paving of Cicero way, from Estella street to Kingsboro street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3020. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1555 Supplies, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1558, Equipment and Ma-

chinery, Asphalt Plants, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, to provide for one seven-ton and one five-ton horizontal steam engine tandem rollers.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3021. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Bernard Gloekler Company for \$955.00 in payment of extra work in the installation of new meat stalls at the South Side Market, and charging same to Code Account 1599.

Also

No. 3022. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Booth & Flinn, Ltd., for the sum of \$239.09, for recurbing Graeme street, from Market place to Fifth avenue, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Also

No. 3023. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Joe Bellisario in the sum of \$36.80, for extra work in the construction of a sewer on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Soho Playgrounds) and the northwest sidewalk of Wyandotte street, and charging same to Code Account No. 1476-E.

Also

No. 3024. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Forsythe street, from California avenue to Mullins street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3025. An Ordinance establishing the grade on Marshall avenue from Perrysville avenue to Goshen street.

Also

No. 3026. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on Marshall avenue, from Brighton road to a point 400.89 feet eastwardly therefrom.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

The Chair presented

No. 3027. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James Slean for the sum of \$53.00, in full payment of all claims for damages on account of injuries received by falling into a hole on Lemington avenue, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also
No. 3028. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James L. Stuart for \$1,927.17, for wages paid to P. Cryder, elevator maintenance man in the City-County Building, from June 11, 1918, to June 12, 1919, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also
No. 3029. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$25,000.00 from Appropriation No. 52, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 1080, Bureau of Public Utilities Litigation, City of Pittsburgh.

Also
No. 3030. Communication from the County Executive Committee of the American Legion, asking that the City firemen who were in the service of their country be allowed the increase in salary granted members of the Bureau of Fire.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also
No. 3031. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts, jointly with the County Commissioners, for additional work on the City-County Building, and providing for the payment of the cost of the City's share thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also
No. 3032. Resolution adopted by the Pittsburgh Central Labor Union, asking the Council to pass the ordinance regulating municipal contracts, known as Bill No. 428.

Also
No. 3033. Communications from Pittsburgh Piping & Equipment Co., Blaw-Knox Co., Fawcus Machine Co., Follansbee Brothers Co., R. Munroe & Sons, McClintic-Marshall Co., Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co. and S. A. Stewart Co., protesting against the passage of Bill No. 428, "An Ordinance providing for the employment of competent and first-class workmen on all City contracts."

Also
No. 3034. Communication from Carlton C. Anthony, protesting against the increase in car fare by the Pittsburgh Railways Company.

Also
No. 3035. Communication from the Allied Boards of Trade of Pittsburgh and Allegheny County, asking

the City to oppose the increase in street car fare and protesting against the subway item in the proposed people's bond issue.

Also
No. 3036. Communication from the Arlington Heights Board of Trade, endorsing the proposed bond issue and the subway project.

Which were severally read, received and filed.

Also
No. 3037.
CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, June 26, 1919.
Hon. John S. Herron,
President of Council.

Dear Sir—Replying to your resolution passed at meeting held Monday, June 23, regarding the delay in the payment of City employees in various departments and bureaus, I have to advise you that there is no delay after the payrolls are turned over to this department.

Some of the payrolls may at times be late reaching the paymaster, but after they have been received in that division they get immediate attention and the payments are made as rapidly as it is possible to get them out.

Yours very truly,

CHAS. S. HUBBARD,
City Treasurer.

Also
No. 3038.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER.

Pittsburgh, June 28, 1919.
To the Council.

Gentlemen—In response to your resolution in regard to Bill No. 2996, I would state that the payrolls are not held up in this office, unless for the purpose of correction where payrolls have been retained on that account. Instancing the Highways and Sewers roll for laboring men, the payroll for the half month, June 15, shows the following record: Sworn to by the Director June 20, audited by Mr. Garaghty June 20, 2 P. M.; sent to the Mayor's office June 21, 8:45 A. M.; delivered to the paymaster June 21, 10 A. M.

The speedy delivery of these rolls to this office might result in remedying the evil of which complaint has been made. The paymaster has the time fixed for payment of these men. I think on the fifth or sixth working day of the period. The only delay in this office would be occasioned by the errors made in the Bureau or in the Director's office, which, of course, must be revised and corrected by that division.

One way of acquiring speedy action would be to enforce the payment by the paymaster for all rolls for office force and general employees. These complaints have been filed in this office a number of times from all bureaus. The fault has been found in the office of the Superintendent of the Bureau or the Director, where the bill has not been speedily put through. I believe that the method I suggest, if directed by Council, were enforced, the rolls would reach this department with greater promptness. I might remark, in passing that the delay in payment is laid at the door of this office, which is never true, except in the case of error, which will delay the roll until the correction is made and returned to us.

Respectfully,

E. S. MORROW,
City Controller.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Bill No. 428. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating municipal contracts, stipulating for the employment of competent and first-class workmen only, defining the words competent and first-class workmen, hours and wages to be paid, requiring an affidavit to be filed with the City Controller, showing compliance and providing certain reductions as liquidated damages for the violation thereof."

In Council, June 23, 1919. Bill read and laid over for one week.

Which was read a second time.

Mr. **Rauh** arose and said:

"Mr. President, I saw the City Solicitor last Saturday relative to this bill, and he informed me that he has legal opinions that he would like to put before Council and that he would be glad to come to this meeting and show them to us. I, therefore, move that the City Solicitor be asked to come here and give us these opinions."

The **Chair** stated:

That, if there were no objections, the City Solicitor would be sent for.

And Mr. Chas. A. O'Brien, City Solicitor, having been sent for, appeared before Council.

The **Chair** said:

"Mr. O'Brien, Mr. Rauh made the statement that you had informed him that you had some opinions to give Council on the ordinance requiring contractors on City work to employ competent and first-class workmen, and that you would like to come before Council

and explain your position on the bill pending before us. We will be glad to hear from you now."

Mr. **O'Brien** said:

"Mr. President, I stated to Mr. Rauh that if Council desired me to be present at their meeting, I would be glad to come and answer any questions relating to the matter under discussion."

The **Chair**:

"However, you are here, and the members can state what their pleasure is. The bill is before Council for consideration and action."

Mr. **Rauh** arose and said:

"Mr. President, I would like to ask the City Solicitor whether, in his opinion, this bill is legal. If it is legal he is to give us his opinion to that effect; and if it is not legal, to give us his opinion as to its illegality."

Mr. **Dailey**:

"Do you mean verbally or in writing?"

Mr. **Rauh**:

"If the City Solicitor desires it on this matter, I will be glad to have it in writing. It is up to the members of Council to decide whether they want his opinion in writing. Perhaps we haven't given the City Solicitor sufficient time on this matter and, if there are no objections, I move that this bill be referred to the City Solicitor for a written opinion and report."

The motion was seconded by Mr. **Dailey**.

Mr. **English** arose and said:

"Mr. President I object to any further delay on the vote on this bill, because on last Monday it was understood that anyone who desired any information on this ordinance should obtain it and be prepared to vote on the ordinance today. Now, to refer this ordinance to the City Solicitor would be in contradiction to that program, and for that reason I am going to vote against the motion to refer to the City Solicitor. However, I want it understood that I don't fear anything from the City Solicitor's opinion, whether it is for or against this bill."

"As I stated at the last meeting of Council, I presented a resolution to have the ordinance, together with a copy of the arguments of those for and against the bill, sent to the War Labor Board at Washington for its opinion and report. I don't know whether the complete arguments of those who appeared before the Finance Committee on this bill were sent to the National War Labor Board or not or whether the resolution only was sent to Washington. I would like to ask the Clerk to tell us what

papers were referred to the War Labor Board?"

The Clerk (Mr. Martin) said:

"A copy of your resolution and a copy of the ordinance, only just the two papers, were referred to the War Labor Board."

Mr. English:

"Evidently the arguments for and against the bill were not referred to the War Labor Board. In any event, the War Labor Board has ignored our request by failing to even acknowledge our letter. With all due respect to the City Solicitor, if his opinion would be that this ordinance is not legal, we would still have our own personal opinion on it. It would be like the Adamson eight-hour bill. Quite a number of distinguished lawyers and others said the Adamson bill was contrary to the Constitution of the United States. As in that case, we should leave that kind of business to the law and lawyers. If the ordinance is not legal the Manufacturers Association is strong enough to take the matter to the Supreme Court for its decision; and if it is legal, well and good. If it is a good thing to pay good wages to competent workmen we ought to try it. We ought to square off here and not quibble about this thing."

"I don't think any man who votes against the ordinance can be called an enemy of organized labor, and any man who votes for it cannot be called an enemy of the manufacturers of our City whose shops and factories are not organized. Anything, like our subway, is worthy of a trial. If we had unanimity of opinion here on every question there would be no use of our services here."

"If this ordinance is contrary to the Constitution of the United States and the State of Pennsylvania that question can be determined later. If it is constitutional, it will be no disadvantage to the contractors bidding on City work, as they would all be compelled to base their bids on the hours and rates of wages on the scale fixed by the ordinance. As I said before, if the ordinance is illegal, let the courts so decide, and I shall be governed by their decision."

"If this ordinance is passed and, after a trial, it is found to be a bad thing for the City of Pittsburgh and we cannot get contractors to bid on our street and sewer work if we cannot get the work done, then it is time to talk about repealing the ordinance. I don't think, in this connection, that the Manufacturers' Association will concern themselves about our street and sewer improvement contracts. They are not involved in it. It is a matter to be determined by the community's spirit and feeling. The more workingmen we have in the City and the better skilled they are, the

wages will be better and the entire community will be contented and happy. We ought not to fool with this matter; we should pass the ordinance and allow it to go to the Supreme Court if necessary, to be determined as to whether it is legal or not."

Mr. Garland arose and said:

"Mr. President, the gentleman is out of order. I also think he made a mistake when he said this matter simply concerned organized labor and that it did not interest the manufacturers. This does interest the manufacturers very much, because it not only affects the mills, factories and workshops, but practically every line of endeavor. I wish to call your attention particularly to the structural iron workers of this district. There is not one of the many bridge companies in and around Pittsburgh who could take a contract with the City of Pittsburgh under this ordinance. If the ordinance had been a law when the City-County Building, in which we are now housed, was being constructed, it could not have been built by Pittsburgh contractors."

"It does not make any difference to me whether we wait for the City Solicitor's opinion on the legality of the ordinance or not. However, I am willing that the City Solicitor's opinion should become a part of our Councilmanic Record on account of this being a new Council, and for the further reason that there are two members of Council who have not had knowledge of the Law Department's report and opinion on this ordinance. We understand the legal decision given by the Law Department, and I am confident that the opinion of the City Solicitor would be as heretofore, that the ordinance is in violation of the Constitution of the State of Pennsylvania and the United States. Those of you who have been in Council when the original opinion of the Law Department was made on this matter know it, and the gentleman who just spoke knows it."

"I am not afraid to vote on this question today; and when I vote No on the ordinance I will have the satisfaction of knowing that I am not violating my oath of office. When we took our seats in Council we pledged ourselves to obey the law; and if we cannot obey the Constitution of the State of Pennsylvania and the United States, in the name of God, what should we obey! There is not a man sitting in this Council that doesn't know that this ordinance is unconstitutional. If we pass it, it is camouflage and the workmen know it, because they have discussed it."

"Let any Councilman who is in doubt as to the opinion of the City Solicitor refer it to his own attorney. He will be informed, as our City Solicitor has in-

formed us, that it is class legislation and that it is in violation of the Charter provisions.

"Organized labor has its good points as well as bad, and there are just as good men among organized labor as well as outside of its ranks. Under the provisions of this ordinance you could not get certain contractors in Pittsburgh to bid on City work. If you want Booth & Flinn to bid on City work, don't pass this ordinance. If contractors like Booth & Flinn don't want City work under these conditions, where are you going to get the men?"

"If the ordinance is not passed, I understand that organized labor is going to vote against the bond issue. I don't believe that, though. They will vote for the bond issue items because I believe they want to see the returned soldiers get the work.

"I will vote to refer this to the City Solicitor again for the benefit of the two new members of Council who have not seen the opinion of the City Solicitor on this ordinance made some time ago, hoping the City Solicitor will make it in stronger language this time. I am, therefore, in favor of referring the ordinance to the City Solicitor for his written opinion."

Mr. Bauh arose and said:

"Mr. President, in making this motion to refer the matter to the City Solicitor for an opinion and report, I do so feeling that if the City Solicitor tells me that this is a legal bill I shall vote for it. If he says it is not legal, I will vote against it. I am not an enemy of organized labor and never have been. My record in Council will convince anyone of my stand on this matter. But I want to say right here that I am here to live up to my oath of office and I cannot vote for a measure that is not legal. If the City Solicitor tells me that it is illegal, I shall not vote for it.

"If it is the desire of Council that a vote be taken on this today after we hear from the City Solicitor, I am perfectly willing to do that. However, I think that it is no more than right to give the City Solicitor some time to prepare his opinion and report; and that is the reason why I offered the motion today."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, for the benefit of the previous speaker, who was absent from the last meeting of Council, I would like to give him some information. If he will refer to the minutes of the last meeting he will see that I protested against action being taken then, and said, 'I think it would be unwise to pass this bill today for two reasons. First, you all know that one member of Council who last year was bitterly opposed

to the passage of this ordinance is out of the City, and the second reason is the effect its passage may have on the proposed bond issue.' In connection with that, I made a motion to delay action on the ordinance until today. I did not get a second to my motion, and withdrew the motion.

"We went through an interesting discussion, and it was learned from the Clerk that the War Labor Board did not answer our request of last year; then Mr. Winters made a motion that action on the bill be postponed until today to give ample time for any member to get legal opinions or any other information he desired during the week so that a vote could be taken today. He added this statement in explanation of his motion: 'My thought is that the Mayor be notified by the Clerk of our action here today and that the members of Council who have any thought on the ordinance as to its legality or relationship to the bond issue can present same, and it will give any member who wants to know the opinion of Messrs. Delafield, Hawkins & Longfellow an opportunity to learn whether the passage of the ordinance would be a handicap and if he does not want to get that information from that source we don't need to consider it.'

"He wanted to give the Mayor an opportunity to present any information he cared to on the ordinance, and I take it from what transpired last Monday it was a notice to everybody to be prepared to vote on the bill today.

"Knowing Mr. Garland's position in the matter, I didn't think there was any necessity in debating the merits of the bill at all today. Out of common courtesy, I offer this information so that the gentleman may know what transpired at the last meeting of Council on this bill."

Mr. Henderson arose and said:

"Mr. President, I am one of the new members and want to hear what the City Solicitor has to say as to the legality of this bill. However, I think it is more important to hear what the attorneys for the banks who would purchase the bonds, as provided in the bond issue, would have to say on this ordinance, as I believe they would be interested in this matter.

"If the City Solicitor can write his opinion and report better than he can say it, I believe he should be given the opportunity to write it. I think it is important that we ascertain what effect this ordinance will have upon the sale of the \$22,000,000.00 worth of bonds that we have under consideration at this time and upon which the people are asked to give their approval on July 8."

Mr. Garland arose and said:

"Mr. President, the City Solicitor has

already submitted an opinion on this matter to the effect that it is unconstitutional. There is a very serious question involved here. We had Delafield, Hawkins & Longfellow, who are bond experts, pass upon this bond issue even to the formula of putting it before the people for their approval or disapproval; and if you cast any shade or shadow on this bond issue, I believe my friend, McArdle, will say it is unconstitutional."

The Chair said:

"Mr. Garland, speaking for myself, I say it is not."

Mr. Garland said:

"If you are going to try to sell these bonds with some shadow, or, you may say, some blight upon them, I am afraid that it will be pretty hard to get buyers for them. I am not going to refer this to the City Solicitor in order to put off action for a week. I will come here tomorrow prepared to vote if the City Solicitor can have his report ready by that time. I believe we should also have the opinion of the bond attorneys on this."

"I think you are wasting a lot of time discussing it. It don't amount to much, in my judgment. If John F. Casey and the Booth & Flinn companies are the low bidders on any City work, they will get the contract and will perform it with unorganized labor, and nobody will or can stop them."

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"Mr. President, I would like to ask Mr. Garland a question. In his first speech, are we to infer from it that if the ordinance is not passed organized labor has threatened to be against the bond issue?"

Mr. Garland arose and said:

"The talk has been that way. The threat has been made."

Mr. McArdle:

"I have not heard it."

Mr. Garland:

"It is commonly rumored that the Labor Temple is against the bond issue if this is not put through."

Mr. McArdle:

"I had heard that those opposed to the passage of the ordinance has threatened to spend \$50,000.00 to defeat the bond issue if this ordinance becomes a law."

And the question recurring on the motion of Mr. **Rauh**, "That the bill be referred to the City Solicitor for a written opinion."

Mr. **Rauh** demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been

sustained, the ayes and noes were ordered taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Henderson
Garland	Rauh

Noes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—4.

Noes—4.

And there not being a majority of the votes of Council in the affirmative the motion did not prevail.

Mr. **Rauh** arose and said:

"Mr. President, I would ask that we hear from the City Solicitor now."

The Chair:

"If there are no objections, we will hear from the City Solicitor."

Mr. **Rauh**:

"Mr. President, I would like to ask the City Solicitor whether this bill is legal, in his opinion, or whether it is illegal, and whether he has any authority to prove it that way?"

Mr. **O'Brien** said:

"Mr. President, I read this bill over since I came to the Chamber and I have seen it before. According to established authority, not only in the State of Pennsylvania, but practically in almost every State in the Union, an ordinance of this kind is not valid, because of its conflict with the provisions of the City Charter relating to City contracts and how they shall be awarded. Article 15, Section 1 of the Charter Act of 1901, provides, 'All contracts relating to City affairs shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder after reasonable notice.' This provision, gentlemen, is mandatory and must be strictly complied with. The provisions of this ordinance are also a violation of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States. It is not my personal, professional opinion, but is based upon reports as they have occurred from time to time and upon decisions made by the Supreme Court in this as well as many other States. I have reported on this question three different times. I am assuming this, that this is a union labor bill."

Mr. **English**:

"Why do you assume that?"

Mr. **O'Brien**:

"The reason is this: As I read the bill, it fixes the minimum scale of wages to be paid under these contracts by the several contractors the same as those which shall be paid to organized labor."

In other words, it is an organized labor bill requiring contractors to pay no less than the wages fixed by organized labor for that kind of work. It has been held by all courts and one court in Allegheny County that such limitations in a contract is void. This ordinance is construed to mean that each contract shall have a condition embodied in it requiring the contractor to employ none but first-class and competent workmen, and 'no workmen shall be regarded as competent and first-class within the meaning of this ordinance except those who are duly skilled in their respective branches of labor, and who shall be paid such rate of wages and for such hours of work as shall be the established and current rates of wages paid for such hours by employers of organized labor in the doing of similar work.' I take this to mean that all contractors on City work under this ordinance must pay the rates of wages for such work as those paid by employers of organized labor. Am I right?"

Mr. McArdle said:

"They would be required to pay the rate of wage agreed upon for the particular kind of work done by the employers of organized labor and be required to employ them for the number of hours fixed in the same way."

Mr. O'Brien:

"That is a fixed standard wage. practically, and in the case of *Frame vs. Felix*, 167 Pa. 47, it was held that the City of Reading, a City of the third class, could not specify in municipal contracts that the contractor should employ no one not a citizen of the United States."

Mr. McArdle:

"What other decision have you on this?"

Mr. O'Brien:

"Well, the case known as the *Commonwealth vs. Casey*, Quarter Sessions Court of Allegheny County, on the question as to whether there was a violation of the Constitution in respect to labor laws in prescribing the hours of labor. That is what that means. That case was pending in the Superior Court when I made this report, back in 1912."

Mr. McArdle:

"Has the law ever been attacked as it appears in the School Code governing first-class school districts?"

Mr. O'Brien:

"I have no recollection of a case on the School Code. There is a question of this kind on school contracts in accordance with the Act of 1911. These are the same all over the country. Judge

Dillon rendered a decision on the stipulations as to hours of labor, wages and the employment of union labor, and said:

"Under a statute or charter which requires the letting of the contract by competition to the lowest bidder, we have seen that it is an essential element that all the steps taken be so framed as to invite competition and to * * * assure a fair award to the person entitled to the contract on the bids submitted. We have elsewhere discussed the power of the legislature to impose mandatory conditions upon the municipality as to the hours of labor, the wages paid to laborers, and the employment of union labor, etc., and have seen that in some jurisdictions, at least statutes specifying the number of hours which shall constitute a day's labor, requiring the payment of a specified rate or the prevailing rate of wages, and limiting the employment of persons upon public contracts, either by the municipality or by the contractors under the municipality, to members of labor unions, are unconstitutional as depriving the municipality and the contractor of liberty and property without due process of law, or as class legislation, or as tending to create a monopoly. The same principles render invalid provisions in ordinances and resolutions providing for improvements, or in the specifications upon which bids are invited, or in the contracts, requiring the employment of union labor only, or limiting the contracts to such persons as are able to show the union label, or restricting the hours of labor on the part of the employees of the contractor to eight hours a day, and providing that the contract shall be forfeited for a breach of the condition, or prohibiting the employment of any person or persons other than native-born or naturalized citizens of the United States or specifying or controlling the wages to be paid by the contractor on the job, or requiring all the stone used in the improvement to be cut within the limits of the State. If a taxpayer acts promptly, he may enjoin the City from entering into or carrying out such a contract, and the fact that he was a competitor in the bidding does not affect his right to relief."

Mr. McArdle:

"Have you any thought as to the possibility, even assuming that the above applies to this ordinance in the light of what has happened in the past five years in the world, the court might change its views as it has done on the very principles involved in this ordinance?"

Mr. O'Brien:

"I can see that courts do move and have found some reverses, but on this subject we have a long series of decisions covering a long term of years

and which have uniformly been held as unconstitutional by the courts of Pennsylvania as well as other States insofar as it interferes with the freedom of contractors from becoming a free bidder and actually interferes with their bidding on municipal contracts."

Mr. McArdle:

"How can you put such a construction on this when the very first effect here is to create union conditions or an equal condition among all that it does give them better working conditions and a better rate of pay?"

Mr. O'Brien:

"You must not lose sight of the fact that you are here to look out for the general benefit of all the people of the City, and considering an ordinance that will interfere with the provisions of the City Charter, which says that all contracts must be awarded after competitive bidding has been held on same for the benefit of the general public in order to obtain lower and better prices on contracts. You have a statutory requirement in your Charter that all contracts must be let by competitive bidding. The court holds that any restrictions placed upon the contract, even in the form of minimum wage or kind of employment, etc., interferes with that statutory clause. That is the basis of all decisions. The two things are inconsistent and cannot stand together."

Mr. McArdle:

"Does it more largely hinge upon whether the legislative body has the right to deal with this question rather than upon the question of the destruction of competitive bidding? Would you say, in defense of the principle of competitive bidding under the Charter Act, that a man would have the right to ignore laws passed by the State that prevent the employment of child labor or convict labor?"

Mr. O'Brien:

"No."

Mr. McArdle:

"Isn't the same thing involved in this case?"

Mr. O'Brien:

"No; you have not the same power in both cases."

Mr. McArdle:

"You are putting a uniform restriction upon all of those who bid for the work or enter into the contract of which they had prior knowledge before they bid?"

Mr. Garland said:

"Take this building, if the ordinance was in force at the time it was built.

Jones & Laughlin Steel Company would have been prevented from bidding for the steel work."

Mr. McArdle:

"It can go in and bid for work under this ordinance. The ordinance exempts materials manufactured and purchased for use in the execution of City contracts."

Mr. Garland:

"They could not under this ordinance."

Mr. McArdle:

"This ordinance specifically leaves that out."

Mr. Garland:

"Well it was in the old ordinance."

Mr. English said:

"For years the City of Pittsburgh has been paying union wages to those crafts which they employ which have a union, and yet we have a lot of men doing the same kind of work that don't belong to the union. This ordinance simply provides that those who are duly skilled in their respective branches of labor shall be paid such rate of wages as shall be the established and current rate of wage for such hours by employers of organized labor in doing similar work."

Mr. O'Brien:

"You have no restrictions upon the employment of persons skilled in their respective crafts to work as City employees. However, you place a restriction upon all contracts to be awarded by the City. The courts have all held that placing restrictions in the contracts which require that a minimum wage shall be paid is unconstitutional and interferes with the statutory laws of our State, that all contracts must be let to the lowest responsible bidder."

Mr. English:

"How would this interfere with the lowest responsible bidder obtaining the contract or contracts?"

Mr. O'Brien:

"The courts have always held that you must leave the contract open so that the contractor may employ any kind of labor that he can employ."

Mr. English:

"This bill does not interfere with the contractors at all. Under this bill all contractors would be on an even footing, as all would have to have competent men at the same cost, hence, no one contractor would be able to hire cheap labor and thus increase his profits at the expense of the public."

Mr. O'Brien:

"It is so provided in the statutes of Pennsylvania and held so in decisions rendered by the highest courts in the State."

Mr. English:

"Then, one more decision will not hurt. We should pass this ordinance and allow it to be tested out in the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania."

The Chair:

"Gentlemen, the bill is on second reading. Are there any further remarks?"

And on the question, "Shall the bill, as read a second time, be agreed to?"

Mr. Garland demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were ordered taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Henderson	Winters

Noes—Messrs.

Garland Rauh

When the name of Mr. Rauh was called, he arose and said:

"Mr. President, I vote No because the City Solicitor says the bill is not legal."

When the name of Mr. Winters was called, he arose and said:

"Mr. President, I vote Aye on this ordinance, because I believe these are times when conditions in the minds of men are changing in the world and things that were thought to be illegal yesterday are being construed as being properly legal today and consistent with modern thought."

"This is the time when standards are being adopted and rates of wages are being fixed in the interest of humanity. I don't believe that anybody can more properly discuss and fix these conditions and wages any better than those organized for that purpose."

"Manufacturers have found it beneficial for their own interest to organize, and why is it not proper for the workers for their own interests and welfare to organize, and then let both meet on some common ground, which would evolve a fair settlement to both?"

"This modern condition of mankind was recognized at the Peace Conference by the delegates there assembled in a way that the world has never recognized before, and we will be brought closer to European countries as the result of the final conclusions of the League of Nations than we have ever been before. Therefore, it behooves us in America to endeavor to keep up the standard of

wages and living conditions that have made America and the standard of American workmen higher than any other place in the world. I believe we should strive to keep up this standard, so that we may help those across the sea to attain it, rather than have our standard dragged down by pauper labor and other inequalities that exist on the other side."

"As every competing contractor would be compelled to base his hours and wages on the same scale, I don't believe there would be any disadvantage among the competitors."

"If this ordinance is illegal, as has been stated, let the courts so decide, and I shall be governed by their decision; but having in mind the opinion of many eminent men who believed they had knowledge of the law that the Adamson eight-hour law was unconstitutional and illegal and was later determined by the United States Supreme Court to be otherwise, it is just possible that such might prove to be the case again."

"I want to pledge my support to go as far as any man in Council to endeavor to maintain fair living conditions and a fair rate of wages to the laboring people of our community."

Ayes—6.

Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the third reading and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Henderson	Winters

Noes—Messrs.

Garland Rauh

When the name of Mr. Garland was called, he arose and said:

"Mr. President, in voting No, I want to be placed on record as saying that it is a deplorable spectacle to see Councilmen violating their oath of office in voting for this bill. They know they are violating their oath of office. Everybody knows such a law is unconstitutional. I defy any Councilman to go to a lawyer, and if he does, he will get an opinion

that this ordinance is a violation of the Constitution."

When the name of Mr. **McArdle** was called, he arose and said:

"Mr. President, I vote Aye, and in so doing I want to say that I don't believe that I am violating my oath of office in any regard, and that I believe the gentleman who made that statement may find himself just as much at variance with the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania as certain very wise men found themselves at variance with the United States Supreme Court regarding the Adamson eight-hour law."

When the name of Mr. **Rauh** was called he arose and said:

"Mr. President, I vote No for the same reason given when the bill was under consideration on second reading."

Ayes—6.

Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2869. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing, empowering and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a lease with Fred Seebick for the rental of the Duquesne Market, located on Duquesne way between Sixth and Seventh streets, City of Pittsburgh, and fixing the terms and compensation of said lease."

In Council, June 23, 1919. Bill read and laid over for the present.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. **English**, laid over until next week.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 3039. Report of the Committee on Finance for June 24, 1919, transmitting sundry resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2962. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants, not to exceed in the aggregate the sum of \$4,000.00, for the purpose of defraying the operating expenses of the Women's Employment Committee of the Council of National Defense, which shall be disbursed upon vouchers and payrolls to be approved and certified by the Mayor, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund until such time as Congress shall appropriate the necessary funds to defray the expenses of said committee.

Which was read.

Mr. **Garland** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2986. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants, from time to time, as the same are required, for the payment of expenditures incurred in the discharge of any duty assigned any member or committee of Council regularly appointed therefor, providing that the payroll issued in payment of the vouchers presented for payment of said expenses shall be certified by the City Clerk or his Assistant, and shall be payable from and charged to Appropriation Item 1005.

Which was read.

Mr. **Garland** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2720. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to satisfy the liens filed against property of Louisa and Jacob Horn, at M. L. D. Nos. 127 and 128, April Term, 1919, upon payment of \$125.00 assessment for construction of sewer on Spice street.

with interest, the costs thereof to be charged to the City.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2936. Resolution exonerating and exempting the Homewood Avenue M. E. Church from the payment of assessment of \$47.88, and interest, for the construction of a sewer on Cassina way, and directing the City Solicitor to file no lien on account thereof.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2959. Resolved That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfers from one code account to another in the Bureau of City Property:

From

Code Account No. 1569, Supplies, City-County Building\$1,000.00

Code Account No. 1572, Equipment, City-County Building....	450.00
Code Account No. 1589, Supplies, North Side Market.....	200.00
Code Account No. 1600 Equipment, South Side Market.....	50.00

\$1,700.00

To

Code Account No. 1570, Materials, City-County Building.....	\$1,000.00
Code Account No. 1582, Materials, Diamond Market.....	500.00
Code Account No. 1590, Materials, North Side Market.....	200.00

\$1,700.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2975. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,800.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A-1. Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1158, Item M, Special Secret Service Fund, Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also
Bill No. 2876. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for Lot No. 128, Broadhead street, Twelfth ward, to Peter McCullough for the sum of \$125.00.

In Finance Committee, June 24, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$125.00" and by inserting in lieu thereof, "\$225.00" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Henderson	Rauh
Garland	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2979. Whereas, It has been alleged from time to time that dependents of City employees serving in the United States Army during the war were not allowed the amount specified by the Act granting dependents one-half of employees' service, on the ground that they were not dependents; and

Whereas. Unavoidably, errors were made and dependents refused payment who were in need of the allotment.

Resolved, That Council direct a reopening of the cases of people who were denied the privilege and a reinvestigation of all claims presented shall be so instigated, and where errors are discovered, the allowance previously withheld be directed to be paid to City dependents.

In Finance Committee, June 24, 1919.

Read and amended by striking out the entire "Resolved" clause and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the following: "Resolved, That Council direct an investigation of all employees who served the Government during the war, whether their dependents were paid or not, and full and complete report made to the Council of all cases whose dependents were paid, as well as those whose dependents were not paid and those who received pay that had no dependents," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Henderson	

Noes—Mr.

McArdle

Ayes—7.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. English presented

No. 3040. Report of the Committee on Public Works for June 24, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2676. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the leasing of a building site of City property at the southwest corner of the Smithfield street bridge at Water street and Smithfield street, in the City of Pittsburgh, to George T. Byrne, and fixing the term, rental and conditions thereof."

In Public Works Committee, June 24, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1,

as shown in red and as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

That the amendments of the Public Works Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Noes—Mr.

Garland

Ayes—7.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2964. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and delivery of one (1) seven-ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller and one (1) five-ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller for the Asphalt Plants of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, and providing for the payment thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2970. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Welfer street, from Frank street to the existing sewer on Welfer street at a point about 300 feet east of Frank street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2972. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Eberhardt avenue, from Froman street to property line at the easterly terminus thereof, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2760. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Veronica street, from Sundeman street to the easterly line of John N. Straub's Plan of Lots and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with

the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2762. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of St. Martins street, from Birmingham street to Monastery street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2560. Whereas, In order to erect reviewing stands for the relatives of the returning soldiers, it was necessary to employ additional carpenters; and

Whereas, During the period of their employment a wage dispute between contractors and carpenters was settled, increasing the rate of current union wages from 80 cents per hour to 90 cents per hour; and

Whereas, When the carpenters so employed were paid, the amount so paid was based on the old rate; consequently they are entitled to an additional sum of 10 cents per hour for the period of employment as set forth in detail upon a payroll which has been prepared for approval; and

Whereas, It is the decision of the City Controller that he is not authorized to countersign warrants for the amount set

forth in the said payroll without authority of Council.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons, being amounts due them for services rendered to the City of Pittsburgh, and charge the same to Appropriation 1540, Wages, Temporary Employees, Boardwalks and Steps, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

John Schnellbacher, 65 hours at 10c.....	\$6.50
Thomas Connell, 55 hours at 10c.....	5.50
August Vestervick, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
A. L. Murphy, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
John White, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
W. M. Straw, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
A. B. Pennington 64 hours at 10c.....	6.40
A. Nelson, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
M. Lynch, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
John Mitch, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
C. W. Lieb, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
W. A. Shook, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
John Anderson, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
Andrew Johnson, 65c hours at 10c.....	6.50
Theodore Helms, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
F. E. Hontz, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
John Meyers, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
S. Laird, 75 hours at 10c.....	7.50
A. A. McKee, 47 hours at 10c.....	4.70
Wm. Stevenson, 47 hours at 10c.....	4.70
J. E. Fry, 47 hours at 10c.....	4.70
Wm. Wylie, 43 hours at 10c.....	4.30
David Martin 43 hours at 10c.....	4.30
J. W. Baker, 36 hours at 10c.....	3.60
Frank Smith, 34 hours at 10c.....	3.40

\$146.60

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2966. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of George Naismith & Son for \$699.10, for labor furnished in the construction of certain driers at the Asphalt

Plant of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1557, Repairs, Asphalt Plants.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

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Also

Bill No. 2961. Resolution granting permission to the Permanent Committee on Historical Records of the United Presbyterian Church to affix a suitable memorial tablet to the outer wall of the new Market House, the exact location of said tablet to be determined by the Director of the Department of Public Works, and the design of said tablet to be submitted to the Art Commission of the City of Pittsburgh for its approval before the affixing of the same; the United Presbyterian Church having been formed in May, 1853, at a meeting held in the Old City Hall, formerly located in the Market House.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

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Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. English also presented

No. 3041. Report of the Committee on Public Works for June 26, 1919 transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2963. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of the County of Allegheny to construct, operate and maintain a public highway tunnel, consisting of one tube, from a point beginning on the southerly side of Brownsville avenue opposite or nearly opposite South Third street, Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, to a point in the Eighteenth ward, Pittsburgh, opposite or nearly opposite the end of the improved West Liberty avenue, at or near the Bell House."

Which was read.

The Chair presented

No. 3042.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PA.

June 30, 1919.

To the Honorable, the
President and Members
of the City Council.

Gentlemen—Replying to your request for an expression of opinion from me on Bill No. 2963, an Ordinance authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners to construct a tunnel, etc., I beg to say:

I have been advised by the City Solicitor that this proposed action by the City is premature, because under the provisions of the County Tunnel Act of March 23, 1917, the consent of the City is not supposed to be given until the location of the tunnel is definitely fixed by legal action, consisting of submission of plans and surveys to the Court of Quarter Sessions and approval thereof by the Grand Jury and the said Court.

In the present case no plans have been submitted to the Court and the Grand Jury and, hence, an ordinance defining the route of said tunnel is certainly premature, as the plans may be changed or amended after submission to the Court, and might not, when definitely fixed, correspond at all with the route defined in the ordinance.

Of course, I am in favor of this South Hills tunnel as a splendid and much-needed improvement, but the present ordinance is "a cart before the horse" proposition, and should be held over until the time is ripe for proper action, when I shall be glad to give my approval to this measure.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. English, received and filed.

Also

No. 3043.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PA.

June 30, 1919.

Committee on Public Works,

City Council.

Gentlemen—I am returning you herewith copy of an ordinance granting the County of Allegheny the right to construct, operate and maintain a public tunnel extending from a point on Brownsville avenue opposite South Third street to a point on Warrington avenue near the Bell House Tavern.

After going carefully over the matter, I can see no objections to this, as far as this Department is concerned.

Yours very truly,

JOHN SWAN,
Director.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. English, received and filed.

Mr. Garland moved

That Bill No. 2963 be laid over for further information.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3044. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for June 24, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2809. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance accepting the dedication of certain property in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same 'Romanhoff street,' and establishing the grade thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley Herron (President)
English McArdle
Garland Rauh
Henderson Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3045. Report of the Committee on Filtration and Water for June 24 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with a negative recommendation,

Bill No. 2814. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James J. Crowley, assistant filter attendant, Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, for \$60.00, on account of 15 days' lost time, from March 16 to March 30, 1919, due to sickness contracted while on duty, and charging same to Code Account No. 1644, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 3046. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for June 24, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2953. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile truck for the Bureau of Electricity, City of Pittsburgh, Pa."

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

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Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2974. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for remodeling and repairing Engine House No. 11, Bureau of Fire."

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

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Henderson Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2955. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
American Atmos Corporation	\$ 2.10	1166
American Typewriter Inspection Co.	1.50	1166
D. A. Butler.....	44.00	1147
Bertram G. Case.....	60.62	1166
Dixon Motor Co.....	2.50	1166
Duquesne Light Co.....	3.00	1163
Charles H. Garlick.....	3.00	1163

J. L. Harman & Sons.....	56.00	1147
A. H. Johnson.....	65.60	1166
Keystone Laundry Co.....	185.45	1163
J. F. Logue.....	16.00	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co..	29.00	1166
Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.....	8.00	1147
Terheyden Co.....	2.50	1166
Underwood Typewriter Co.	1.00	1163
Underwood Typewriter Co.	29.05	1166
Wadsworth Stone & Pav- ing Co.....	63.00	1166
Winton Co.....	7.55	1166

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2956. Resolution authorizing and empowering the Director of the Department of Public Safety to detail a detective of the Bureau of Police to the City of Chicago, Ill., for the purpose of making a thorough investigation in that city, with the view of recovering stolen bonds now located there, and returning the same to owners who are citizens of Pittsburgh; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of \$100.00, and to be charged to Code Account No. 1158, Item M, Special Secret Service Fund, Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
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Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2976. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following named persons:

Name.	Amount.	Code Account.
Edwin L. Allen.....	\$ 41.60	1158-M
Ray Detective Agency.	1,254.00	1158-M

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3047. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Leigh W. Pringle in the sum of \$58.32, for salary from June 9 to 22, 1919, both inclusive, in the Division of Transit Commission, Department of the Mayor, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 1041, Salaries, Regular Employees.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the following members be excused for absence from Council and Committee meetings:

Mr. Burke on May 12, 1919.

Mr. English on May 21, and June 3, 4, 9 and 26, 1919.

Mr. Garland on May 26 and 27, and June 4, 10, 11, 23, 24 and 26, 1919.

Mr. Rauh on May 27 and June 24, 1919.

Mr. Robertson on May 13, and June 3, 4, 11, 16 and 26, 1919.

Mr. Winters on May 20, and June 3, 4, 18 and 24, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. Garland,
Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, July 7, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Absent—Mr.

Dalley

The **Chair** stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, June 30, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. **Garland** moved

That the minutes of the meeting for Monday, June 30, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. **English** presented

No. 3048. An Ordinance repealing that portion of Ordinance No. 213, Series 1917, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for repaving certain avenues,

streets and ways, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved May 19, 1917, which pertains to Shiloh street, from Virginia avenue to Southern avenue; Shiloh street, from Grandview avenue to Sycamore street; and Thirty-second street, from Penn avenue to Liberty avenue.

Also

No. 3049. Resolution approving the extra of \$1,219.91 on the contract between the City of Pittsburgh and the Thos. Cronin Company, for the grading, paving and curbing of Federal street, from Perrysville avenue to Lafayette avenue, as certified by the Department of Public Works, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 3050. An Ordinance providing for the payment to such employees of the City of Pittsburgh, as enlisted or were drafted into the military, naval or marine service of the United States during the recent war, of one-half of the increase of the salary or wages of their respective positions for the period of time they were in said military, naval or marine service, and authorizing the proper officers of the City to make the necessary payrolls for the payment thereof.

Also

No. 3051. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the Chronicle Telegraph Publishing Company for \$235.20, and the Neeb-Hirsch Company for \$25.00 for certain publications in these papers, and charging same to Code Accounts No. 42 and No. 1301, respectively.

Also

No. 3052. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,604.26 from Appropriation No. 1027, Civic and War

Committee, to Appropriation No. 1540, Wages, Temporary Employees, Boardwalks and Steps, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3053. Petition for the vacation of Ionic way, in the Eleventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh, as shown on John Flite's Second Amended Plan of "Luella Place," between Mellon street and the westerly line of said plan.

Also

No. 3054. An Ordinance vacating Ionic way, in the Eleventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh, as shown on John Flite's Second Amended Plan of "Luella Place," between Mellon street and the westerly line of said plan.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3055. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following for services rendered the City and supplies furnished different City departments:

Name.	Amount.	Code Account.
Chas. A. Finley.....	\$.50	1640 Repairs
Otis Elevator Co.....	7.20	1583 E-10
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Wm. G. Johnston & Co.....	149.40	1027-M
Rising & Radcliffe..	146.50	1027-M
Standard Auto Supply Co.....	327.20	1032

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3056. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Howard B. Allen.....	\$127.00	1163
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh, Inc.	883.58	1160
William Bennett	127.00	1163
Keystone Laundry Co.....	6.31	1130
Chas. B. Prichard.....	127.00	1163

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3057. Resolution authorizing

ing the issuing of a warrant in favor of G. F. Groff for \$139.00, being amount paid for repairing automobile which was damaged by auto patrol running into it on Sunday, February 23, 1914 and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3058. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Grandview avenue and on the east sidewalk and roadway of Olympia street, from points about 300 feet east and west of Olympia street to the existing sewer on Olympia street south of Piado way, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3059. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the northwest sidewalk of McCandless street, from a point about 560 feet northeast of Fifty-fourth street to the existing sewer on the northwest sidewalk of McCandless street at Fifty-third street, with a branch sewer on the southeast sidewalk of McCandless street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 3060. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Weldon & Kelly, Incorporated, for the sum of \$150.32, in payment of claim for extending the sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line in front of the property of George A. Mazon, 5827 Aylesboro avenue, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

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Also

No. 3061. Resolution approving the extra of \$148.50 on the contract between the City of Pittsburgh and the Mannella Construction Company for the construction of a sewer on the southwest sidewalk of Jackson street, from a point about 70 feet southeast of Highview street to the existing sewer on Heth's avenue, as certified by the Department of Public Works, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

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No. 3062. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Edward Boobyer in the sum of \$68.44, being 50 per cent. of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate on his property at 68 Marlon street, First ward, for the quarter ending July 2, 1918, and for the quarter ending October 1, 1918.

Also

No. 3063. Resolution authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to have the property known as the McCann playground, situate on Forbes street, Fourth ward, graded and improved so that it can be used for playground purposes, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to set aside \$500.00 in Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, for the payment of said improvement.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance

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No. 3064. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Ochiltree Electric Company for \$720.00 in payment for extra work in installing electric wiring at the North Side Market, and charging same to Code Account 1592½ Structural and Non-structural Improvements to the North Side Market.

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Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Winters presented

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Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

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Which was read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

The Chair presented

No. 3070. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the Reath Heirs for \$275.00; Philip Fitzgibbon for \$265.00; Magdalena Kossler for \$315.00, and the Carlin Heirs for \$265.00, for expenses and costs for procuring the services of attorneys and witnesses in the proceedings before the Board of Viewers on the ordinance widening and changing the grade of Carson street West, and charging the same to Appropriation No. _____

Also

No. 3071. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue exoneration in favor of the Kingsley Association, exempting said association from the payment of all water charges, rates and penalties on its property in the Third ward up to and including August 1, 1919.

Also

No. 3072. Report of John J. McKelvey, Director of the Department of Charities, on Bill No. 2979, Resolution requesting a report from all departments as to whether the dependents of City employees who entered the service of their country were paid half salary or not, as well as those whose dependents were not paid and those who received pay that had no dependents.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3073. Petition of property owners for the repaving of Davenport street, in the Fifth ward.

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Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3069. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$47,760.62 for the removal of 4,547.125 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 5,790.125 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$13,789.29 for the removal of 1,457.15 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 1,579.825 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, during the month of June, 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

The Chair presented

No. 3070. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the Reath Heirs for \$275.00; Philip Fitzgibbon for \$265.00; Magdalena Kossler for \$315.00, and the Carlin Heirs for \$265.00, for expenses and costs for procuring the services of attorneys and witnesses in the proceedings before the Board of Viewers on the ordinance widening and changing the grade of Carson street West, and charging the same to Appropriation No. _____

Also

No. 3071. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue exoneration in favor of the Kingsley Association, exempting said association from the payment of all water charges, rates and penalties on its property in the Third ward up to and including August 1, 1919.

Also

No. 3072. Report of John J. McKelvey, Director of the Department of Charities, on Bill No. 2979, Resolution requesting a report from all departments as to whether the dependents of City employees who entered the service of their country were paid half salary or not, as well as those whose dependents were not paid and those who received pay that had no dependents.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3073. Petition of property owners for the repaving of Davenport street, in the Fifth ward.

Also

No. 3074. Remonstrance against the grading, paving and curbing of Mc-

Candless avenue, from Fifty-third street to Fifty-sixth street.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3075. Communication from Francis Feehan, supervising inspector of the State Department of Labor and Industry, thanking Council for the use of the Council Chamber on May 20 and 21, 1919, for a meeting of employers and employees of the building industry in the City of Pittsburgh and vicinity.

Which was read.

Mr. Bauh moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3076.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, July 7, 1919.

President and Members
of Council of the

City of Pittsburgh.

Dear Sirs—For your information be advised that I have asked our representatives at Washington to try to arrange with the War Department for the retention in Pittsburgh of our soldier boys that are now confined in the hospital at Parkview. I suggested that probably all or a part of these Pittsburgh and Allegheny County boys could be provided for in the Marine Hospital in Arsenal Park instead of being transported away from home and then back again when they get well.

If this movement meets with your approval and you can think of anything to help in the matter, your co-operation is solicited.

Very respectfully yours.

E. V. BABCOCK.

Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I have prepared a resolution on this subject, which I will present for the consideration of Council under Motions and Resolutions."

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication from the Mayor be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair:

"Gentlemen, Mr. C. K. Robinson, our Special Assistant City Solicitor, is present and desires to say a few words to Council. If there are no objections, we will hear from him now."

Mr. C. K. Robinson said:

"Mr. President and Gentlemen of Council, in connection with the matter of concluding the work of the claims between the City and the Duquesne Light Company, it seems to me that the situation is worthy of a formal report, and I asked Mr. Pike if he would prepare such a report so that it could be filed with the City in order that it would be a matter of record and that subsequent use could be made of it. Mr. Pike has completed this report and is ready to file a copy with Council. I have asked Mr. Pike to prepare a summary showing, first, those things that have been accomplished with regard to the Duquesne Light Company and what yet remains to be done, and this he has done. I think it would be wise to make this report a part of the official Minutes of Council. In addition to the copy which Mr. Pike will file with you, a copy will be filed in the Mayor's office and a copy in the Law Department. I would suggest that Mr. Pike give you a short statement on what has been done and what will be done."

The Chair:

"We will be glad to hear from Mr. Pike."

Mr. Clayton W. Pike arose and said:

"Mr. President and Members of Council, the summary of my report upon the Duquesne Light Company shows what has been done as well as what should be done and, if I am permitted, I will read the summary."

Mr. Pike then read the summary of his report.

The Chair presented

No. 3077. Report on Duquesne Light Company to Charles K. Robinson, Special Assistant City Solicitor of the City of Pittsburgh, by Clayton W. Pike, consulting electrical engineer, 1109 Finance Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

SUMMARY OF REPORT UPON DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY.

WHAT HAS BEEN SECURED.

REDUCTION IN RATES.

Arc lamp prices per year reduced \$7.50 for overhead circuits and \$10.50 for underground circuits.

Annual saving to City at same coal price, over \$40,000.00.

New specifications providing for replacement of obsolete lamps and increased use of incandescent lamps in accordance with prevailing tendency.

Residence rates reduced approximately 20 per cent., and now as favorable as in any other comparable city.

Commercial lighting and power rates reduced approximately 7 per cent.

Saving to consumers estimated by company as \$600,000.00.

ASSURANCE OF COMPANY'S FUTURE POLICY.

In the negotiations leading to the recent rate reduction the company promised to set aside an adequate depreciation allowance, replace or discard obsolete equipment, maintain the properties properly, build a large, efficient generating station at Cheswick; make further rate reductions commensurate with the economies effected; furnish City officials freely with information concerning the company's progress. This, together with the company's statement that they are now keeping their accounts in complete accord with Public Service Commission's standard accounts, will provide valuable and hitherto unavailable knowledge for future negotiations.

An understanding was reached with the president of the company that property purchased from surplus earnings would not be included in the total capital upon which the company should receive a return.

PARTIAL VALUATION OF COMPANY'S PROPERTY.

An examination of a large part of the company's equipment has been made and considerable information collected of its age and condition. From this has been calculated the approximate cost of this part of the company's property, which information has been made available for future use.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FUTURE ACTION.

THINGS TO BE DONE BY THE COMPANY.

Replace several hundred obsolete arcs now in use with modern arcs as provided in street lighting contract.

Expend larger sums for maintenance to make up for deficiencies during war period, due to lack of labor.

Improve Brunot's Island power station by replacing any obsolete or inadequate equipment with modern equipment. Increase present capacity of boilers, feed water heaters and super-heaters, and secure further operating economies in ash-handling arrangements.

Complete new power station at Cheswick as promptly as possible and thereupon shut down the present smaller and less efficient generating stations and dispose of the portions not needed for substations.

THINGS TO BE DONE BY THE CITY.

Provision should be made for an organization which could deal with all

phases of public utility supervision and regulation. This is especially important in view of the promises made by the company respecting its future policy in the matter of maintenance, replacement of obsolete equipment, new construction and in the matter of financial policy.

The City should procure from the company the information requested but not yet furnished. It should also obtain from the company complete statements set up in accordance with the present requirements of the Public Service Commission in the matter of accounting, and all of this information should be carefully analyzed and digested. Since the recent adjustment is not a final one, the question of future rates should be considered from time to time as developments occur which would affect the cost of production, and the whole situation should be re-examined and reconsidered when the new power station has been placed in operation and inefficient and obsolete equipment discarded.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

That the report be received and filed and the summary of the report be printed in full in the Record, and that Mr. C. K. Robinson and Mr. Clayton W. Pike be congratulated for the efficient work they have done in this matter.

The motion prevailed.

Mr. Robertson arose and said:

"Mr. President, I would like to ask Mr. Robinson if he has ever made an investigation in regard to the 20 per cent. increase in telephone rates as announced by the Bell Telephone Company?"

Mr. Robinson:

"Mr. President, in answer to Mr. Robertson, I would state that an effort was made by the State Public Service Commission to prevent not only the increased telephone, but the increased telegraph rates going into effect, through the United States court, and their efforts in this direction were defeated. I am not familiar with the details and am not clear as to the City's rights in this matter, as the telephone and telegraph systems of the country are under Government control and operated through Presidential proclamation by Postmaster General Burlison. I assume that as soon as the companies are returned to their private owners the matter will be subject to a formal complaint."

Mr. Robertson:

"My idea is that you keep in touch with the situation and at the proper time you, as head of the Public Utility Litigation Division of the Law Department, attack these rates."

Mr. Robertson moved

That the Special Assistant City Solicitor (Mr. C. K. Robinson) be prepared to protest the rates as scheduled by the Bell Telephone Company after he has made a thorough investigation into the matter.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3048. Report of the Committee on Finance for June 30, 1919, transmitting sundry papers to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2755. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance demising and leasing to the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society the grounds belonging to the City east of the Union bridge and extending eastwardly along Duquesne way up to Third street from the street line to low water line of the Allegheny river, until January 1, 1940, and providing conditions of lease."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3005. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile for the City Treasurer's office, Pittsburgh, Pa."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3009. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Charities of the City of Pittsburgh to advertise for and award to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders a contract or contracts for the construction of an extension to the present coal-handling machinery in the power house at the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa., and setting aside the sum of four thousand (\$4,000.00) dollars for the payment of the cost thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3011. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing partial payments to be made to M. O'Herron Company for the grading, regrading, paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving Carson street West."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2937. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of T. R. Williams in the sum of \$98.47, for cleaning out main sewer in front of his property at 6820 Thomas boulevard, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3028. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James L. Stuart in the amount of \$1,927.17, being for services of P. Cryder from June 11, 1918, to June 12, 1919, as elevator maintenance man in the City-County Building, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3047. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Leigh W. Pringle in the sum of \$58.32, for salary from June 9 to June 22, 1919, both inclusive, in the Division of Transit Commission, Department of the Mayor, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1041, Salaries, Regular Employees.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the

votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2978. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Mary E. Schenley Estate in the sum of \$1,052.57, refunding water rents paid on property at 2543 to 2553 Allegheny Valley Railroad, in the Second ward, for the years 1917, 1918 and 1919, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2591. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John Drhew for the sum of \$302.05, refunding City taxes on property at corner of Perrysville avenue and Semicir street, which was condemned by the School District of Pittsburgh, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding City Taxes.

In Finance Committee, July 2, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$302.05" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$179.11" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Henderson	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2929. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Mary Goldstein and Sarah Paper in the sum of \$16.08, being one-half of the excess of the meter rate over what the former flat rate charge would have been on property at 2316½ Bedford avenue, Fifth ward.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2969. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for Lot No. 91, located in John Harrison's Plan, on Vesper street, Fifth ward to Casper Kujawa, for the sum of \$300.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2796. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for Lot No. 56 in M. M. Shirk Heirs Plan of Lots. Twenty-fourth ward, on north side of Goehring avenue, to Charles Beran, for the sum of \$85.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3007. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund, to Appropriation No. 1048, Supplies, and the sum of \$300.00 from Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund, to No. 1051, Equipment and Machinery.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3010. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$11,000.00 from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving Division of Streets, to No. 1419-D, Castings, General Office, Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3020. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1555, Supplies, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1558, to provide for the payment of tandem rollers for the Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2925. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for Lot No. 227, located on Camelia street, Tenth ward, to Henry Hund for the sum of \$150.00.

In Finance Committee, July 2, 1919. Read and amended by adding at the end of the resolution the words "plus the street improvement" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2924. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for Lot No. 123, located on Kendall street, Tenth ward, to Mrs. Ethel Hocsis for the sum of \$50.00."

In Finance Committee, July 1, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the word "Hocsis" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the word "Kocsis" and by strik-

ing out "\$50.00" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$75.00," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2830. Whereas, Mary A. Rodgers is the owner of a tract of property fronting on West Liberty avenue 30 feet and extending back 212.92 feet on one line and 208.32 feet on the other line at an even width of 30 feet, said lot being marked and identified on the Viewers' plan as V-104; that, in the grading, paving and curbing and the construction of a storm sewer on West Liberty avenue the City built a 42-inch brick sewer out over the lot of the said Mary A. Rodgers for a distance of about 60 feet from the westerly side or line of West Liberty avenue; and

Whereas, The said Mary A. Rodgers at the time the hearings were held for the grading, paving and curbing and sewerage of West Liberty avenue before the Board of Viewers, not having had notice of the City taking a portion of her lot for the 42-inch brick sewer, made no claim for damage for the same, and the Board of Viewers having no evidence before them, assessed the property for grading, paving and curbing the sum of \$189.00, which assessment is now a lien against the property filed at M. L. D. No. 179, January Term, 1918; and

Whereas, Mary A. Rodgers has agreed to waive all claims for damages by the

construction of the 42-inch sewer out over her lot for a distance of 60 feet upon the City relieving her from the payment of the above-mentioned lien in the sum of \$189.00, with interest and costs; and

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh, by the Law Department, after careful examination of the premises, recommends the settlement of the case as suggested, the damages offsetting the lien, interest and costs; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor is hereby directed to satisfy the lien against the property of Mary A. Rodgers filed at M. L. D. No. 179, January Term, 1918, in the sum of \$189.00 and interest, the costs to be paid by the City of Pittsburgh.

In Finance Committee, July 1, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the entire clause beginning, "Now, therefore, be it Resolved," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the following: "Resolved, That, upon the execution and delivery of a written release and waiver by the said Mary A. Rodgers to the City of Pittsburgh of all claims, demands, actions and suits arising out of the construction of the said 42-inch sewer on her lot or the taking of her property for the same, that the City Solicitor is hereby directed to satisfy the lien against the property of Mary A. Rodgers filed at M. L. D. No. 179, January Term, 1918, in the sum of \$189.00 and interest, the costs to be paid by the City of Pittsburgh," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council

being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2977. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance directing the Directors of the several departments of the City government to allow to employees who were in the United States army during the world war and who were working at the time of entering the army under a graduated wage salary the same benefit that would accrue to them if they had continued in the City Service."

In Finance Committee, July 1, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1 by inserting after the words "in the army" the words "navy and Marine Corps," and by striking out the words "navy or marines" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "navy or Marine Corps," and in the title by inserting after the word "army" the words "navy and Marine Corps," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. English presented

No. 3079. Report of the Committee on Public Works for July 2, 1919, transmitting sundry papers to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3012. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a contract with the W. W. Lawrence & Company, a corporation of the State of Pennsylvania, and owner of certain property, including a six-story warehouse building on the northeast side of Carson street West, in the Nineteenth ward, City; relating to the construction of an arcade over the sidewalk and to the making of various changes and alterations in said building, so as to provide a continuous sidewalk for the use of the public, and providing the conditions and payment of the cost thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time

Mr. McArdle at this time arose and asked the Clerk if the Controller and the Law Department had agreed that "West Carson Street Improvement Bonds, 1919," as shown in the bill, was the correct appropriation from which to charge the work done under this contract.

The Clerk stated

That both the City Controller and the City Solicitor had agreed that this appropriation was correct.

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 3002. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, to hire automobile trucks and wagons and teams

when required, and providing for the payment thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3013. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of a retaining wall on Leander street, between Rust way and the westerly terminus thereof, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3031. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts jointly with the County Commissioners for additional work on the City-County Building, and providing for the payment of the cost of the City's share thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2805. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Armitage way, from North Fairmount street to the easterly terminus at a point 216.33 feet eastwardly therefrom, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2847. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Melwood street, from Ridgway street to Denver street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 3003. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following for automobile trucks hired by the Bureau of Highways

and Sewers for hauling asphalt for repair work on the streets of the City, and charging same to Appropriation Item 1554:

Nelson & Smeltz, 1268 Blackadore avenue	\$ 525.00
Wm. A. Hoff	1,228.00
H. S. Moorhead & Co., 220 South Highland avenue	644.00
Edw. M. Horen, 6371 Penn avenue	714.00
J. I. Malroye, 320 Sackett street	663.25

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3004. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Matthew Ott & Co. for the sum of \$312.00, for extra work done on the contract for the construction of a sewer on Pear way, private properties, etc., from Pear way to Saw Mill Run, and charging same to Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, Pear Way Sewer Contract No. 5072.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3021. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Bernard Gloekler Company in the amount of \$955.00, in payment of extra work in installation of new meat stalls at the South Side Market, and charging same to Code Account 1599.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3022. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Booth & Flinn, Ltd., for the sum of \$239.09, for recurring Graeme street, from Market place to Fifth avenue, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also
Bill No. 3023. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Jeo Bellisario in the amount of \$36.80, for extra work, and charging the same to Code Account No. 1476-E, item, "Construction of a sewer on the private property of the City (Soho Playgrounds) and the northwest sidewalk of Wyandotte street, from a point about 435 feet north of Wyandotte street to the existing sewer on Moultrie street."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3080. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for July 2, 1919, transmitting several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2998. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance designating 'Adaza way' as the name of an unnamed twenty-foot way laid out in E. G. Moony's Plan of Lots, in the Seventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Akron way westwardly to the westerly line of the plan, and establishing the grade thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2999. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade of Akron way, from Alder street to the southerly line of Edward G. Mooney Plan of Lots."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3000. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Dunkirk street, from North Fairmount street 272 feet eastwardly to the easterly line of the A. J. Davis Estate Plan."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3025. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade on Marshall avenue, from Perrysville avenue to Goshen street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3026. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on Marshall avenue, from Brighton road to a point 400.89 feet eastwardly therefrom."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 3081. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for July 2, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3001. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charging the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
John T. Elliott.....	\$20.00	1147
Mrs. Ellen C. Monahan ..	16.50	1150

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	Robertson

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Robertson moved

That Council hold a conference with the City Controller not later than Wednesday, July 9, 1919, in relation to holding up of street improvement contracts.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. English presented

No. 3082. Whereas, It has been reported that Parkview Hospital No. 24 is to be closed and the soldier patients are to be removed to Carlisle, Pa.; and

Whereas, This would be a great hardship to the relatives of the 65 Pittsburgh men who are now at Parkview Hospital No. 24; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Council of Pittsburgh hereby urge the six Congressmen of Allegheny County, Messrs. Burke, Campbell, Garland, Kelly, Morin and Porter, to make a strenuous effort to accomplish the following:

First—Endeavor to keep the Parkview Hospital open if possible.

Second—If Parkview Hospital cannot be kept open, try to have the patients from Pittsburgh and vicinity transferred to the United States Government Marine Hospital, located in Pittsburgh, or transferred to some of the other Pittsburgh Hospitals; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Clerk telegraph this resolution immediately to the six Congressmen and follow with confirming letters.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3083. Petition of citizens and taxpayers of the Eighth ward (Bloomfield) requesting that favorable consideration be given to the project to provide a playground and recreational center for the Bloomfield district.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. Garland, received and filed.

Also

No. 3084. Whereas, A large number of residents of the Bloomfield section have petitioned Council for the location of a playground in that part of the City; therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of City Council, in session assembled, that, as the Bloomfield section is one of the most thickly populated in the City and populated almost entirely by small home owners, that it should be given sincere consideration in the purchase of any additional grounds that is made out of

the bond issue, if that item is approved by the people on Tuesday, July 8, 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3085. Whereas, Public announcement has been made of the intention of the War Department to offer for sale to municipalities certain stocks of food supplies purchased for the use of the army and being no longer needed because of the ending of the war; and

Whereas, The War Department has expressed its willingness to sell at a fixed percentage below cost price to the government these food supplies to municipalities conditioned upon the re-sale by the municipalities of said food supplies to the general public at cost; and

Whereas, This offer by the government through the War Department may furnish an opportunity for the City to render a public service to its citizens in the purchase and re-sale of said food supplies and also by the purchase for the use of municipally-operated institutions of said food supplies; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies be requested to confer with the heads of the departments operating municipal institutions and then investigate the offer of the government in relation to the possible purchase and re-sale to its citizens of the food supplies offered; and, in the event of said investigation proving the wisdom of such a course, that they be empowered to take such steps as may be necessary and possible under the law to take advantage of the said government offer.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. English presented

No. 3086.

CITY OF BOSTON TRANSIT DEPARTMENT.

Boston, June 23, 1919.

W. Y. English, Esq.,

Council of the

City of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Mr. English—Great pressure of business must be my excuse for the delay in sending you, as promised, answers to the questions which you left with me. This department is moving its offices and is otherwise in a transition stage

in respect to new work which it is expecting to take on, and some correspondence which should have received attention has been neglected. I regret delay and now proceed to state your questions and to give brief answers to the same:

1—What year was the first subway started in Boston and what was its cost?

The construction of the first subway in Boston, known as the Tremont street subway, began March 28, 1895, and its cost was \$4,126,000.00.

2—What year was each additional subway opened for use, and what was the cost of each?

	Cost
East Boston tunnel, opened for public use Dec. 30, 1904.....	\$ 3,328,000.00
Washington street tunnel, opened for public use Nov. 30, 1908.....	7,996,000.00
Cambridge connection, opened for public use Mar. 23, 1912.....	1,452,000.00
Dorchester tunnel, opened for public use June 29, 1918.....	10,875,000.00
Boylston street subway, opened for public use Oct. 3, 1914.....	5,232,000.00
East Boston tunnel extension, opened for public use Mar. 18, 1916.....	2,290,000.00

3—What were the rentals of each subway, or the average of all rentals?

Four and one-half per cent. per annum on the net cost in all cases with the exception of the Cambridge connection, which is at the rate of 4% per cent., and the East Boston tunnel, which is $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1 per cent. for each year of the gross receipts of the operating company; excepting, further, as stated under No. 14, that the rental of the Tremont street subway for the first twenty years was 4% per cent.

4—Are there any sources of revenue to the city from subways in addition to rentals received from operating companies (such as advertising, locations for pipe lines, electric wires, etc.)?

There are no additional sources of revenue outside of rentals paid by the operating company. The advertising privilege, under certain restrictions, is controlled by the operating company under the lease.

5—What is the total amount the city has now invested in subways, and is the revenue received sufficient to take care of the bonded debt issued to cover the cost of construction?

The total amount of the investment is \$35,540,000.00. The rentals cover all interest charges. There is a slight deficiency in meeting the sinking fund charge to retire all bonds at maturity

out of the rentals, due to abnormally high rates which the city was obliged to pay upon certain loans issued under unfavorable market conditions.

6—Was the amount invested in the first subway a good investment for the public as a relief from street congestion alone, aside from the benefits of securing rapid transit?

It is my own opinion, and I think would be the general opinion of the public, that this expenditure was certainly a good investment from the standpoint of relief from street congestion, but, of course, it is very difficult to separate street congestion from rapid transit and to treat the two questions entirely independently.

7—Has the experience of Boston shown that the original opposition to the construction of subways was based upon fanciful or imaginary objections rather than upon facts? Is the original opposition now reconciled to the subway system, and are its advantages now admitted by all?

I think that it would be almost universally admitted that the original opposition to subways was not based upon any grounds which have been justified by events. I should say that the original opponents were either dead or reconciled.

8—Did the construction and operation of subways tend to appreciate or depreciate abutting and adjacent property?

On the whole, and in the aggregate, I think there is no doubt appreciation has resulted; in some cases to a very marked degree. It is, of course, true that disturbance during construction has in many instances caused loss to owners or tenants of abutting property beyond damages legally recoverable.

9—Did the construction and operation of elevated lines appreciate or depreciate abutting and adjacent property?

There can be no doubt that, upon the whole, the construction and operation of elevated railways in Boston has depreciated the abutting and closely adjacent property; though, on the other hand, there may have been considerable appreciation in outlying districts beyond elevated railway terminal stations, due to the provision of rapid transit. Very large damages have been paid, aside from the cost of land takings, for injury to property through the operation of elevated railways and, of course, such damages have been to some extent an offsetting element.

10—What was the construction cost of the first subway built in Boston, and what was the amount paid for property damages outside of construction?

The construction cost of the first subway was \$3,643,000.00, and the amount

paid for damages to property was \$483,000.00.

11—Were the property damages allowed considered as a loss or waste, and did such damages exceed the engineers' estimates?

Damages to property may, of course, be in many cases regarded as a loss or waste, particularly where easements only are taken. Apparently there were no formal engineers' estimates as to the amount of probable property damages from the construction of the Tremont street subway.

12—Has the experience of Boston been such as to afford grounds for an expression of opinion as to the wisdom of the ownership of subways by the public rather than by the companies engaged in the business of transportation?

I think that it can be stated with confidence that public opinion in Boston would be substantially unanimous in supporting the wisdom of public ownership of subways, whatever arrangements may be made for their lease or operation. The only exception to public construction and ownership of subways has been the Cambridge tunnel, connecting the center of the subway system of Boston at Park street with Harvard square, Cambridge, which, as to the portion lying within the limits of Cambridge, was constructed at an expense of about eight million dollars by the street railway company and owned by that company. The purchase of this privately-owned tunnel by the public has been very strongly advocated and has been recommended for several years, although a bill for the purpose has recently, and somewhat unexpectedly, failed in one branch of our Legislature after being recommended by committees and passing the other branch.

13—Was a lease of the first subway built in Boston, fixing the rental, executed by the street railway company and by the city before the people voted to authorize its construction?

No; the lease was only executed after the vote of the people.

14—Has experience under the lease of the first subway shown its terms to have been advantageous to the public or otherwise?

I do not think that the advantages of the terms of this lease to the public could be seriously questioned. Among other features the rental was fixed at 4% per cent. for a term of twenty years from the beginning of use (September 1, 1897), whereas in subsequent leases, executed before construction, the rental in nearly every case has been fixed by the Legislature at 4½ per cent.

15—Has the first subway constructed by Boston been abandoned or is it still in use?

The first subway, known as the Tremont street subway, has been improved and extended in various respects, particularly as to station accommodations, connections, etc., and it is still in very active use.

16—Does public opinion now condemn the construction of the first subway?

Emphatically no. On the other hand, it would be difficult to conceive how the present growth of Boston could have been attained without the construction of this subway.

17—Has the City of Boston abandoned any part of its subway system as having been a mistake?

Emphatically no. There have only been minor adaptations and provisions for new uses and needs to render the system better and more complete from an operating standpoint.

Yours very truly,

JOSIAH QUINCY,

Chairman.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

That the communication be received and filed and printed in full in the Record.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. Robertson,
Council adjourned.

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COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, July 14, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Absent—Mr.
English

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3087. An Ordinance establishing the grade of Hoffers way, from Arthur street to Roberts street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3088. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1113. Salaries, Art Commission, to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3089. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from Code

Account No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1033, Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles, and \$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1032, Materials, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Also

No. 3090. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to continue the employment of D. A. Toomey temporarily as stenographer-clerk in the General Office of the Department of Law for a period of 4½ months, beginning August 17, 1919, at a salary of \$132.50 per month, payable semi-monthly, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$596.25 from Code Account 1074 (Miscellaneous), Department of Law, to Code Account 1073 (Salaries), Department of Law.

Also

No. 3091. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to set aside an additional sum of \$6,168.31 from Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, for the purpose of paying the final estimate of the contract for the construction of a 36-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street and private properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, from a point about 275 feet northwest of Foster street to the Allegheny river, same code account, and authorizing the issuing of warrants drawn in payment of the final estimate of said contract.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3092. An Ordinance widening Jackson street, in the Eleventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from North Highland avenue to North Euclid avenue, and re-establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned there-

by be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3093. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Forsythe street, from a point about 20 feet west of Mullins street to the existing sewer on Forsythe street at Annis way, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3094. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading to a width of 40 feet, paving and curbing of Fordham avenue, from Pioneer avenue to a point 330 feet southeastwardly from Queensboro avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3095. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading to certain widths, paving and curbing of Fremont place, from Mackinaw avenue to Broadway, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3096. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading to a width of 38 feet, paving and curbing of Mackinaw avenue, from Saranac avenue to Wenzell avenue, and the construction of a storm sewer for the drainage thereof, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3097. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, regrading, paving, repaving, curbing, recurb-ing and otherwise improving to the re-established lines and grades of Webster avenue, from Fullerton street to Roberts street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3098. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Cowan street, from a point about 20 feet west of Dilworth street to the existing sewer on Prospect

street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3099. Petition of the Nineteenth Ward Memorial Association, asking for dedication of City property on Grandview avenue for the purpose of erecting a memorial to the soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the world's war.

Also

No. 3100. Resolution granting the consent of the City of Pittsburgh to the Nineteenth Ward Memorial Association to erect a memorial to the men of the Fifteenth Zone who served their country in the world's war on property belonging to the City of Pittsburgh abutting on Grandview avenue, Mount Washington (now under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Parks, Department of Public Works), subject to such restrictions as may be found necessary by the Director of the Department of Public Works and to such approval as may be required by law by the Art Commission.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 3101. Communication from Joseph M. Coll, offering to pay an annual rental of \$4,000.00 for the use of the Duquesne Market property as a garage.

Also

No. 3102. Petition of property owners and residents asking that a playground be established in the vicinity of Forward avenue at Whittaker and Naylor streets.

Also

No. 3103. Petition of Ira H. Edmundson, Elvin R. Edmundson, Rand M. Edmundson, Zilla Burkhart, Blanche E. Herron and Carrie Stadtfeld for reconveyance of property bought in by the City at Sheriff's sale situate in the Fifteenth ward on Dike street and Dupont street, upon the payment of the sum of \$345.93 to the City Treasurer.

Also

No. 3104. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to make, execute and deliver a deed to Carrie Stadtfeld, Zilla Burkhart, Blanche E. Herron, Elvin R. Edmundson, Ira H. Edmundson and Rand M. Edmundson, their heirs and assigns, for Lots Nos. 40 and 41 in Hugh S. Fleming's Plan of Lots, in the Fifteenth ward, situate on the northeasterly side of Dike street, and also a deed to Ira H. Edmundson, his heirs and assigns, for Lots 196, 197,

157 and part of Lot 156 in A. R. Neeb's Plan, situate in the Fifteenth ward, on the southeasterly side of Dupont street, upon the payment of the sum of \$345.93 in cash to the City Treasurer.

Also

No. 3105. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration for water rent on property of Morris Caplan, located at Nos. 2 and 4 Overhill street and Nos. 4 and 6 Clark street, for the years 1918 and 1919, amounting to \$178.17, being one-half of the amount of the metered rate over the former flat rate, and authorizing and directing the Delinquent Tax Collector to accept said amount in payment of said water rent, which is now delinquent on said premises.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3106. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Milton street and private property of H. C. Frick, from a point about 30 feet north of Ocerton street to the existing sewer on the private property of H. C. Frick north of Henrietta street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3107. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor to enter into a contract with Pittsburgh Trust Company for the payment of the principal and interest, and the registration of the loans authorized on July 8, 1919, by the electors of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing for the payment of such service.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3108. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Harlan avenue, from a point about 350 feet east of Irwin avenue to the existing sewer on Harlan avenue at Irwin avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3109. Petition of property owners and residents of Beechview,

Nineteenth ward, asking the City to purchase property at Broadway and Beechview avenue for a public park.

Also

No. 3110. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of Rising & Radcliffe for \$259.50, and Logan Gregg Company for \$86.25, for supplies furnished the City, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1027-M.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Winters (for Mr. English) presented

No. 3111. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Elkton street, from Attica street to Ramona street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The Chair presented

No. 3112. Communication from M. Von Derlehr, asking to be exempted from payment of \$2,100.00 assessment for the grading, paving and curbing of South Side avenue, North Side.

Also

No. 3113. Petition of property owners on the south side of Camelia street, Tenth ward, asking to be compensated for damages by reason of the grading of said street between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets.

Also

No. 3114. Report of the Department of Assessors on Bill No. 2979, Resolution directing an investigation on all City employees who served the Government during the war, and whether their dependents were paid or not.

Also

No. 3115. Report of the Department of Public Health, showing the removal of garbage and rubbish during the month of June, 1919, and the month of June, 1918.

Also

No. 3116. An Ordinance prescribing the form of \$174,000.00 Water Loan Bonds, Series A, 1919; \$300,000.00 Bigelow Boulevard Improvement Bonds; \$25,000.00 Soho Playground Bonds; and \$390,000.00 West Carson Street Improvement Bonds.

Also

No. 3117. An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh to proceed to condemn the property of

the Freehold Real Estate Company of the City of Pittsburgh, situated in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, for public park purposes.

Also

No. 3118. Resolution authorizing the proper officers of the City to accept the gift of the fire engine known as "The Vigilant" now in the possession of the Voluntary Fire Association of Philadelphia, to be placed on exhibition at the Historical Society or in the Carnegie Museum, and authorizing the Mayor to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment of freight charges and the expenses of two men detailed to bring the engine from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 3119. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to James H. Cohen in the sum of \$24.77, being 50 per cent. of the excess of the meter rate over the former flat rate on property situate at 67 Hoffers way, Third ward, for the quarter ending April 4, 1919.

Also

No. 3120. Communication from the Civic Club of Allegheny County, asking Council to request the City Planning Commission to take up the studies necessarily preliminary to the formulating of zoning ordinances.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3121. An Ordinance regulating the construction, alteration, additions to, arrangement, equipment and the use and occupancy of all buildings such as are designed or used for the purpose of dwelling houses, which shall hereafter be known as buildings of Classification No. VIII; providing for the issuance of construction and occupancy permits therefor; and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 3122. Communication from A. E. Anderson, president and counsel, Pittsburgh District Railroad Company, stating that the locations selected for the proposed downtown subway loop cover in large part the locations made by the Pittsburgh District Railroad Company in 1910.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3123.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PA.

July 9, 1919.

President and Members
of Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I return you herewith Bill No. 428, being an ordinance regulating municipal contracts, stipulating for the employment of competent and first-class workmen only, etc., without my approval, for the following reasons:

The City Charter of 1901, with its several supplements, is our fundamental law, and this ordinance, being in plain violation of Article 15, Section 1, of said Charter Act, is null and void. As has been repeatedly advised by the City Solicitor, any provisions of an ordinance the purpose of which is to qualify, restrict and limit the rights of contractors in matter of employment of men, or payment of wages, is wholly inconsistent with the charter provision that "all contracts relating to City affairs shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder after reasonable notice."

The subject has been before the Supreme Court of this State and the Appellate Courts of many other States numerous times, all holding that such an ordinance would be illegal. City Solicitor Charles A. O'Brien and former City Solicitor Stephen Stone, each holding the same views, calling attention to the decisions of the higher courts.

In addition to this I am advised by the Director of Public Works that many items in the public improvement program voted upon favorably by the people of Pittsburgh July 8, could not be made if this ordinance were legal and should become a law and effective during the construction period, for the estimated costs were based on conditions as they exist at the present time.

I am clearly of the opinion that this bill should not become a law.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

And

Bill No. 428. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating municipal contracts, stipulating for the employment of competent and first-class workmen only, defining the words competent and first-class workmen, hours and wages to be paid, requiring an affidavit to be filed with the City Controller, showing compliance, and providing certain reductions as liquidated damages for the violation thereof."

In Council, June 30, 1919. Bill read a second time and agreed to; rule sus-

pended, read a third time and finally passed.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the communication and ordinance be laid over for one week.

Mr. Robertson arose and said:

"Mr. President and Gentlemen, I expect to leave the City for a week and will not be at the next regular meeting, but am ready to vote on this bill now."

And the question recurring on the motion to lay over for one week.

The motion prevailed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Bill No. 2869. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and empowering the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a lease with Fred Seebick for the rental of the Duquesne Market, located on Duquesne way, between Sixth and Seventh streets, City of Pittsburgh, and fixing the terms and compensation of said lease."

In Council, June 16, 1919. Committee amendments agreed to, rule suspended, bill read three times and failed to pass finally for lack of a legal majority of votes.

In Council, June 23, 1919. Bill read and laid over for the present.

In Council, June 30, 1919. Bill read and laid over for one week.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

To reconsider the vote by which the bill was read a second and third times and failed to pass finally.

Which motion prevailed.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill be read a second and third times and finally passed?"

The motion did not prevail.

Mr. Rauh moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES,

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3124. Report of the Committee on Finance for July 9, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1527. An Ordinance en-

titled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the purchase of a certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Sarah J. Lee and Edna Craig, and providing for the payment of the purchase money therefor."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3051. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the Chronicle Telegraph Publishing Company and the Neeb-Hirsch Company in the amounts of \$235.20 and \$25.00, respectively, to be charged to Code Accounts No. 42 and No. 1301, respectively.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also
 Bill No. 3055. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following for services rendered the City and supplies furnished different City departments:

Name.	Amount.	Code Account.
Chas. A. Finley.....	\$.50	1640 Repairs
Otis Elevator Co.....	7.20	1583 E-10
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing Co.	34.50	1657
Wm. G. Johnston & Co.....	149.40	1027-M
Rising & Radcliffe..	146.50	1027-M
Standard Auto Supply Co.....	327.20	1032

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3060. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Weldon & Kelly Company, Inc., for the sum of \$150.32, in payment of claim for extending the sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line at No. 4827 Aylesboro avenue, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3066. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
John Flocker & Co.....	\$ 106.40	1526
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.	751.83	1526
Heinz Co., H. J.....	1,389.50	1531
Sellers Co., William.....	960.90	1656

In Finance Committee, July 9, 1919. Read and amended by striking out item "1526" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, item "1027" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3052. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,604.26 from Appropriation No. 1027, Civic and

War Committee, to Appropriation No. 1540, Wages, Temporary Employees, Boardwalks and Steps, for expenditures for labor entailed by the erection of reviewing stands for parades of returning soldiers.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3063. Resolution authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to have property of Frank McCann (which was exonerated from payment of City taxes on account of being used as a playground) situate on Forbes street, Fourth ward, improved so it can be used for playground purposes, and setting aside from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, the sum of \$500.00 for the payment of said improvement.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3050, An Ordinance en-

titled, "An Ordinance providing for the payment to such employees of the City of Pittsburgh as enlisted or were drafted into the military, naval or marine service of the United States during the recent war, of one-half of the increase of the salary or wages of their respective positions for the period of time they were in said military, naval or marine service, and authorizing the proper officers of the City to make the necessary payrolls for the payment thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"Mr. President, I want to express my disapproval of this bill, because it provides for the payment of half of the increase of the wages or salaries that were granted to the positions held by the men who enlisted or were drafted in the Government service of either the army, navy or marines during the world war.

"It does that independent of the fact whether they were given any consideration prior to this; in other words, entirely independent of the question as to whether there was any dependency upon them, either claimed or proven, and it means that a very large number of men who went into the service who were denied the half pay under all of the legislation that has heretofore been passed are now going to be given half of the amount that their salary rates or wage rates were increased during their absence. In other words, those who were getting \$100.00 a month and presented and had acknowledged a dependency claim were given \$50.00 a month, to which this would add, if their salary was advanced \$25.00 a month, another \$12.50, making a total they would receive of \$62.50. Those who were working for a like sum of \$100.00 and received no compensation on account of dependency claims during the war would only receive \$12.50 during whatever period this wage or salary increase was in effect, and is done without regard to the question of dependency; and is done, too, in the face of the fact that Council has asked for and no doubt there is being made an investigation involving the question as to the manner in which these dependency claims were acknowledged and all the facts asked for in the resolution passed by Council. It seems to me this ordinance has no foundation at all beyond what might be given to it upon those who had dependents' claims. In those circumstances I think,

of course, the payment, if made at all, should be made to the dependents and not to the men in the service."

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Noes—Mr.
McArdle

Ayes—7.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. **Rauh** presented

No. 3125. Report of the Committee on Public Works for July 9, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2846. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening certain portions of Brownsville avenue, in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, between a point 22.92 feet west of the third angle east of Warrington avenue and a point 23.02 feet west of the first angle east of William street, hereinafter designated and described as portions A, B, C, D and E, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2874. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening and changing the lines of certain portions of Pioneer avenue, in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, between Templeton street and West Liberty avenue, as hereinafter designated and described as portions A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H and I, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2515. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Swope street and way, from Ravenna street to Alder street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed

against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2523. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Stadium street, from Stafford street to Radcliffe street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2552. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Sidney street, from South Twenty-fourth street to South Twenty-fifth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2873. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading to a width of 38 feet, paving and curbing of McCandless street, from Fifty-third street to Fifty-sixth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2888. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Bricelyn street, from Tokio street to Wilkingsburg avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 3048. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing that por-

tion of Ordinance No. 213, Series 1917, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for repaving certain avenues, streets and ways, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved May 19, 1917, which pertains to Shiloh street, from Virginia avenue to Southern avenue; Shiloh street, from Grandview avenue to Sycamore street, and Thirty-second street, from Penn avenue to Liberty avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3059. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the northwest sidewalk of McCandless street, from a point about 560 feet northeast of Fifty-fourth street to the existing sewer on the northwest sidewalk of McCandless street at Fifty-third street, with a branch sewer on the southeast sidewalk of McCandless street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3049. Resolution approving extras, amounting to \$1,219.91, in the contract awarded to Thos. Cronin Company for the grading, paving and curbing of Federal street, from Perrysville avenue to Lafayette avenue, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3061. Resolution approving extras, amounting to \$148.50, in the contract award to Mannella Construction Company for the construction of a sewer on the southwest sidewalk of Jackson street, from a point about 70 feet southeast of Highview street to the existing sewer on Heth's avenue, and authorizing the City Controller to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3064. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Ochiltree Electric Company in the amount of \$720.00 in payment of extra work in the installation of new electric wiring at the North Side Market, and charging same to Code Account 1592½, Structural and Non-structural Improvements to the North Side Market.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3126. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for July 9, 1919, transmitting several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3065. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on Lawton street, from Hazelton street to Lyzell street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3066. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Lyzell street, from McIntyre avenue to Lawton street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2712. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Carnegie Steel Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct,

maintain and use bridge over and above West Carson street, Nineteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, approximately nineteen hundred (1,900) feet east of South Main street, for the purpose of conveying material, etc., between the building of the Carnegie Steel Company, said building being located on opposite sides of West Carson street, known as the Painter Works."

In Public Service and Surveys Committee, July 9, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1 by striking out "15½ feet" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "14½ feet," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the amendment of the Public Service and Surveys Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—None.

Ayes—8.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3127. Report of the Committee on Health and Sanitation for July 9, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3069. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$47,760.62 for the removal of

4,547.125 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 5,790.125 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$13,789.29 for the removal of 1,457.15 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 1,579.825 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health, the tonnage rates set forth in this resolution being the rates as established by the contractors for the period ending December 31, 1918.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

(Mr. Rauh not voting)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 3128. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for July 9, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3056. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Howard B. Allen.....	\$127.00	1163
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh, Inc.	883.58	1160
William Bennett	127.00	1163
Keystone Laundry Co.....	6.31	1130
Chas. B. Prichard.....	127.00	1163

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 3129. Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to make arrangements to have the signal system at the elevators in the City-County Building changed so that when a signal to stop is given on either side it will register on both sides of the building.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3130. Resolved, That the Mayor be requested to have the City Architect confer with the Director of the Department of Public Works and the Superintendent of the Bureau of Recreation, and then begin the preparation of tentative plans for a public bath house in the hill district for the use of the colored residents of that locality.

Also tentative plans for public bath houses in the Twentieth and Twenty-seventh wards, respectively.

All the above plans, together with an estimate of the building costs, to be presented to Council at the earliest possible date.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3131. Whereas, The present high cost of living constitutes a growing menace to internal peace and prosperity of the American nation; and

Whereas, There is a wide difference in

the opinions expressed as to who or what is responsible for the continuance of these conditions; and

Whereas, By its operation of City markets and the leasing of public property for the conduct of the business of supplying food products to the people at reasonable prices, the City becomes a deeply interested party to this all-important question and may be able to contribute information of value to the public; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Division of Investigation is hereby directed to make frequent investigation of the retail prices of all food products sold at all City market houses and also similar investigation of the wholesale prices of the aforesaid food products and then make reports to the members of Council, showing the margin between the wholesale and retail prices. Said reports shall also show any variation in prices that may exist in said City markets for the same quality and kind of food products.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

The Chair presented

No. 3132. Whereas, By ordinance approved July 8, 1919, Council authorized the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise and obtain bids for: One (1) seven (7) ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller, and one (1) five (5) ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller, and to make contracts for the purchase thereof; and

Whereas, Advertisement was duly made according to Charter provisions for said material and bids thereon were duly received as per said advertisement; and

Whereas, Said bids have been opened and found satisfactory; and

Whereas, The aforesaid action was erroneous in authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise and make said contract for said material, as the same should have been authorization of the Director of the Department of Supplies instead of to the said Director of the Department of Public Works; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, In view of the urgency of the case and the great necessity existing for obtaining said material and machinery without delay, that the action of the aforesaid Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works in the proceeding thus far conducted be ratified and confirmed and, further, that the said Director of the Department of Supplies be authorized to accept said

bid or bids and award the contract or contracts therefor to the lowest responsible bidder, and that the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies be authorized and directed to execute the necessary contract or contracts for the purchase thereof.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

The adoption of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

At this time Mr. J. C. Marcus, being given the privilege of the floor, stated that his clients, the Exhibitors' Service Company, desired a hearing in the matter of leasing the Duquesne Market as a garage.

Mr. Dailey moved

That a hearing of the interested persons be held on Wednesday, July 16, 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters moved

That the Director of the Department of Public Works be asked to appear before Council and explain why the Brushton swimming pool has not been opened as per his statement to the Committee on Public Works on Wednesday, July 9, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. John Swan, Director of the Department of Public Works, having been sent for, appeared before Council.

The Chair:

"Director, Council has sent for you to find out whether or not you intend to open the Brushton swimming pool, as per your agreement to the Committee on Public Works last Wednesday?"

Mr. Swan:

"Mr. President and Gentlemen of Council, I stated on last Wednesday to your committee that the Brushton swimming pool would be opened immediately. I took up the matter with the Superintendent of the Bureau of Recreation, and he informed me that some concrete work was necessary at the pool and that as soon as this work was completed and the necessary equipment installed in the building the pool would be opened to the public. This, the superintendent expected, would be this morning, but I have just been informed it could not be opened today, but would be opened not later than tomorrow morning. I can assure you that the pool will be opened Tuesday morning. I hope this is the information Council desires and that it is satisfactory."

The Chair:
"Director, the information is satisfactory."

The Chair presented
No. 3133.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, July 14, 1919.

To the Honorable, the
President and Members of
Council of the City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—Due to the fact that the City Asphalt Plant No. 1 was partially destroyed by fire yesterday, July 13, 1919, and the need of immediate repair and reconstruction work is very great and urgent to avoid serious loss to the City, I hereby certify a public emergency and request that the ordinance herewith presented be passed by your

Honorable Body the day of its introduction.

Yours respectfully,

E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

Also
No. 3134. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a contract, without advertising or competitive bidding, with the John Eichleay, Jr., Company, for repair work and material for the repairing and reconstruction of Pittsburgh Asphalt Plant No. 1 at Dallas and Hamilton avenues.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

And, on motion of Mr. Garland,
Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, July 21, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey.....McArdle
Garland.....Rauh
Henderson.....Robertson
Herron (President).....Winters

Absent—Mr.

English

The Chair stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meetings of Council for July 7 and 14, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the minutes of the meetings of Council for July 7 and 14, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3135. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Lillie Alpern in the sum of \$129.12, being 50 per cent. of the excess meter rate over the former flat rate on property at 1414-16 Whitcomb street, Third ward.

Also

No. 3136. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A-1; Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1159, Item O, Refund for Uniforms, Bureau of Police.

Also

No. 3137. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer \$3,000.00 from Code Account 1161-A, Salaries, to Code Account 1164-C, Supplies; \$14,000.00 from Code Account No. 1161-A, Salaries, to Code Account 1165-D, Materials; and \$5,000.00 from Code Account No. 1161-A, Salaries, to Code Account 1168-F, Equipment and Machinery, all in the Bureau of Fire.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3138. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Auto Service and Taxi-cab Co.....	\$ 18.00	1147
Otho J. Bierly.....	17.50	1159
Mrs. Anna Bousonville.....	85.00	1159
D. A. Butler.....	36.00	1147
Bertram G. Case.....	60.50	1133
Bertram G. Case.....	59.18	1166
Dixon Motor Co.....	5.60	1166
Walter L. Dixon.....	55.00	1159
Joseph H. Dye.....	20.00	1158-M
Philip Eckert.....	22.95	1159
A. H. Johnson.....	38.12	1150
A. H. Johnson.....	268.63	1166
H. W. Johns-Manville Co.....	6.00	1166
Frank Kaffka.....	116.00	1150

Keystone Laundry Co..	89.36	1147
Keystone Laundry Co..	211.01	1163
James McCormick	15.95	1159
Penn Storage Battery		
Co.	43.05	1166
William E. Pottmeyer..	42.50	1159
South Side Hospital.....	14.00	1147
John J. Stadleman.....	55.00	1159

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3139. Communication from John R. Speer, transmitting offer of Mrs. Minnie M. Wehner of \$50.00 for Lot No. 36 in Plan of Hammer Estate, Twenty-sixth ward.

Also

No. 3140. Resolution authorizing the City Solicitor to accept the sum of \$1,530.00, together with the costs, from Mary E. P. Ringwalt, John Gates, Jr., John E. Nelson, A. W. Copely, H. L. Ringwalt and W. N. McNary, for benefits arising to them by the opening of Tuscarora street, between Richland street and Braddock avenue, Fourteenth ward, and, upon the payment of said sum, the City Solicitor to satisfy in full all liens heretofore entered by the City of Pittsburgh against said parties for the opening of said street.

Also

No. 3141. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of F. Englert Company for \$450.00 for engraving bonds of the City of Pittsburgh (Funding Bonds, 1919), and charging same to Code Account No. 42.

Also

No. 3142. Resolution authorizing and directing the Department of Assessors to exonerate the property of George E. McCague, situated at Liberty and Second avenues, formerly occupied by the Association for the Blind, as a workshop, from the payment of taxes for the first half of the year 1919, amounting to \$845.13; and authorizing and directing the Department of Assessors to exonerate the property now occupied by the Workshop for the Blind at 434-436 Second avenue from the payment of taxes for the year 1919, amounting to \$568.34.

Also

No. 3143. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to exonerate George E. McCague from the payment of water rates on property at Liberty and Second avenues, formerly occupied by the Association for the Blind as a workshop for the first half of the year 1919, amounting to \$94.03.

Also

No. 3144. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City

Controller to transfer the sum of \$25,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3145. An Ordinance amending Sections 1 and 4 of an Ordinance approved April 4, 1918, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to issue permits to operate motor busses in Highland and Schenley Parks, and regulating fares and other matters."

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3146. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to William Barbour for Lot No. 27 in William E. Stewart's Plan, located on Venture street, Twenty-sixth ward, for the sum of \$250.00.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3147. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$215.00 from Appropriation No. 1342, Miscellaneous Services, to Appropriation No. 1343, Supplies, Board of Water Assessors.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3148. An Ordinance widening Carson street East, in the Seventeenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from South First street to the south approach to the Smithfield street bridge, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3149. An Ordinance accepting the dedication of certain property in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same Crawford street and accepting the grading, paving and curbing thereof.

Also

No. 3150. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Charles Prince for \$43.15, for repairing water service line on Smith way, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 3151. Resolution authorizing

ing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to A. H. Kirchner for Lot No. 80, in West Liberty Land Company Plan, located on Boggston avenue, Eighteenth ward, for the sum of \$440.00.

Also

No. 3152. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Sam Kalle for a strip of ground located on Lawn street, Fourth ward, for the sum of \$50.00.

Also

No. 3153. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor, upon the payment of the sum of \$11,002.81 to the City of Pittsburgh, to satisfy the liens filed against the property of the Sterling Land Company at Nos. 351 and 352, April Term, 1913, M. L. D.; 26 and 27, July Term, 1915, M. L. D.; 66 and 67, January Term, 1915, M. L. D.; 73 to 83, July Term, 1918, inclusive, M. L. D.; and 54 to 67, October Term, 1918, inclusive, M. L. D.; and, on payment by said Sterling Land Company of the further sum of \$4,796.84, the Collector of Delinquent Taxes is to satisfy the liens filed at D. T. D. Nos. 1302, September Term, 1910; 1276, September Term, 1911; 1416, April Term, 1913; 2016 October Term, 1913; 5084, January Term, 1914; 15 January Term, 1917; 1417, April Term, 1918; and 1416, April Term, 1918, and to issue receipts in full for City taxes for the years 1917, 1918 and 1919, and that the Sterling Land Company shall file a bond with the City Solicitor in the sum of \$5,000.00, with surety, that it will begin the erection of houses on the property for which the City satisfies the liens mentioned above, namely, on Hobart street and Wendover street, within two months.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3154. An Ordinance widening certain portions of Bigelow boulevard, in the Second and Sixth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, between a point 137.81 feet west from the first point of curve west of Brereton street and Marcella street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3155. An Ordinance establishing the opening grades on Henrietta street, La Clair street, Milton street, Overton street, Gamma way and Rear way, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened highways by William E. Harmon in a plan of lots of his property in the Fourteenth ward

of the City of Pittsburgh, named "Regent Place."

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3156. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Hemphill street, from Perrysville avenue to Semiclar street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3157. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Liedertafel street and way, from the end of present pavement at a point 651.22 feet northeastwardly from Sundeman street to the City line, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3158. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Pemberton street, from Wapello street to Campus street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3159. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Sundeman street, from Liedertafel way to Veronica street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3160. Resolution granting the consent of the City of Pittsburgh to the Civic Club of Allegheny County and the Soho Bath Association to erect a brick building to be used by the Soho Bath Association as a community house on the lot at 2408 Fifth avenue owned by the City of Pittsburgh and the Civic Club of Allegheny County jointly.

Also

No. 3161. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the following sums, amounting in the aggregate to forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00), from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to certain other code accounts of the Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering:

To Code Account No. 1458, Wages, Regular Employees, Bridge Repairs, City Force.....	\$13,000.00
To Code Account No. 1460, Sup- plies, Bridge Repairs, City Force	200.00
To Code Account No. 1461, Ma- terials, Bridge Repairs, City Force	12,000.00
To Code Account No. 1463, Equipment, Bridge Repairs, City Force	250.00
To Code Account No. 1465, Wages, Regular Employees, Bridge Repainting, City Force	8,000.00
To Code Account No. 1467, Sup- plies, Bridge Repainting, City Force	350.00
To Code Account No. 1468, Ma- terials, Bridge Repainting, City Force	6,000.00
To Code Account No. 1469, Equipment and Machinery, Bridge Repainting, City Force	200.00
Total	\$40,000.00

Also

No. 3162. Resolution authoriz-
ing the City Controller to transfer the
sum of \$10,000.00 from Appropriation
No. 1553, Wages, Temporary Employees,
Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No.
1557, Repairs, Asphalt Plants.

Which were severally read and referred
to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 3163. Resolution authoriz-
ing and directing the Mayor to execute
and deliver a deed to John Masi for Lot
No. 4 in Chula Vista Plan, located on
Grotto street, Twelfth ward, for the sum
of \$312.00.

Also

No. 3164. Resolution authoriz-
ing the issuing of a warrant in favor of
F. L. Norton for \$30.00, for making emer-
gency repairs on vault door in the City
Treasurer's Office, and charging same to
Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3165. Communication from
James F. Malone, Director of the De-
partment of Supplies, transmitting com-
munication from the Superintendent of
the Bureau of Recreation, asking for an
additional appropriation of \$150.00 for
the purchase of a touring car for said
bureau.

Also

No. 3166. Communication from
James P. Donovan, submitting an offer

to lease the Duquesne Market for a
garage for a term from 10 to 20 years.

Which were severally read and referred to
the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3167. Communication from
F. E. McGillick, complaining that a build-
ing is being erected on the portion of
Thomas boulevard that is to be opened,
the ordinance for which is now pending
in the Committee on Public Works.

Which was read and referred to the
Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3168. Communication from
the Chamber of Commerce, asking the
City to officially take part in the dedica-
tion of the Bureau of Mines buildings
on September 29, 30 and October 1, 1919.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

3169.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Washington, July 16, 1919.

Honorable John S. Herron,

President, Council,

City of Pittsburgh, Pa.

My Dear Mr. Herron—I take pleasure
in enclosing a letter just received from
the Second Assistant Postmaster Gen-
eral relative to the establishment of air
mail service in Pittsburgh.

I trust Congress will speedily appro-
priate the necessary funds and that
Pittsburgh will soon receive a portion
of its mail by air.

If I can assist in any way, please feel
free to call upon me.

With kindest regards and best wishes,
I am

Sincerely and cordially,

GUY E. CAMPBELL.

POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT.

Washington, July 14, 1919.

Hon. Guy E. Campbell,

House of Representatives.

My Dear Mr. Campbell—In reply to
your letter of June 29, addressed to the
Postmaster General, enclosing a Resolu-
tion of the City Council of Pittsburgh,
signed by President John S. Herron, ad-
vocating the establishment of air mail
service for that City, I beg to inform
you that Pittsburgh is under considera-
tion for the establishment of air mail
service just as soon as Congress appro-
priates sufficient funds for the establish-
ment of additional routes.

In the meantime I will send a repre-
sentative of the department there for

the purpose of investigating a location of possible landing fields.

Very respectfully,

OTTO PRAYN,

Second Assistant Postmaster General.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3170.

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

Pittsburgh, July 16, 1919.

To the President and
Members of Council,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen—With reference to Bill No. 3085, relative to purchases from the Government, and the resale to citizens of food supplies, read and approved July 7, 1919, I submit herewith the following report of the Department of Supplies' activities concerning same up to the present time.

Prior to receiving official notice of the above numbered resolution the Director of the Department of Supplies wrote a letter on July 8 to the Quartermaster General of the War Department, seeking information regarding the surplus food-stuffs which the Government has to dispose of.

On July 10, after learning the name of one of the proper authorities, we wrote a letter to Major E. E. Squier, Jr., of the Sales Division of the War Department. We received no answer to either letter until this morning, July 16, when Major Squier sent a telegram instructing us to get in touch with Major C. E. Jones, property officer at Philadelphia, Pa. We sent a special delivery letter to Major Jones, copy of which is enclosed herewith.

As soon as anything further develops along this line, this Department will communicate at once with your Honorable Body.

Respectfully submitted,

JAS. F. MALONE,

Director.

July 16, 1919.

Major C. E. Jones,
Zone Surplus Property Officer,
Twenty-first St. and Oregon Ave.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Major Jones—With reference to the sale of surplus food, which your Division is authorizing municipalities to

dispose of to its citizens, to be sold and paid for within ten (10) days from receipt of goods by the municipalities, beg to say that I am in receipt of a telegram from Major E. E. Squier, Washington, D. C., instructing me to get into communication with you.

I wish you would send, as quickly as possible, full details concerning this proposition. Let us know the size of the cans; the exact cost which will have to be turned over to the Government for each unit; the names of the manufacturers, and whether or not the City of Pittsburgh will be permitted to make an inspection of the different commodities, either at Philadelphia or in Pittsburgh.

Respectfully yours,

JAS. F. MALONE,

Director.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Bill No. 3123. Communication from the Mayor returning, without his approval, Bill No. 428, being an ordinance regulating municipal contracts, stipulating for the employment of competent and first-class workmen only, etc.

In Council, July 14, 1919. Read and laid over for one week.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

And

Bill No. 428. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating municipal contracts, stipulating for the employment of competent and first-class workmen only, defining the words competent and first-class workmen, hours and wages to be paid, requiring an affidavit to be filed with the City Controller, showing compliance, and providing certain reductions as liquidated damages for the violation thereof."

In Council, July 14, 1919. Bill returned by the Mayor without his approval and laid over for one week.

Was read.

And on the question, "Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?"

The ayes and noes were ordered taken agreeably to law, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.
 Dailey Robertson
 Herron (President) Winters
 McArdle

Noes—Messrs.
 Garland Rauh
 Henderson

Ayes—5.
 Noes—3.

And there not being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the objections of the Mayor were sustained.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3171. Report of the Committee on Finance for July 15, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3134. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a contract without advertising or competitive bidding with the John Eichleay, Jr., Company, for repair work and material for the repairing and reconstruction of Pittsburgh Asphalt Plant No. 1 at Dallas and Hamilton avenues."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time

Also

Bill No. 3133. Communication from the Mayor, certifying to an emergency in the matter of rebuilding City Asphalt Plant No. 1, which was partially destroyed by fire.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. Garland, received and filed.

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.
 Dailey McArdle
 Garland Rauh
 Henderson Robertson
 Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.
 Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 3116. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance prescribing the form of \$174,000.00 Water Loan Bonds, Series A, 1919; \$300,000.00 Bigelow Boulevard Improvement Bonds; \$25,000.00 Soho Playground Bonds, and \$390,000.00 West Carson Street Improvement Bonds."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
 Garland Rauh
 Henderson Robertson
 Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3117. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh to proceed to condemn property of the Freehold Real Estate Company of the City of Pittsburgh, situated in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, for public park purposes."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3110. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of Rising & Radcliffe in the sum of \$259.50, and Logan-Gregg Hardware Company in the sum of \$86.25, chargeable to Appropriation Item 1027-M.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3062. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Edward Boobyer on account of charge for water at premises, 68 Marion street, First ward, in the sum of \$68.44, being 50 per cent. of the excess of meter rates over the former flat rate.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3090. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$596.25 from Code Account 1074 (Miscellaneous), Department of Law, to Code Account 1073 (Salaries), Department of Law.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3088. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1113, Salaries, Art Commission, to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also
Bill No. 3089. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1033, Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles, and \$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1032, Materials, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3091. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to set aside an additional sum of \$6,168.31 from Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, for the purpose of paying the final estimate of the contract for the construction of a 36-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street and private properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, from a point about 275 feet northwest of Foster street to the Allegheny river, same code account, and authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Frank Donatelli in payment of the final estimate of said contract.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3119. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to James H. Cohen in the sum of \$24.77, being 50 per cent. of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate on property at 67 Hoffers way, Third ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3016. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to W. A. Martin for Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in W. S. Beech Schenley View Plan, Tenth ward, on the northwest side of Breesport street, upon the payment of the sum of \$1,000.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3017. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to John F. Lang for Lot No. 198 Industry street, Eighteenth ward, City, upon payment of the sum of \$600.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2914. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute, acknowledge and deliver a deed to John B. Manifold, executor of the Estate of Belle Manifold, deceased, for certain lots in the Twenty-fifth ward of the City of Pittsburg, beginning at a point on the westerly side of Belle avenue distant 80 feet northwardly from the line of property of the late James Andrews, etc.

In Finance Committee, July 15, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "80 feet" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "88 feet," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3172. Report of the Committee on Public Works for July 15, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2901. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to certain widths, paving and curbing of Webster avenue, from Orion street to Alpena street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the

bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2913. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Ashton avenue, in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 125 feet west of Mansion street to a point 385 feet west therefrom, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 3093. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Forsythe street, from a point about 20 feet west of Mullins street to the existing sewer on Forsythe street at Annis way, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3098. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Cowan street, from a point about 20 feet west of Dilworth street to the existing sewer on Prospect street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3108. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Harlan avenue, from a point about 350 feet east of Irwin avenue to the existing sewer on Harlan avenue at Irwin avenue, and providing that the

costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3173. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for July 15, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3087. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade of Hoffers way, from Arthur street to Roberts street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3174. Whereas, The lack of any kind of regular transportation, particularly for women and children, within our parks is apparent and, by reason of same, the parks are not patronized as they should be, and our people generally do not receive any benefit therefrom; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be requested to confer with Council to consider the subject of free transportation under some proper regulations.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

The adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. McArdle,

Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, July 28, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Raub
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Absent—Mr.

English

The **Chair** stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, July 21, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. **Dalley** moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, July 21, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. **Dalley** presented

No. 3175. An Ordinance opening Comrie way, from Friendship avenue to the west line of Leopold Hagner's Plan of Lots, in the Ninth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against

and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3176. An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 98 entitled, "An Ordinance locating Somers street, from Bedford avenue to Webster avenue," approved November 25, 1887.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 3177. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of D. A. Butler for \$8.00 and Al. Sherin for \$40.00 for services performed for the Department of Public Safety, and charging same to Code Account No. 1147.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 3178. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the City Treasurer to issue a peddler's or vendor's license to soldiers or sailors of the world war who have been honorably discharged from the service, without charge.

Also

No. 3179. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Baur Brothers Bakery.....	\$ 18.26	1148
Baur Brothers Bakery.....	104.76	1232
Gieske, E. C.....	25.67	1232
Hilltop Lumber Co.....	147.96	1037
Hilltop Lumber Co.....	448.20	1034
Hales & Edwards Co.....	1,742.50	1320
Johnston & Co., Wm. G.....	44.13	1403
Schenck China Co.....	542.40	1323

Also

No. 3180. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$25,000.00 from Code Account No. 1037, Supplies, Bureau of Animal Industry, to Code Account No. 1027, Special Reservations, Civic and War Committee.

Also

No. 3181. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$75.00 from Code Account 1500, "E," Repairs, to Code Account 1499, "C," Supplies, Bureau of Deed Registry.

Also

No. 3182. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a lease with George V. Kimberlin for use of his property in the Twenty-sixth ward, for playground purposes for a period of four years, dating from the expiration of the present lease (which will shortly expire); the consideration being the exoneration of said property from taxes.

Also

No. 3183. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to George V. Kimberlin and R. E. Schubert for one and one-half acres of ground located on Wilson avenue, Twenty-sixth ward, for the sum of \$450.00.

Also

No. 3184. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute, acknowledge and deliver to Marie A. Fraunhelm a deed in proper form, to be approved by the City Solicitor, upon the payment of \$500.00 to the City, releasing and quit-claiming all the right, title and interest of the City of Pittsburgh in a plot of ground on Neville street, Sixth ward.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3185. Petition for the grading, paving and curbing of Semple street, between Dawson street and Parkview avenue.

Also

No. 3186. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Semple street, from Dawson street to Park View avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3187. Petition for the grading, paving and curbing of Zang way, between Rhine street and the westerly line of property of Charles Bossong.

Also

No. 3188. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Zang way, from Rhine street to the westerly line of property of Charles Bossong, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3189. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to set aside the sum of \$1,727.92 from Code Account No. 1476-E, Item, "Thirty-six Inch Relief Sewer on Thirty-eighth street and private properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, from a point 275 feet northwest of Foster street to the Allegheny river," and authorizing and directing the Mayor and the City Controller to, respectively, issue and countersign warrants drawn in payment of the final estimate of said contract.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3190. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to R. J. Macrory for Lot No. 50 in Maple's Plan, located on McLain avenue, Eighteenth ward, for the sum of \$500.00.

Also

No. 3191. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to set aside the sum of \$3,000.00, or so much of the same as may be necessary, to meet any bills incurred by the Director of the Department of Supplies in prosecution of the sale of merchandise purchased from the United States Government to the citizens of Pittsburgh, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3192. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,500.00 from Appropriation No. 52-M, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 1039, A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Department of Assessors.

Also

No. 3193. An Ordinance amending lines one and two of Section 17, Department of Assessors, of an ordi-

nance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3194. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts for the construction of a 12-inch terra cotta pipe sewer on the east sidewalk of Fallowfield avenue, from a point about 40 feet south of Sebring avenue to the existing sewer on Fallowfield avenue south of Broadway, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Also

No. 3195. An Ordinance opening Georgia street, in the Eighteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Lillian street southwardly to the City line, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 3196. Communication from Twentieth Ward Building and Loan Association regarding excessive charge for water on premises at No. 15 Hodge street.

Also

No. 3197. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Ray S. Fries for two lots on Forty-second street, being Lot No. 39 in L. E. Johns Plan for \$500.00, and also for Lot No. 43 in said plan, situate on the southwest side of Forty-second street, for \$300.00.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3198. An Ordinance widening Diamond street, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Market place to Ferry street, fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing and re-establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3199. An Ordinance widening Diamond street, in the First and Second wards of the City of Pittsburgh, from Smithfield street to Grant street,

fixing the widths and position of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing and re-establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3200. An Ordinance widening Ferry street, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Water street to Liberty avenue, fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing and re-establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3201. An Ordinance widening Second avenue, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Liberty avenue to Grant street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3202. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Bellefield avenue, from Center avenue to Bigelow boulevard, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3203. Petition of residents and property owners of Kenberma avenue, Nineteenth ward, for the erection of a pair of steps from Kenberma avenue to the Railway Company bridge and Alton avenue.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3204. An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 292 entitled, "An Ordinance locating Munhall road, from Wightman street to Beacon street," approved July 3, 1913.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 3205. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of V. D. Nirella for \$518.00 for music furnished for various patriotic affairs during the 1918 war period, and charging same to Code Account No. 1783, Music and Entertainments, Bureau of Parks.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Parks and Libraries.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3206. An Ordinance authorizing the sale to Mrs. Jennie M. Emich, of Pittsburgh, of a plot of ground known as the North Side Pumping Station property on River avenue, in the Twenty-fourth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for the sum of \$125,000.00, fixing the terms and condition of said sale and providing for the reservation of a portion of said plot now occupied by Engine Company No. 48 for a period of ten (10) years from the date of deed for said property, and granting the purchaser the right to construct and maintain a railroad siding from the right of way of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company across River avenue to said plot, and fixing the terms and conditions of said grant.

Also

No. 3207. An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh to hire four (4) or more trucks suitable for the conveyance of passengers to provide free transportation to any and all persons within the limits of Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks, and making an appropriation for payment of the expense thereof.

Also

No. 3208. Resolution authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to have dressing rooms and shower baths placed in building at 1001 Perry street, Twenty-third ward, formerly used as a police station house, owned by the City of Pittsburgh, for the use of the public, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to set aside the sum of \$1,000.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to pay for said work and materials.

Also

No. 3209. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of T. F. Scanlon for \$85.00, compensating him in full settlement of all claims for damages to Ford automobile truck which was struck by a wagon belonging to the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3210. An Ordinance widening East Ohio street, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, from Heinz street eastwardly for a distance of 7,328.10 feet to the City line, fixing the position and width of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing the grade thereon, and pro-

viding that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3211. An Ordinance widening Stayton street, in the Twenty-seventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Brighton road to a point 643.14 feet northwardly from Woodland avenue, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3212. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Jennie Jones, matron, Washington Park, Bureau of Recreation, in the sum of \$48.75 in payment of lost time from June 1 to June 21, inclusive, by reason of illness, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1813.

Also

No. 3213. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading to certain widths, paving and curbing of Boggston avenue, from Warrington avenue to Sylvania avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3214. An Ordinance establishing the opening grades on Arlington avenue, Foley street, Kozell street, Piave street, Pluso street, Zaruba street, Kordecki way and Krakow way, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened highways by the Pittsburgh-St. Clair Realty Company in a plan of lots of its property in the Sixteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, named "Arlington Park Terrace."

Also

No. 3215. An Ordinance establishing and re-establishing the grade of Sutherland street, from Chartiers avenue to Jean street.

Also

No. 3216. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and establishing the grade of Wabash street, from Independence street to Woodstock street.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

The Chair presented
No. 3217.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, July 25, 1919.

To the Honorable,
the President and Members of
Council of the City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I have received and duly accepted service of notice of application of certain qualified voters of the Borough of Spring Garden for annexation to the City of Pittsburgh. and, in pursuance of said notice, I transmit herewith form of consent ordinance in the premises for your consideration and action.

Respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Also

No. 3218. Petition of qualified voters of the Borough of Spring Garden and Order No. 36, June Sessions, 1919, for annexation to the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 3219. An Ordinance giving consent of the City of Pittsburgh to the annexation of the contiguous Borough of Spring Garden.

Also

No. 3220. Communication from the Brookline Board of Trade, asking that \$40,000.00 of the playground bonds be set aside for the purchase and equipment of a playground in the Brookline district.

Also

No. 3221. Communication from J. W. Sherrer relative to the sale to the City of the Alexander H. King property at the corner of Broad street, Larimer avenue and Princeton place for a combination fire engine house and police station.

Also

No. 3222.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, July 25, 1919.

President and Members of
Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I submit herewith to you a communication from City Controller Morrow, with a letter from Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow attached, both of which speak for themselves.

Council has passed so many street improvement ordinances that the City has reached the point, in my judgment, where it must call a halt. I think it is wrong for Council to pass any further

street improvement ordinances, which will increase the debt of the City, unless there is a great and very unusual need for same.

The Department of Public Works now has all the work it can do with its present force and, with our new people's bond issue proposals coming into effect, all the work that it can possibly handle will develop. Council should not increase the debt of the City further by the passage of street improvement ordinances until such time as our borrowing capacity is greatly increased.

This letter is written, not to object to what Council has done (for I feel conscious of Council's desire to make what public improvements they could from time to time), but, now that we have the new improvement propositions before us, to urge that the right thing to do is to call a halt on the old and to take up the new.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER.

Pittsburgh, July 22, 1919.

Hon. E. V. Babcock,

Mayor.

Dear Sir—I enclose herewith for your information an extract from a letter from Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow in relation to the floating debt statement in the Quarter Sessions Court.

The result of the action (and it is the law) has been to increase largely the floating debt and render the borrowing power of the City almost negligible. I would suggest that you call attention of Council to the present financial condition of the City, and ask it to refrain, for the time at least, from passing any ordinances for street improvement of any character.

I will send you a copy of the statement of the debt which I shall file in the office of the Clerk of the Quarter Sessions Court after the sale of the bonds, which are to be sold on Friday, July 25.

Respectfully,

E. S. MORROW,

City Controller.

July 16, 1919.

E. S. Morrow.

City Controller.

City-County Building.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir: * * * We have given careful consideration to the computation of the floating debt of the City, and must advise you to include items in the com-

putation of it which you have not heretofore included. Under the Schuldice case, 234 Pa. 30, it was decided that the estimated property damages, on account of the taking of property, are to be included as part of the debt of the City, and also that the estimated amounts, which would be due contractors under contracts which are executed, must be included as part of the floating debt. You have heretofore included these items in your statements, as has been most proper. Under the McGuire case, No. 1. 245 Pa., 87, the Court stated a novel doctrine, namely, that the constitutional and statutory limitations on debt-incurring capacity was not the amount of debt existing, but the amount of debt authorized. Under this case we, therefore, must advise you that hereafter you should include as part of the debt of the City the estimated cost of improvements at the time the contracts are authorized by Council, and also the estimated damages that will arise from improvements that are authorized by Council. The result will be that, instead of waiting until you countersign the contracts you must enter the debt in your books as debts at the time the ordinance is adopted. No doubt this will be difficult, but there must be co-operation between the City Clerk, the City Engineer and yourself, in order that your debt statement may always be correct. * * *

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3223.

No. 145.

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the amount of nine million five hundred seventy-nine thousand dollars (\$9,579,000.00) for the following purposes, namely: For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repaving, reconstructing and otherwise improving the streets of the City generally, and for the City's share of the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening certain new streets and improving certain new and certain existing streets, including, as may be required in the case of each such street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grading and regrading, curbing and recurbing, relaying sidewalks, laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls, street foundations and surfaces (including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets); and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased in-

debtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That, in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of nine million five hundred and seventy-nine thousand dollars (\$9,579,000.00) for the following purposes and respective amounts:

For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing and reconstructing and otherwise improving the streets of the City generally, \$1,401,000.00.

For the City's share of the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening the new streets and improving the new and the existing streets described below, including, as may be required in the case of each street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grading and regrading, curbing and recurbing, relaying sidewalks and laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls and street foundations and surfaces (including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets), the streets and the respective amounts for each being as follows, namely:

Boulevard of the Allies (Monongahela boulevard), a new boulevard (in part along existing streets) to extend from the intersection of Grant street and Second avenue along the Bluff to Craft avenue, including the building of two viaducts	\$2,001,000.00
Second avenue, from Liberty avenue to Grant street	1,410,000.00

Ferry street, from Liberty avenue to Water street....	351,000.00
Diamond street, from Grant street to Smithfield street	417,000.00
Diamond street, from Ferry street to Market place.....	111,000.00
East street, from Tripoli street to Royal street.....	300,000.00
East Ohio street, from Heinz street to City line at Millvale Borough.....	555,000.00
Mount Washington roadway, a new highway (in part along existing streets) to extend from Grandview avenue at Merrimac street eastwardly along the hillside to Manor street, and thence to a point near the intersection of Sarah street and South Seventh street, including the construction of a highway bridge, and under grade crossings	801,000.00
Carson street East, from Smithfield street to South Seventh street	315,000.00
Mount Oliver street, from South Eighteenth street to a point fifty feet north of Loyal way.....	96,000.00
A new street to extend from Hazelwood avenue to Greenfield avenue in part along Irvine street on the easterly side of and parallel to the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad tracks, including the abolition of the grade crossing on Second avenue at a point midway between Longworth street and Hazelwood avenue, and the improvement of the under grade crossing at Greenfield avenue and Second avenue	351,000.00
Bigelow boulevard, at and near Brereton street, and also at and near Thirtieth street	171,000.00
Arlington avenue, from South Twenty-sixth street to Clover street, including a change of location thereof, the elimination of curves, and the construction of a highway bridge..	255,000.00
Baker street, from Butler street to Morningside avenue	90,000.00
Broad street, from Highland avenue to Frankstown avenue and extending it in part along Couch street to Hamilton avenue	777,000.00
Manchester avenue, a new street to extend from the intersection of South avenue and Galveston avenue	

in part along existing streets to the intersection of Ridge avenue and Allegheny avenue 177,000.00

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall, by proclamation, give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and County officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Council, this 26th day of May, A. D. 1919.

JOHN S. HERRON,
President of Council.

Attest:

E. J. MARTIN,
Clerk of Council.

Mayor's office, May 27, 1919.

Approved: E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

Attest:

M. H. GOTTSCHALL,
Mayor's Secretary.

Recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30,
page 306, 27th day of May, 1919.

Pittsburgh, July 12, 1919.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 145, Series 1919, as the same appears of record in the office of the City Clerk.

E. J. MARTIN,
City Clerk.

(Seal)

No. 146.

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location, and improvement of highway bridges and approaches thereto; the said bridges being as follows, namely: Center avenue bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shadyside station; Beechwood boulevard bridge, connecting Schenley Park to Beechwood boulevard; North and Irwin avenue bridges; Island avenue bridge on Lincoln Highway, connecting Chateau street and California avenue; and East street bridge, to connect Charles and Essen streets, for one-half the cost thereof, the other one-half to be paid by Allegheny County; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That, in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including the engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location, and improvement of highway bridges and approaches thereto, the said bridges and the amount for each being as follows, namely:

Center avenue bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shadyside station\$120 000.00

Beechwood boulevard bridge, connecting Schenley Park to Beechwood boulevard..... 270,000.00
North and Irwin avenue bridges 60,000.00
Island avenue bridge on Lincoln Highway, connecting Chateau street and California avenue 90,000.00
East street bridge, to connect Charles street and Essen street for one-half the cost thereof, the other one-half to be paid by Allegheny County 210,000.00

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall, by proclamation, give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and County officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Council, this 26th day of May, A. D. 1919.

JOHN S. HERRON,
President of Council.

Attest:
E. J. MARTIN,
Clerk of Council.

Mayor's office, May 27, 1919.
Approved: E. V. BARCOCK
Mayor.

Attest:
M. H. GOTTSCHALL,
Mayor's Secretary.

Recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30,
page 308, 27th day of May, 1919.

Pittsburgh, July 12, 1919.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing
is a true and correct copy of Ordinance
No. 146, Series 1919, as the same appears
of record in the office of the City Clerk.

E. J. MARTIN,

(Seal)

City Clerk.

No. 147.

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million eight hundred fifteen thousand dollars (\$1,815,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the following, namely: Repairing and improving the roadways of the Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks; developing and improving West Park; acquisition, development and improvement of land located in Saw Mill Run valley for park purposes; acquisition of land, property and equipment and developing the same; improvement of City playgrounds and establishment of new playgrounds, including the acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor; acquisition of land for extension of Highland Park along Allegheny river and improvement of Washington boulevard to Heth's Run bridge; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That, in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of

Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million eight hundred and fifteen thousand (\$1,815,000.00) dollars, for the purpose of paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the following, and the amount for each item, namely:

Repairing and improving the roadways in Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks.....	\$399,000.00
Developing and improving West Park	99,000.00
Acquisition, development and improvement of land located in Saw Mill Run valley for park purposes	255,000.00
Improvement of City playgrounds and establishment of new playgrounds, including acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor	831,000.00
Acquisition of land for extension of Highland Park along Allegheny river, and improvement of Washington boulevard to Heth's Run bridge	231,000.00

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall, by proclamation, give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and County officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Council, this 26th day of May, A. D. 1919.

JOHN S. HERRON,
President of Council.

Attest:

E. J. MARTIN,
Clerk of Council.

Mayor's office, May 27, 1919.

Approved: E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

Attest:

M. H. GOTTSCHALL,
Mayor's Secretary.

Recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30,
page 310, 27th day of May, 1919.

Pittsburgh, July 12, 1919.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing
is a true and correct copy of Ordinance
No. 147, Series 1919, as the same appears
of record in the office of the City Clerk.

E. J. MARTIN,

(Seal)

City Clerk.

No. 148.

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million one hundred ten thousand dollars (\$1,110,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including architectural and engineering expenses) of the following, namely: Six (6) public comfort stations, including acquisition of land where necessary therefor; additions, extensions and improvements to the Municipal Hospital, the Tuberculosis Hospital, and the Mayview City Home and Hospital; the relocation of the central fire alarm station, including the acquisition and installation of apparatus, appliances, appurtenances, and the laying of wires, and the construction of conduits; the construction, reconstruction and improvement of buildings for combination fire and police stations in the North Side, East End and West End districts of the City, including the acquisition of land and buildings therefor; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That, in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject mat-

ter of this ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million, one hundred and ten thousand (\$1,110,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including architectural and engineering expenses) of the following, and the amount for each item, namely:

Six public comfort stations, including the acquisition of land, where necessary, therefor	\$120,000.00
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Municipal Hospital	99,000.00
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Tuberculosis Hospital	201,000.00
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Mayview City Home and Hospital	99,000.00
Relocation of the central fire alarm station, including acquisition and installation of apparatus, appliances, appurtenances, and the laying of wires and construction of conduits	90,000.00
Construction, reconstruction and improvement of buildings for combination fire and police stations in the North Side, East End and West End districts of the City, including the acquisition of land and buildings therefor	501,000.00

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall, by proclamation, give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and County officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Council, this 26th day of May, A. D. 1919.

JOHN S. HERRON,
President of Council.

Attest:

E. J. MARTIN,
Clerk of Council.

Mayor's office, May 27, 1919.

Approved: W. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

Attest:

M. H. GOTTSCHALL,
Mayor's Secretary.

Recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30,
page 312, 27th day of May, 1919.

Pittsburgh, July 14, 1919.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 148, Series 1919, as the same appears of record in the office of the City Clerk.

E. J. MARTIN,
City Clerk.

(Seal)

No. 149..

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million three hundred and forty one thousand (\$1,341,000.00) dollars (the amount estimated to be necessary) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses), or a part thereof, of additions, extensions and improvements to the sewer and drainage systems of the City as follows: Saw Mill Run sewer system; Negley Run sewer system for Homewood and Brushton districts; Nine Mile Run sewer system for Brushton and East End avenue districts; Soho Run sewer system; Hazelwood avenue sewer system; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness,

and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That, in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million three hundred and forty-one thousand (\$1,341,000.00) dollars (the amount estimated to be necessary) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses), or a part thereof, of additions, extensions and improvements to the sewer and drainage systems of the City, such systems and the amount for each being as follows, namely:

Saw Mill Run sewer system.....	\$438,000.00
Negley Run sewer system, for Homewood and Brushton districts	366,000.00
Nine Mile Run sewer system, for Brushton and East End avenue districts	321,000.00
Soho Run sewer system.....	135,000.00
Hazelwood avenue sewer sys- tem	81,000.00

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall, by proclamation, give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed

increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and County officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Council, this 26th day of May, A. D. 1919.

JOHN S. HERRON,
President of Council.

Attest:

E. J. MARTIN,
Clerk of Council.

Mayor's office, May 27, 1919.

Approved: E. V. BABCOCK.
Mayor.

Attest:

M. H. GOTTSCHALL,
Mayor's Secretary.

Recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30,
page 314, 27th day of May, 1919.

Pittsburgh, July 14, 1919.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 149, Series 1919, as the same appears of record in the office of the City Clerk.

E. J. MARTIN,
(Seal) City Clerk.

No. 150.

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the amount of one million four hundred one thousand dollars (\$1,401,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters, and the acquisition of real estate for said purposes, and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of

the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That, in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million four hundred one thousand dollars (\$1,401,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said purposes.

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall, by proclamation, give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City

and all other municipal and County officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Council, this 26th day of May, A. D. 1919.

JOHN S. HERRON,
President of Council.

Attest:

E. J. MARTIN,
Clerk of Council.

Mayor's office, May 27, 1919.

Approved: E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

Attest:

M. H. GOTTSCHALL,
Mayor's Secretary.

Recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30,
page 315, 27th day of May, 1919.

Pittsburgh, July 14, 1919.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 150, Series 1919, as the same appears of record in the office of the City Clerk.

E. J. MARTIN,
City Clerk.

(Seal)

No. 151.

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of six million dollars (\$6,000,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of providing transit facilities, consisting of a subway in the First and Second wards of the said City, adapted to the use of either the street surface cars or high-speed trains, or both, as may hereafter be determined, together with the necessary approaches, stations, buildings, works, appliances, equipment and appurtenances, upon such routes and according to such plan as may hereafter be determined by ordinance, and approved by such public authorities as may be required by law; providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased

indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That, in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of six million dollars (\$6,000,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of providing transit facilities, consisting of a subway, in the First and Second wards of the said City, adapted to the use of either street surface cars or high-speed trains, or both, as may hereafter be determined, together with the necessary approaches, stations, buildings, works, appliances, equipment and appurtenances, upon such routes and according to such plan as may hereafter be determined by ordinance and approved by such public authorities as may be required by law.

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall, by proclamation, give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and County

officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Council, this 26th day of May, A. D. 1919.

JOHN S. HERRON,
President of Council.

Attest:

E. J. MARTIN,
Clerk of Council.

Mayor's office, May 27, 1919.

Approved: E. V. BABCOCK.
Mayor.

Attest:

M. H. GOTTSCHALL,
Mayor's Secretary.

Recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30,
page 317, 27th day of May, 1919.

Pittsburgh, July 14, 1919.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 151, Series 1919, as the same appears of record in the office of the City Clerk.

(Seal) E. J. MARTIN,
City Clerk.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS.
IN RE INCREASE OF THE BONDED
INDEBTEDNESS OF THE CITY
OF PITTSBURGH.

Proof of publication of Election Proceedings in the Pittsburgh Post, Pittsburgh Leader and Pittsburgh Sun.

.....
City Solicitor.

.....
First Assistant City Solicitor.

IN THE COURT OF QUARTER
SESSIONS OF ALLEGHENY
COUNTY, PA.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS.

No. 8, June Sessions, 1919.

Bonded Indebtedness, Docket Vol.....
page.....

In the matter of the increase of the Bonded Indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation of the County of Allegheny and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Proof of publication proclamation in the Pittsburgh Post.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, } ss:
Count of Allegheny,

J. E. Trower, being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is advertising manager of the Post Publishing Company, publishers of the Pittsburgh Post, a public newspaper published in the City of Pittsburgh, County and Commonwealth aforesaid, which newspaper is one of the newspapers having a contract with said City for the publication of all official advertising of said City, and was such at the time of the publication of the notice hereinafter mentioned; and that the notice hereto attached, made part hereof, and identified as "Exhibit A," is a true and correct copy cut from said newspaper, and printed and published for five days in the regular edition and issue of said paper, on the following dates, viz: June 5, 12 19, 26 and July 3, 1919.

J. E. TROWER.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 16th day of July, A. D. 1919.

(Seal) ALICE A. TRILL,
Notary Public.

My commission expires January 22, 1921.

"EXHIBIT A"
CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PA.
ELECTION NOTICE.

Proclamation in the Matter of increases to the Indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, Pa.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH.
PENNSYLVANIA.
PROCLAMATION GIVING NOTICE OF
A SPECIAL ELECTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the City of Pittsburgh, in pursuance of ordinances duly enacted by the Council of the City and approved by the Mayor thereof on the 27th day of May, 1919, that a special public election will be held in the City of Pittsburgh on the 8th day of July, 1919, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the Electors of the City to various increases of the indebtedness of the City as hereinafter set forth.

The amount of the last assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is eight hundred six million twenty thousand seven hundred thirty dollars (\$806,020,730.00).

The amount of the existing debt of the City is thirty-two million five hundred thousand six hundred thirty-one and twelve one-hundredths dollars (\$32,500,631.12).

The total amount of all the proposed increases of the debt of the City is twenty-one million nine hundred ninety-six thousand dollars (\$21,996,000.00).

The percentage of the total amount of all such proposed increases to the last assessed valuation of taxable property in the City is 2.7289+ per cent.

The amount of the proposed increases of the indebtedness of the City, and the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased, are set forth in the following questions, which will be submitted to the Electors of the City at said election, namely:

QUESTION NO. 1.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of nine million five hundred and seventy-nine thousand dollars (\$9,579,000.00) for the following purposes and respective amounts:

For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing and reconstructing, and otherwise improving, the streets of the City generally, \$1,401,000.00.

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening the new streets and improving the new and existing streets described below, including, as may be required in the case of each street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grading and re-grading, curbing and recurbing, relaying sidewalks and laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls and street foundations and surfaces (including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets), the streets and the respective amounts for each being as follows, namely:

Boulevard of the Allies (Monongahela boulevard), a new boulevard (in part along existing streets) to extend from the intersection of Grant street and Second avenue along the Bluff to Craft avenue, including the building of two viaducts	\$2,001,000.00
Second avenue, from Liberty avenue to Grant street	1,410,000.00
Ferry street, from Liberty avenue to Water street.....	351,000.00
Diamond street, from Grant street to Smithfield street	417,000.00
Diamond street, from Ferry street to Market place	111,000.00

East street, from Tripoli street to Royal street.....	300,000.00
East Ohio street, from Heinz street to City line at Millvale Borough.....	555,000.00
Mount Washington road-way, a new highway, (in part along existing streets) to extend from Grandview avenue at Merrimac street eastwardly along the hillside to Manor street, and thence to a point near the intersection of Sarah street and South Seventh street, including the construction of a highway bridge, and under grade crossings	801,000.00
Carson street East, from Smithfield street to South Seventh street	315,000.00
Mount Oliver street, from South Eighteenth street to a point 50 feet north of Loyal way.....	96,000.00
A new street to extend from Hazelwood avenue to Greenfield avenue, in part along Irvine street on the easterly side of and parallel to the Baltimore & Ohio railroad tracks, including the abolition of the grade crossing on Second avenue at a point midway between Longworth street and Hazelwood avenue, and the improvement of the under grade crossing at Greenfield avenue and Second avenue	351,000.00
Bigelow boulevard at and near Brereton street and also at and near Thirtieth street	171,000.00
Arlington avenue, from South Twenty-sixth street to Clover street, including a change of location thereof, the elimination of curves, and the construction of a highway bridge	255,000.00
Baker street, from Butler street to Morningside avenue	90,000.00
Broad street, from Highland avenue to Frankstown avenue and extending it in part along Couch street to Hamilton avenue.....	777,000.00
Manchester avenue, a new street to extend from the intersection of South avenue and Galveston avenue, in part along existing street to the intersection of Ridge avenue and Allegheny avenue	177,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 1 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is 1.1884+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 2.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of six million dollars (\$6,000,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses), of providing transit facilities consisting of a subway in the First and Second wards of the said City, adapted to the use of either street surface cars or high-speed trains, or both, as may hereafter be determined, together with the necessary approaches, stations, buildings, works, appliances, equipment and appurtenances, upon such routes and according to such plan as may hereafter be determined by ordinance and approved by such public authorities as may be required by law.

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 2 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .7443+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 3.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million eight hundred and fifteen thousand (\$1,815,000.00) dollars, for the purpose of paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the following, and the amount of each item, namely:

Repairing and improving the roadways in Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks.....	\$399,000.00
Developing and improving West Park	99,000.00
Acquisition, development and improvement of land located in Saw Mill Run valley for park purposes.....	225,000.00
Improvement of City playgrounds and establishment of new playgrounds, including acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor	831,000.00
Acquisition of land for extension of Highland Park along Allegheny river and improvement of Washington boulevard to Heth's Run bridge	231,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 3 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .2251+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 4.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million four hundred one thousand dollars (\$1,401,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damages and

expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said purposes.

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 4 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .1738+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 5.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million three hundred and forty-one thousand (\$1,341,000.00) dollars (the amount estimated to be necessary) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) or a part thereof, of additions, extensions and improvements to the sewer and drainage systems of the City, such systems and the amount for each being as follows, namely:

Saw Mill Run sewer system.....	\$438,000.00
Negley Run sewer system, from Homewood and Brush-ton districts	366,000.00
Nine Mile Run sewer system, for Brushton and East End avenue districts	321,000.00
Soho Run sewer system.....	135,000.00
Hazelwood avenue sewer system	81,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 5 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .1663+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 6.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million one hundred and ten thousand (\$1,110,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expenses (including architectural and engineering expenses), of the following, and the amount for each item, namely:

Six public comfort stations including the acquisition of land where necessary therefor	\$120,000.00
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Municipal Hospital	99,000.00
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Tuberculosis Hospital	201,000.00
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Mayview City Home and Hospital.....	99,000.00

Relocation of the central fire alarm station, including acquisition and installation of apparatus, appliances, appurtenances, and the laying of wires and construction of conduits 90,000.00

Construction, reconstruction and improvement of buildings for combination fire and police stations in the North Side, East End and West End districts of the City, including the acquisition of land and buildings therefor 501,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 6 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .1377+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 7.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand (\$750,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including the engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of highway bridges and approaches thereto, the said bridges and the amount for each being as follows, namely:

Center avenue bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shadyside station \$120,000.00

Beechwood boulevard bridge, connecting Schenley Park to Beechwood boulevard 270,000.00

North and Irwin avenue bridges 60,000.00

Island avenue bridge on Lincoln Highway connecting Chateau street and California avenue 90,000.00

East street bridge to connect Charles street and Essen street, for one-half the cost, thereof, the other one-half to be paid by Allegheny County 210,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 7 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .0930+ per cent.

The above seven questions for the increase of indebtedness of the City will be so printed on the ballots that the Electors may vote for or against each of such questions separately.

The said election will be held at the same polling places at which municipal elections are held, and during the same hours of the day, namely, between the hours of 7 o'clock A. M. and 7 o'clock P. M., and by the same election officers. The locations of the polling places are as follows, namely:

FIRST WARD.

1st district—J. J. Gordon, 3 Delroy street.

2nd district—First floor, South school building, Diamond and Ross streets.

3rd district—D. L. Klinger, 902 Watson street.

4th district—County building, 1206 Bluff street.

5th district — Forbes school building, Stevenson street.

6th district—Premises of Louis Solmon, 1617 Forbes street.

7th district — Forbes school building, Forbes street.

8th district—Matthew Mallett, 76 Van Braam street.

9th district—High school building, Fifth avenue.

10th district—County building, Bluff and Gist streets.

SECOND WARD.

1st district—North school building, Duquesne way and Eighth street.

2nd district — Grant school building, Grant street and Strawberry way.

3rd district—Fire engine house, 42 Tunnel street.

4th district—Hancock school building, Webster and Seventh avenues.

5th district—Susia Bodner, 1107 Penn avenue.

6th district—Ralston school building, Penn avenue and Fifteenth street.

7th district—Carmelo Masi, 1634 Penn avenue.

8th district — Henry Delp, 1917 Penn avenue.

9th district — O'Hara school building, Smallman and Twenty-fifth streets.

10th district—C. A. Weisburg, 2631 Penn avenue.

THIRD WARD.

1st district—J. Sherry, 51 Fernando street.

2nd district—Louis Alpern, 1013 Wylie avenue.

3rd district — Pittsburgh playgrounds, Bedford avenue and Elm street.

4th district — Franklin school building, Hazel and Logan streets.

5th district—Central High school building, Bedford avenue.

6th district—Franklin school building, Hazel and Logan streets.

7th district—No. 4 Stevenson street.

8th district—Letsche school building, Bedford avenue.

9th district—Simon Bluestone, 52 Crawford street.

10th district—Miller school building, Miller and Reed streets.

11th district—Reuben Miller, 46 Arthur street.

12th district—Rosie Cohen, 1911 Bedford avenue.

13th district—William Gundler, 1905 Webster avenue.

14th district—Moorhead school building, Granville and Enoch streets.

- 15th district—Jacob Eberharter, 321 Dinwiddie street.
 16th district—Oscar Rubinoﬀ, 115 Dinwiddie street.
 17th district—Charles Manchen, 262 Dinwiddie street.

FOURTH WARD.

- 1st district—Charles Kaltenhauser, 2114 Forbes street.
 2nd district—Soho school building, Fifth avenue and Soho street.
 3rd district—John Wolfarth, 2349 Fifth avenue.
 4th district—Soho school building, Fifth avenue and Soho street.
 5th district—Basement of St. Agnes' school building, 120 Robinson street.
 6th district—Bellefield school building, Fifth avenue and Boquet street.
 7th district—Bellefield dwellings, Bellefield and Center avenues.
 8th district—No. 14 engine house, Neville and Ellsworth avenues.
 9th district—County building, Forbes and Marbury streets.
 10th district—Easterly side of No. 4 police station, Forbes street.
 11th district—John C. Remsburg, 228 Atwood street.
 12th district—Thomas J. O'Donnell, 317 Meyran avenue.
 13th district—Vincenzo Sacco, 425 Semple street.
 14th district—South end of unnamed alley between McKee place and Coltart square.
 15th district—No. 4 engine house, Ward and Wilmot streets.
 16th district—Harris and Leipsig, Craft avenue and Emily street.
 17th district—County building, Forbes and Ophelia streets.
 18th district—Teofil Uminski, 63 Bates street.
 19th district—Holmes school building, Dawson street, near Edith street.
 20th district—Holmes school building, Dawson street, near Edith street.

FIFTH WARD.

- 1st district—J. R. Voskamp, 2008 Wylie avenue.
 2nd district—Barber shop of Louis Flansbaum, 2118 Wylie avenue.
 3rd district—C. E. Ward, 2209 Bedford avenue.
 4th district—W. C. Porter, 2152 Wylie avenue.
 5th district—Somers school building, Somers street and Webster avenue.
 6th district—Watt school building, Watt street and Webster avenue.
 7th district—Rose school building, Rose and Charles streets.
 8th district—Rose school building, Rose and Charles streets.
 9th district—Morris Brown, 361 Soho street.
 10th district—Minersville school building, No. 1 Morgan street and Center avenue.

- 11th district—Q. Johnson, 2412 Wylie avenue.
 12th district—J. W. Jones, 2642 Wylie avenue.
 13th district—Watt school building, Watt street and Webster avenue.
 14th district—Ward L. Calloway, 2815 Wylie avenue.
 15th district—Samuel B. Waughter, 631 Herron avenue.
 16th district—Frank Nichter, 662 Bryn Mawr road.
 17th district—County building, 3350 Milwaukee avenue.
 18th district—Joseph Trapp, 756 Bryn Mawr road.
 19th district—Madison school building, Milwaukee and Orion streets.
 20th district—John A. Ward, 303 North Craig street.

SIXTH WARD.

- 1st district—A. G. Shara, 2714 Penn avenue.
 2nd district—Springfield school building, Smallman and Thirty-first streets.
 3rd district—F. W. Fisch, 3333 Penn avenue.
 4th district—Lawrence school building, Thirty-seventh and Charlotte streets.
 5th district—Lawrence school building, Thirty-seventh and Charlotte streets.
 6th district—A. L. Lewin, corner Peoria and Thirty-seventh streets, rear of 3703 Penn avenue.
 7th district—County building, between Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets on Penn avenue.
 8th district—McKee school building, Ligonier street.
 9th district—County building, Clement alley and Thirty-seventh street.
 10th district—County building, Clement and Thirty-ninth streets.
 11th district—Sarah McCarthy, 374 Herron avenue.
 12th district—Elizabeth Gada, 3020 Paulowna avenue.
 13th district—Michael Renebrowski, 3051 Brereton avenue.
 14th district—Dennis Lynch, 3544 Brereton avenue.
 15th district—Penn school building, Hancock and Thirty-third streets.

SEVENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Mueller's garage, Denniston and Walnut streets.
 2nd district—S. W. Vandersal, Howe street and South Highland avenue.
 3rd district—Highland Laundry Company, Walnut and Summerlea streets.
 4th district—Bishop and Ports stable, Copeland and Walnut streets.
 5th district—C. J. Marson, 5135 Fifth avenue.
 6th district—Liberty school building, Ellsworth avenue and Ivy street.
 7th district—City property, College avenue and Pennsylvania R. R.
 8th district—Braun's auditorium, S. W. corner South Highland avenue and Pennsylvania Railroad.

- 9th district—Shakespeare school building, Shakespeare street and Shady avenue.
 10th district—Shakespeare school building, Shakespeare street and Shady avenue.
 11th district—Schenley Riding Academy, Bayard and Clyde streets.

EIGHTH WARD.

- 1st district—Jacob Lubbert (room of), 5816 Penn avenue.
 2nd district—Annie E. Delp, 5739 Commerce street.
 3rd district—County building, Graham street, near Baum boulevard.
 4th district—Friendship school building, Graham street.
 5th district—Newmeyer and Beck Company, 5154 Penn avenue.
 6th district—Osceola school building, Cypress and Osceola streets.
 7th district—Maria Stusky, 4738 Morewood avenue.
 8th district—U. Hungartner, Mathilda street and Parsley way.
 9th district—Real Estate Company office, Gross and Friendship avenue.
 10th district—J. A. Weisbecker, 205 Pearl street, rear.
 11th district—Henry Kellerman, Liberty avenue and Edmond street.
 12th district—Dominick Paris, 336 Pearl street.
 13th district—Andrews school building, Ella street.
 14th district—John A. Selzer, 431 Pearl street.

NINTH WARD.

- 1st district—Washington school building, Fortieth street.
 2nd district—County building, 186 Forty-third street.
 3rd district—Mary Last, 134 Forty-fifth street.
 4th district—Andrew Gregg, 4615 Butler street.
 5th district—Bayard school building, Hatfield street.
 6th district—No. 5 police station, Forty-third street.
 7th district—M. W. Deasy, 4500 Butler street.
 8th district—Stephen C. Foster school building, Main street.
 9th district—C. L. Wilson, Bruce and Forty-fourth streets.
 10th district—No. 6 engine house, Forty-fourth and Calvin streets.
 11th district—C. H. Ruckel, 4403 Penn avenue.
 12th district—Woolslayer school building, Fortieth and Liberty streets.
 13th district—George G. Wedd, 4309 Main street.
 14th district—Nunzio Martino, 248 Ella street.
 15th district—R. J. McMeekin, 4632 Penn avenue.

TENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Thomas Wood, 5122 Butler street.

- 2nd district—McCandless school building, Butler street.
 3rd district—William J. Gable, 5403 Butler street.
 4th district—Mt. Albion school building, Butler street.
 5th district—Mrs. George Davis, 1821 Morningside avenue.
 6th district—Morningside school building, Greenwood and Jauncey streets.
 7th district—St. Raphael's school building, Chislett and Bryant streets.
 8th district—Sunnyside school building, Stanton and McCandless avenues.
 9th district—McCleary school building, Holmes street and McCandless avenue.
 10th district—Voorwards Singing Society, 5137 Holmes street.
 11th district—Fort Pitt school building, Breedshill street.
 12th district—J. J. Mooney, 417 North Rebecca street.
 13th district—Garfield school building, Atlantic avenue and Broad street.
 14th district—Bessie Campbell, 5101 Penn avenue.
 15th district—Reese property, N. W. corner Winebiddle avenue and Kincaid street.
 16th district—A. O. H. Hall, Division No. 25, 4905 Broad street.

ELEVENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Harvey E. Lowry, 122 Collins avenue.
 2nd district—James M. McKee, Harvard and Rural streets.
 3rd district—County building, 205 North St. Clair street.
 4th district—D. E. Simpson, rear 5414 Broad street.
 5th district—Theodore Bitzer, 315 Graham street.
 6th district—James E. Rodgers school building, Columbo near Black street.
 7th district—County building, corner Haight's street.
 8th district—Fulton school building, Hampton and North St. Clair streets.
 9th district—County building, St. Clair and Jackson streets.
 10th district—County building, rear 5800 Stanton avenue.
 11th district—James F. Fox, 423 North Euclid avenue.
 12th district—Margaretta school building, Margaretta and North Beatty streets.
 13th district—E. Zimmerman, 6408 Hoevler street.
 14th district—Dilworth school building, Stanton and Collins avenues.
 15th district—Dilworth school building, Stanton and Collins avenues.
 16th district—Joseph Drum, rear 6055 Stanton avenue.

TWELFTH WARD.

- 1st district—Lincoln school building, Frankstown and Lincoln avenues.
 2nd district—William A. Means, 6428 Frankstown avenue.
 3rd district—John Bowers, rear 200 Paulson avenue.

4th district — John S. Brindle, corner Ashley street and Tyler alley.
 5th district — Michael Martoraus, 201 Larimer avenue.
 6th district — Joseph Kreuer, Jr., 507 Larimer avenue.
 7th district — C. W. Smith, rear 601 Larimer avenue.
 8th district — T. B. Rodgers, Paulson and Shetland avenues.
 9th district — Room in rear of Engine House No. 27, on City property, with entrance on Renfrew street.
 10th district — Basement of Bentel building, corner Lincoln avenue and Rowan street.
 11th district — E. E. Meenercher Hall Association, 6830 Upland street.
 12th district — W. C. Dbert, 6712 Frankstown avenue.
 13th district — D. B. Smith, 712 North Dallas avenue.
 14th district — Lemington school building, Lemington avenue, near Lincoln avenue.
 15th district — Lemington school building, Lemington avenue, near Lincoln avenue.
 16th district — Barber shop of H. C. Fry, 1419 Lincoln avenue.
 17th district — H. S. Double, 1372 Grotto street.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

1st district — Homewood school building, Lang and Hamilton avenues.
 2nd district — Premises of J. M. Boyd, rear room, 7057 Frankstown avenue.
 3rd district — Belmar school building, corner Hermitage street and Lang avenue.
 4th district — Belmar school building, Hermitage street and Lang avenue.
 5th district — Belmar school building, Hermitage street and Lang avenue.
 6th district — Premises of Knights of Malta Hall, 7310 Hamilton avenue.
 7th district — County building, 7215 Kelly street.
 8th district — Margaret A. Mutzig, rear N. E. corner Race and Sterrett streets.
 9th district — W. C. Smithen, 7340 Mount Vernon street.
 10th district — Brushton public school building, Brushton avenue and Baxter street.
 11th district — Law Burner Company, 7514 Bennett street.
 12th district — County building, Tioga street, 250 feet west of Braddock avenue.
 13th district — Brushton school building, Brushton avenue and Mulford street.
 14th district — Brushton school building, Brushton avenue and Mulford street.
 15th district — Bennett school building, Bennett and Hale streets.
 16th district — Storeroom, D. Howard Brown, 7721 Frankstown avenue.
 17th district — Paul Stewart, 8029 Frankstown avenue.
 18th district — D. M. Wolfe, Oakwood avenue and Inglewood place.

19th district — Cresecent school building, 8834 Frankstown avenue.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

1st district — Colfax school building, 1 Phillips avenue and Pitt boulevard.
 2nd district — Sterrett school building, Lang avenue and Reynolds street.
 3rd district — Thomas Wightman school building, Solway and Wightman streets.
 4th district — Forward avenue school building, Forward avenue.
 5th district — Swisshelm school building, Whipple and Commercial streets.
 6th district — Linden school building, Linden avenue, near Beechwood boulevard.
 7th district — Park place school building, Braddock avenue and Waverly street.
 8th district — Engine Nouse No. 16, Penn and Lang avenues.
 9th district — Premises of John Coryn, 6739 Reynolds street.
 10th district — Dr. J. H. McClelland estate, Fifth and Wilkins avenues.
 11th district — John Gray, rear 5724 Bartlett street.
 12th district — Squirrel Hill Realty Company, 1709 Murray avenue.
 13th district — Mrs. George T. Clarkson, 1253 Shady avenue.
 14th district — Catherine Hess, 7613 Penn avenue.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

1st district — Roosevelt school building, Greenfield avenue and Melbourne street.
 2nd district — Plumbing shop of John Flatley at Greenfield avenue and Wheatland street.
 3rd district — F. W. Ertzman, 601 Greenfield avenue.
 4th district — Bround Brothers, 524 Greenfield avenue.
 5th district — Greenfield school building, Greenfield avenue and Alvin street.
 6th district — Greenfield school building, Greenfield avenue and Alvin street.
 7th district — Office of L. R. Gould, 4725 Second avenue.
 8th district — Gladstone school building, Hazelwood avenue and Gladstone street.
 9th district — H. O. Hornberger, 444 Flow-ers avenue.
 10th district — Hazelwood school building, Second avenue and Tecumseh street.
 11th district — Hazelwood school building, Second avenue and Tecumseh street.
 12th district — Josiah Taylor, 1989 Lytle street.
 13th district — Hazelwood school building, Second avenue and Tecumseh street.
 14th district — Joseph A. Steven's pool room, 5341 Second avenue.
 15th district — Glenwood school building, Second avenue and Alluvian street.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Sophia Mahler, 2718 Sarah street.
- 2nd district—Wickersham school building, Carson and South Thirtieth streets.
- 3rd district—Catherine O'Shea, 2846 Mary street.
- 4th district—Mrs. Minnie Miers, rear 2726 Stromberg street.
- 5th district—John Krueger, Jr., 2424 Berg avenue.
- 6th district—Bayne school building, Fernleaf and Eckles streets.
- 7th district—Brashear school building, Primrose and Eleanor streets.
- 8th district—St. Joseph's school building, corner Lebanon and Sterling streets.
- 9th district—Morse school building, Sarah and South Twenty-fifth streets.
- 10th district—Sarah building and Loan Association, 2121 Sarah street.
- 11th district—Empire Laundry Company, 2307 Carson street.
- 12th district—John A. Bleichner, 2208 Carson street.
- 13th district—Morse school building, Sarah and South Twenty-fifth streets.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—R. Krummel, 1714 Sidney street.
- 2nd district—German-American Musical Society, 1719 Jane street.
- 3rd district—Premises of K. L. Muegele, 119 South Eighteenth street.
- 4th district—Humboldt school building, Sarah and South Twentieth streets.
- 5th district—Humboldt school building, Sarah and South Twentieth streets.
- 6th district—George A. Jones, 54 South Thirteenth street.
- 7th district—Birmingham school building, South Fourteenth street.
- 8th district—Mary Kreuger, 1314 Sarah street.
- 9th district—D. Gruntz, 1018 Bradford street.
- 10th district—F. E. Koegler, 73 South Eleventh street.
- 11th district—Bedford school building, Bingham street.
- 12th district—Andrew Stapf, Fifth and Carson streets.
- 13th district—County building, Welsh way, under Knoxville incline.
- 14th district—Jefferson school building, Birmingham and Monastery streets.
- 15th district—William Reick, 178 Pius street.
- 16th district—Storeroom of Mrs. Magdalene Sommer, 155 Monastery avenue.
- 17th district—German-Hungarian Singing Society, 38 Mt. Oliver street.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Allen school building, Allen and Excelsior streets.
- 2nd district—Pittsburgh Incline Plane 1127 Brownsville avenue.
- 3rd district—Jacob Staud, Arlington and Warrington avenues.

- 4th district—Henry Grelle, 51 Warrington avenue.
- 5th district—W. S. Allen, 118 Millbridge street.
- 6th district—G. A. R. Hall, Post 236, Arlington avenue.
- 7th district—Tailor shop of Charles Baumgartner, Loyal street and Knox avenue.
- 8th district—Garage of H. I. McConnell, Ruxton street, near Craighead street.
- 9th district—E. Fitch, 74 Estella street.
- 10th district—Waiting room of Castle Shannon Incline, owned by Pittsburgh Railways Company.
- 11th district—Knox school building, Manor and Brownsville avenues.
- 12th district—J. G. Mooney, 33 Climax street.
- 13th district—C. F. Barr, Estella and Climax streets.
- 14th district—Beltzhoover school building, Cedarhurst street.
- 15th district—Beltzhoover Athletic Club, Bernd street.
- 16th district—City property, 38 Lafferty avenue.
- 17th district—James Curtis, 1715 Gearring avenue.
- 18th district—Bon Air school building, Fordyce and Calle streets.

NINETEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Riverside high school building, 1740 West Carson street.
- 2nd district—J. Kappler, Greenleaf and Tingle streets.
- 3rd district—Snodgrass school building, Augusta and Sweetbriar streets.
- 4th district—Storeroom of Henry Bosau, 1306 Grandview avenue.
- 5th district—Frederick Wunder, 1176 Grandview avenue.
- 6th district—M. P. Church Annex, Bingham street and Virginia avenue.
- 7th district—County building, in school yard, Bertha street.
- 8th district—Engine house (Bartley McCoy), Shiloh street.
- 9th district—Henry Polk, Kahlmayers lane.
- 10th district—Cargo school building, Boggs avenue and Wyoming street.
- 11th district—Prospect school building, Prospect and Southern avenues.
- 12th district—William Laughlin, Jr., rear 141 Virginia avenue.
- 13th district—J. Bissett, Jr., 194 Southern avenue.
- 14th district—Office of Dr. M. M. Waller, 286 Southern avenue.
- 15th district—County building, Lelia street.
- 16th district—Beechwood school building, Rockland and Sebring streets.
- 17th district—Beechwood school building, Sebring and Fallowfield streets.
- 18th district—Laura B. Weiser, 1420 Methyl street.
- 19th district—Lee school building, Shiras and Los Angeles streets.
- 20th district—Mechanics Hall, West Liberty avenue.

- 21st district—West Liberty school building, Pioneer avenue.
- 22nd district—Garage of O. L. Marks, Wedgemere street.
- 23rd district—Brookline school building, Woodbourne avenue.
- 24th district—Eleanor McCutcheon, Merri-
ck avenue.

TWENTIETH WARD.

- 1st district—Mrs. H. Schuchman, 103 Steuben street.
- 2nd district—Thadd Stevens school building, Mill and Main streets.
- 3rd district—John Panner, Wabash and Steuben streets.
- 4th district—C. P. Bolger, Independence street.
- 5th district—Luckey school building, Shaler street.
- 6th district—Westlake school building, Lorenz and Crucible streets.
- 7th district—Mrs. Isabella Cargo, Weston street and Elm way.
- 8th district—Frank Case, Ainsworth and Marion streets.
- 9th district—Jacob Kugelmaier, Chartiers avenue and Bucyrus street.
- 10th district—D. J. Morgan, 125 Earl street.
- 11th district—Young & Schmidt, 418 West Carson street.
- 12th district—Harwood Hose Co. No. 1, 2904 Merwyn avenue.
- 13th district—Harwood school building, Hammond and Glenmawr avenues.
- 14th district—American Avenue school building, Allendale and Sutherland avenues.
- 15th district—Emma E. Cutler, Faulkner street, near Chartiers avenue.
- 16th district—John Hall, Jr., 660 Hillis-
boro street.
- 17th district—Drumm's shop, Huxley street, near Stanhope street.
- 18th district—Chartiers school building, Centralia street, near Chartiers avenue.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.

- 1st district—George W. Garbart, 1234 Reedsdale street.
- 2nd district—Engine Company No. 47, Fulton and Lyndale streets.
- 3rd district—Albert J. Gass, 1221 Beaver avenue.
- 4th district—John M. Conroy school, Fulton and Page streets.
- 5th district—Mrs. L. Faulkner, 1503 Sheffield street.
- 6th district—Isaac N. Pollock, 1226 Pennsylvania avenue.
- 7th district—County building, rear 1612 Sedgwick street.
- 8th district—Manchester school building, corner Juniata and Chateau streets.
- 9th district—Manchester school building, Juniata and Gironde streets.
- 10th district—Manchester school building, Columbus avenue.
- 11th district—George A. Cochran, 1220 Columbus avenue.

- 12th district—Manchester school building, Columbus avenue and Chateau street.
- 13th district—County building, Brady street, near Chartiers avenue.
- 14th district—Mrs. J. L. Crawford, Siegel and California avenues.
- 15th district—Patrick H. Haney, Bidwell street and Pennsylvania avenue.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

- 1st district—Andrew Reagan, 100 East General Robinson street.
- 2nd district—William Waugh, 307 West Lacock street.
- 3rd district—Webster school building, Reedsdale and Scotland streets.
- 4th district—Joseph Lowry, 117 W. Ohio street.
- 5th district—Allegheny High school building, Sherman avenue.
- 6th district—Nicholas Gimetta, 853 Western avenue.
- 7th district—F. R. Evans, 853 West North avenue.
- 8th district—Patrick Gilfoil, Irwin avenue and Tarleton street.
- 9th district—Mary J. Cowley school building, Sherman avenue and Eloise street.
- 10th district—S. Schwartz, 1206 Federal street.
- 11th district—Premises at corner of North avenue and Esplanade street, formerly occupied by a cigar manufacturing company.
- 12th district—Carnegie library, Ohio and North Diamond streets.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

- 1st district—Mrs. C. Phillips, 401 East General Robinson street.
- 2nd district—East Park school building, 416 Lockhart street.
- 3rd district—East Park school building, 416 Lockhart street.
- 4th district—Lockhart school building, 851 Lockhart street.
- 5th district—Paul F. Eyles, 509 Chestnut street.
- 6th district—George Schad, Chestnut and Main streets.
- 7th district—Latimer school building, James street and North avenue.
- 8th district—Latimer school building, James street and North avenue.
- 9th district—Koerner Hall, 1205 East street.
- 10th district—Carl Bader, 717 East street.
- 11th district—Madison Square Huntinz and Fishing Club, 848 Conrod street.
- 12th district—Schiller school building, Chestnut street.
- 13th district—John Scheck, 1022 Chestnut street.
- 14th district—Schiller school building, Chestnut street.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

- 1st district—Duquesne school building, East Ohio street.

2nd district—County building, 1330 Return street.
 3rd district—Sophie Ribber, 1502 Lowry street.
 4th district—Troy Hill school building, 15 Claim street.
 5th district—County building, Fleck street.
 6th district—Michael Gebhardt, 1810 Niggel street.
 7th district—County building, 2112 Lowry street.
 8th district—Spring Garden school building, Spring Garden avenue.
 9th district—County building, rear Engine House No. 49, High and Lager streets.
 10th district—Engine House No. 53, Hasledge and Rhine streets.
 11th district—Louis Yeager's pool room, Rhine and Yetta streets.
 12th district—East street school building, East street.
 13th district—John Poulos, 1410 East street.
 14th district—East street public school building, East and Rostock streets.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.

1st district—Julius Eckert, Jefferson street and Perrysville avenue.
 2nd district—W. G. Nimick, 524 Jarvella street.
 3rd district—Columbus school building, Irwin avenue.
 4th district—Christina Crawford, rear 838 Pennsylvania avenue.
 5th district—Mrs. C. Barch, 1821 Brighton road.
 6th district—Roscoe Evans, 108 Taggart street.
 7th district—Clayton school building, Clayton avenue.
 8th district—County building, Eshelman street and Perrysville avenue.
 9th district—C. B. Milligan, 1334 Federal street.
 10th district—Fineview school building, Pineview avenue.
 11th district—Graß and Compromise street.
 12th district—County building, Holyoke street.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

1st district—Tenth Ward Republican Progressive Association, Taggart street.
 2nd district—Linwood school building, corner Linwood avenue and Taggart street.
 3rd district—George W. Kendrick, corner Chester and Wilson avenue.
 4th district—County building, Perrysville avenue and St. Luke square.
 5th district—Longfellow school building, 2629 East street.
 6th district—McNaugher school building, Merritt, near Taggart street.
 7th district—G. S. Paxton, on Kennedy avenue, about 15 feet from Perrysville avenue.

8th district—County building on City property, Neuhart street.
 9th district—Perry school building, Perrysville avenue and Semicir street.
 10th district—County building, Greentree avenue.
 11th district—William S. Schwab, 3332 East street.
 12th district—Office of William Robertson, 2020 East street.
 13th district—City View school building, South Side avenue and Hospen street.

TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD

1st district—County building, Hasley place.
 2nd district—County building, Shadeland and Woodland avenues.
 3rd district—Mrs. J. S. Moreland, 3128 Brighton road.
 4th district—Horace Mann school building, Shadeland avenue.
 5th district—County building, California avenue and Forsythe street.
 6th district—County building, Gevey avenue.
 7th district—County building, 3218 Central avenue.
 8th district—Garage on estate of Conrad Deitrich, off Brighton road.
 9th district—County building, 1409 Woods Run avenue.
 10th district—John Morrow school building, Davis and Fleming avenues.
 11th district—John Morrow school building, Davis and Fleming avenues.
 12th district—County building, California avenue, between Benton and Cooper avenues.
 13th district—County building, Brighton road, 100 feet west of Benton avenue.
 14th district—G. A. Young, 652 Preble avenue.
 15th district—Anna Burke, 6 Cantril street, formerly Cowan street.
 Dated, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, June 5, 1919.

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS.

IN RE INCREASE OF THE BONDED INDEBTEDNESS OF THE CITY OF PITTSBURGH.

Proof of publication of Election Proceedings in the Pittsburgh Post, Pittsburgh Leader and Pittsburgh Sun.

City Solicitor.

First Assistant City Solicitor.

IN THE COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS.

No. 8, June Sessions, 1919.
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In the matter of the increase of the Bonded Indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation of the County of Allegheny and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Proof of publication proclamation in the Pittsburgh Leader.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
County of Allegheny, } ss:

Edward Hope, being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is treasurer of the Leader Publishing Company, publishers of the Pittsburgh Leader, a public newspaper published in the City of Pittsburgh, County and Commonwealth aforesaid, which newspaper is one of the newspapers having a contract with said City for the publication of all official advertising of said City, and was such at the time of the publication of the notice hereinafter mentioned; and that the notice hereto attached, made part hereof, and identified as "Exhibit A," is a true and correct copy cut from said newspaper, and printed and published for the City of Pittsburgh in the regular edition and issue of said paper, on the following dates, viz: June 5, 12, 19, 26 and July 3, 1919.

LEADER PUBLISHING COMPANY.

EDWARD HOPE,
Treasurer.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this
17th day of July, A. D. 1919.

MARY A. PADDEN,
Notary Public.

My commission expires February 19,
1921.

"EXHIBIT A."

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PA. ELECTION NOTICE.

Proclamation in the Matter of increases
to the Indebtedness of the City
of Pittsburgh, Pa.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA.

PROCLAMATION GIVING NOTICE OF A SPECIAL ELECTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the City of Pittsburgh, in pursuance of ordinances duly enacted by the Council of the City and approved by the Mayor thereof on the 27th day of May, 1919, that a special public election will be held in the City of Pittsburgh on the 8th day of July, 1919, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the Electors of the City to various in-

creases of the indebtedness of the City as hereinafter set forth.

The amount of the last assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is eight hundred six million twenty thousand seven hundred thirty dollars (\$806,020,730.00).

The amount of the existing debt of the City is thirty-two million five hundred thousand six hundred thirty-one and twelve one-hundredths dollars (\$32,500,631.12).

The total amount of all the proposed increases of the debt of the City is twenty-one million nine hundred ninety-six thousand dollars (\$21,996,000.00).

The percentage of the total amount of all such proposed increases to the last assessed valuation of taxable property in the City is 2.7289+ per cent.

The amount of the proposed increases of the indebtedness of the City, and the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased, are set forth in the following questions, which will be submitted to the Electors of the City at said election, namely:

QUESTION NO. 1.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of nine million five hundred and seventy-nine thousand dollars (\$9,579,000.00) for the following purposes and respective amounts:

For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing and reconstructing, and otherwise improving, the streets of the City generally, \$1,401,000.00.

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening the new streets and improving the new and existing streets described below, including, as may be required in the case of each street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grading and regrading, curbing and recurbing, relaying sidewalks and laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls and street foundations and surfaces (including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets), the streets and the respective amounts for each being as follows, namely:

Boulevard of the Allies (Monongahela boulevard), a new boulevard (in part along existing streets) to extend from the intersection of Grant street and Second avenue along the Bluff to Craft avenue, including the building of two viaducts	\$2,001,000.00
Second avenue, from Liberty avenue to Grant street	1,410,000.00

Ferry street, from Liberty avenue to Water street.....	351,000.00
Diamond street, from Grant street to Smithfield street	417,000.00
Diamond street, from Ferry street to Market place	111,000.00
East street, from Tripoli street to Royal street.....	300,000.00
East Ohio street, from Heinz street to City line at Millvale Borough.....	555,000.00
Mount Washington road-way, a new highway, (in part along existing streets) to extend from Grandview avenue at Merrimac street eastwardly along the hillside to Manor street, and thence to a point near the intersection of Sarah street and South Seventh street, including the construction of a highway bridge, and under grade crossings	801,000.00
Carson street East, from Smithfield street to South Seventh street	315,000.00
Mount Oliver street, from South Eighteenth street to a point 50 feet north of Loyal way.....	96,000.00
A new street to extend from Hazelwood avenue to Greenfield avenue, in part along Irvine street on the easterly side of and parallel to the Baltimore & Ohio railroad tracks, including the abolition of the grade crossing on Second avenue at a point midway between Longworth street and Hazelwood avenue, and the improvement of the under grade crossing at Greenfield avenue and Second avenue	351,000.00
Rixelow boulevard at and near Brereton street and also at and near Thirtieth street	171,000.00
Arlington avenue, from South Twenty-sixth street to Clover street, including a change of location thereof, the elimination of curves, and the construction of a highway bridge	255,000.00
Baker street, from Butler street to Morningside avenue	90,000.00
Broad street, from Highland avenue to Frankstown avenue and extending it in part along Couch street to Hamilton avenue.....	777,000.00

Manchester avenue, a new street to extend from the intersection of South avenue and Galveston avenue, in part along existing street to the intersection of Ridge avenue and Allegheny avenue

177,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 1 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is 1.1884+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 2.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of six million dollars (\$6,000,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses), of providing transit facilities consisting of a subway in the First and Second wards of the said City, adapted to the use of either street surface cars or high-speed trains, or both, as may hereafter be determined, together with the necessary approaches, stations, buildings, works, appliances, equipment and appurtenances, upon such routes and according to such plan as may hereafter be determined by ordinance and approved by such public authorities as may be required by law.

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 2 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .7443+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 3.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million eight hundred and fifteen thousand (\$1,815,000.00) dollars, for the purpose of paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the following, and the amount of each item, namely:

Repairing and improving the roadways in Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks.....	\$399,000.00
Developing and improving West Park	99,000.00
Acquisition, development and improvement of land located in Saw Nill Run valley for park purposes.....	225,000.00
Improvement of City playgrounds and establishment of new playgrounds, including acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor	831,000.00
Acquisition of land for extension of Highland Park along Allegheny river and improvement of Washington boulevard to Heth's Run bridge	231,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 3 to the assessed valuation of the

taxable property in the City is .2251+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 4.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million four hundred one thousand dollars (\$1,401,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said purposes.

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 4 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .1738+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 5.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million three hundred and forty-one thousand (\$1,341,000.00) dollars (the amount estimated to be necessary) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) or a part thereof, of additions, extensions and improvements to the sewer and drainage systems of the City, such systems and the amount for each being as follows, namely:

Saw Mill Run sewer system.....	\$438,000.00
Negley Run sewer system, from Homewood and Brush- ton districts	366,000.00
Nine Mile Run sewer system, for Brushton and East End avenue districts	321,000.00
Soho Run sewer system.....	135,000.00
Hazelwood avenue sewer sys- tem	\$1,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 5 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .1663+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 6.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million one hundred and ten thousand (\$1,110,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expenses (including architectural and engineering expenses), of the following, and the amount for each item, namely:

Six public comfort stations. In- cluding the acquisition of land where necessary there- for	\$120,000.00
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Additions, extensions and im- provements to the Municipal Hospital	99,000.00
Additions, extensions and im- provements to the Tubercu- losis Hospital	201,000.00
Additions, extensions and im- provements to the Mayview City Home and Hospital.....	99,000.00
Relocation of the central fire alarm station, including ac- quisition and installation of apparatus, appliances, ap- purtenances, and the laying of wires and construction of conduits	90,000.00
Construction, reconstruction and improvement of build- ings for combination fire and police stations in the North Side, East End and West End districts of the City, including the acquisi- tion of land and buildings therefor	501,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 6 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .1377+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 7.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand (\$750,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including the engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of high-way bridges and approaches thereto, the said bridges and the amount for each being as follows, namely:

Center avenue bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shadyside station	\$120,000.00
Beechwood boulevard bridge, connecting Schenley Park to Beechwood boulevard	270,000.00
North and Irwin avenue bridges	60,000.00
Island avenue bridge on Lin- coln Highway connecting Chateau street and Califor- nia avenue	90,000.00
East street bridge to connect Charles street and Essen street, for one-half the cost, thereof, the other one-half to be paid by Allegheny County	210,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 7 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .0930+ per cent.

The above seven questions for the increase of indebtedness of the City will be so printed on the ballots that the

Electors may vote for or against each of such questions separately.

The said election will be held at the same polling places at which municipal elections are held, and during the same hours of the day, namely, between the hours of 7 o'clock A. M. and 7 o'clock P. M., and by the same election officers. The locations of the polling places are as follows, namely:

FIRST WARD.

- 1st district—J. J. Gordon, 3 Delroy street.
- 2nd district—First floor, South school building, Diamond and Ross streets.
- 3rd district—D. L. Klinger, 902 Watson street.
- 4th district—County building, 1206 Bluff street.
- 5th district—Forbes school building, Stevenson street.
- 6th district—Premises of Louis Solmon, 1617 Forbes street.
- 7th district—Forbes school building, Forbes street.
- 8th district—Matthew Mallett, 76 Van Braam street.
- 9th district—High school building, Fifth avenue.
- 10th district—County building, Bluff and Gist streets.

SECOND WARD.

- 1st district—North school building, Duquesne way and Eighth street.
- 2nd district—Grant school building, Grant street and Strawberry way.
- 3rd district—Fire engine house, 42 Tunnel street.
- 4th district—Hancock school building, Webster and Seventh avenues.
- 5th district—Susia Bodner, 1107 Penn avenue.
- 6th district—Ralston school building, Penn avenue and Fifteenth street.
- 7th district—Carmelo Masi, 1634 Penn avenue.
- 8th district—Henry Delp, 1917 Penn avenue.
- 9th district—O'Hara school building, Smallman and Twenty-fifth streets.
- 10th district—C. A. Weisburg, 2631 Penn avenue.

THIRD WARD.

- 1st district—J. Sherry, 51 Fernando street.
- 2nd district—Louis Alpern, 1013 Wylie avenue.
- 3rd district—Pittsburgh playgrounds, Bedford avenue and Elm street.
- 4th district—Franklin school building, Hazel and Logan streets.
- 5th district—Central High school building, Bedford avenue.
- 6th district—Franklin school building, Hazel and Logan streets.
- 7th district—No. 4 Stevenson street.
- 8th district—Letsche school building, Bedford avenue.

- 9th district—Simon Bluestone, 52 Crawford street.
- 10th district—Miller school building, Miller and Reed streets.
- 11th district—Reuben Miller, 46 Arthur street.
- 12th district—Rosie Cohen, 1911 Bedford avenue.
- 13th district—William Gundler, 1905 Webster avenue.
- 14th district—Moorhead school building, Granville and Enoch streets.
- 15th district—Jacob Eberharter, 321 Dinwiddie street.
- 16th district—Oscar Rubinoff, 115 Dinwiddie street.
- 17th district—Charles Manchen, 262 Dinwiddie street.

FOURTH WARD.

- 1st district—Charles Kaltenhauser, 2114 Forbes street.
- 2nd district—Soho school building, Fifth avenue and Soho street.
- 3rd district—John Wolfarth, 2349 Fifth avenue.
- 4th district—Soho school building, Fifth avenue and Soho street.
- 5th district—Basement of St. Agnes' school building, 120 Robinson street.
- 6th district—Bellefield school building, Fifth avenue and Boquet street.
- 7th district—Bellefield dwellings, Bellefield and Center avenues.
- 8th district—No. 14 engine house, Neville and Ellsworth avenues.
- 9th district—County building, Forbes and Marbury streets.
- 10th district—Easterly side of No. 4 police station, Forbes street.
- 11th district—John C. Remsburg, 228 Atwood street.
- 12th district—Thomas J. O'Donnell, 317 Meyran avenue.
- 13th district—Vincenzo Sacco, 425 Sample street.
- 14th district—South end of unnamed alley between McKee place and Coltart square.
- 15th district—No. 4 engine house, Ward and Wilmot streets.
- 16th district—Harris and Leipsig, Craft avenue and Emily street.
- 17th district—County building, Forbes and Ophelia streets.
- 18th district—Teofil Uminski, 63 Bates street.
- 19th district—Holmes school building, Dawson street, near Edith street.
- 20th district—Holmes school building, Dawson street, near Edith street.

FIFTH WARD.

- 1st district—J. R. Voskamp, 2008 Wylie avenue.
- 2nd district—Barber shop of Louis Flansbaum, 2118 Wylie avenue.
- 3rd district—C. E. Ward, 2209 Bedford avenue.
- 4th district—W. C. Porter, 2152 Wylie avenue.
- 5th district—Somers school building, Somers street and Webster avenue.

6th district—Watt school building, Watt street and Webster avenue.
 7th district—Rose school building, Rose and Charles streets.
 8th district—Rose school building, Rose and Charles streets..
 9th district—Morris Brown, 361 Soho street.
 10th district—Minersville school building, No. 1 Morgan street and Center avenue.
 11th district—Q. Johnson, 2412 Wylie avenue.
 12th district—J. W. Jones, 2642 Wylie avenue.
 13th district—Watt school building, Watt street and Webster avenue.
 14th district—Ward L. Calloway, 2815 Wylie avenue.
 15th district—Samuel B. Waughter, 631 Herron avenue.
 16th district—Frank Nichter, 662 Bryn Mawr road.
 17th district—County building, 3350 Milwaukee avenue.
 18th district—Joseph Trapp, 756 Bryn Mawr road.
 19th district—Madison school building, Milwaukee and Orion streets.
 20th district—John A. Ward, 303 North Craig street.

SIXTH WARD.

1st district—A. G. Shara, 2714 Penn avenue.
 2nd district—Springfield school building, Smallman and Thirty-first streets.
 3rd district—F. W. Fisch, 3333 Penn avenue.
 4th district—Lawrence school building, Thirty-seventh and Charlotte streets.
 5th district—Lawrence school building, Thirty-seventh and Charlotte streets.
 6th district—A. L. Lewin, corner Peoria and Thirty-seventh streets, rear of 3703 Penn avenue.
 7th district—County building, between Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets on Penn avenue.
 8th district—McKee school building, Lig-onier street.
 9th district—County building, Clement alley and Thirty-seventh street.
 10th district—County building, Clement and Thirty-ninth streets.
 11th district—Sarah McCarthy, 374 Heron avenue.
 12th district—Elizabeth Gada, 3020 Paulowna avenue.
 13th district—Michael Renebrowski, 3051 Brereton avenue.
 14th district—Dennis Lynch, 3544 Brereton avenue.
 15th district—Penn school building, Hancock and Thirty-third streets.

SEVENTH WARD.

1st district—Mueller's garage, Denniston and Walnut streets.
 2nd district—S. W. Vandersal, Howe street and South Highland avenue.
 3rd district—Highland Laundry Company, Walnut and Summerlea streets.

4th district—Bishop and Ports stable, Copeland and Walnut streets.
 5th district—C. J. Marson, 5135 Fifth avenue.
 6th district—Liberty school building, Ellsworth avenue and Ivy street.
 7th district—City property, College avenue and Pennsylvania R. R.
 8th district—Braun's auditorium, S. W. corner South Highland avenue and Pennsylvania Railroad.
 9th district—Shakespeare school building, Shakespeare street and Shady avenue.
 10th district—Shakespeare school building, Shakespeare street and Shady avenue.
 11th district—Schenley Riding Academy, Bayard and Clyde streets.

EIGHTH WARD.

1st district—Jacob Lubbert (room of), 5816 Penn avenue.
 2nd district—Annie E. Delp, 5739 Commerce street.
 3rd district—County building, Graham street, near Baum boulevard.
 4th district—Friendship school building, Graham street.
 5th district—Newmeyer and Beck Company, 5154 Penn avenue.
 6th district—Osceola school building, Cypress and Osceola streets.
 7th district—Maria Stusky, 4738 Morewood avenue.
 8th district—U. Hungartner, Mathilda street and Parsley way.
 9th district—Real Estate Company office, Gross and Friendship avenue.
 10th district—J. A. Weisbecker, 205 Pearl street, rear.
 11th district—Henry Kellerman, Liberty avenue and Edmond street.
 12th district—Dominick Paris, 336 Pearl street.
 13th district—Andrews school building, Ella street.
 14th district—John A. Selzer, 431 Pearl street.

NINTH WARD.

1st district—Washington school building, Fortieth street.
 2nd district—County building, 186 Forty-third street.
 3rd district—Mary Last, 134 Forty-fifth street.
 4th district—Andrew Gregg, 4615 Butler street.
 5th district—Bayard school building, Hatfield street.
 6th district—No. 5 police station, Forty-third street.
 7th district—M. W. Deasy, 4500 Butler street.
 8th district—Stephen C. Foster school building, Main street.
 9th district—C. L. Wilson, Bruce and Forty-fourth streets.
 10th district—No. 6 engine house, Forty-fourth and Calvin streets.
 11th district—C. H. Ruckel, 4403 Penn avenue.

- 12th district—Woolslayer school building, Fortieth and Liberty streets.
 13th district—George G. Wedd, 4309 Main street.
 14th district—Nunzio Martino, 248 Ella street.
 15th district—R. J. McMeekin, 4632 Penn avenue.

TENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Thomas Wood, 5122 Butler street.
 2nd district—McCandless school building, Butler street.
 3rd district—William J. Gable, 5403 Butler street.
 4th district—Mt. Albion school building, Butler street.
 5th district—Mrs. George Davis, 1821 Morningside avenue.
 6th district—Morningside school building, Greenwood and Jauncey streets.
 7th district—St. Raphael's school building, Chislett and Bryant streets.
 8th district—Sunnyside school building, Stanton and McCandless avenues.
 9th district—McCleary school building, Holmes street and McCandless avenue.
 10th district—Voorwats Singing Society, 5137 Holmes street.
 11th district—Fort Pitt school building, Breedshill street.
 12th district—J. J. Mooney, 417 North Rebecca street.
 13th district—Garfield school building, Atlantic avenue and Broad street.
 14th district—Bessie Campbell, 5101 Penn avenue.
 15th district—Reese property, N. W. corner Winebiddle avenue and Kincaid street.
 16th district—A. O. H. Hall, Division No. 25, 49½ Broad street.

ELEVENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Harvey E. Lowry, 122 Collins avenue.
 2nd district—James M. McKee, Harvard and Rural streets.
 3rd district—County building, 205 North St. Clair street.
 4th district—D. E. Simpson, rear 5414 Broad street.
 5th district—Theodore Bitzer, 315 Graham street.
 6th district—James E. Rodgers school building, Columbo near Black street.
 7th district—County building, corner Hights street.
 8th district—Fulton school building, Hampton and North St. Clair streets.
 9th district—County building, St. Clair and Jackson streets.
 10th district—County building, rear 5806 Stanton avenue.
 11th district—James F. Fox, 423 North Euclid avenue.
 12th district—Margaretta school building, Margaretta and North Beatty streets.
 13th district—E. Zimmerman, 6408 Hoevler street.
 14th district—Dilworth school building, Stanton and Collins avenues.

- 15th district—Dilworth school building, Stanton and Collins avenues.
 16th district—Joseph Drum, rear 6055 Stanton avenue.

TWELFTH WARD.

- 1st district—Lincoln school building, Frankstown and Lincoln avenues.
 2nd district—William A. Means, 6428 Frankstown avenue.
 3rd district—John Bowers, rear 200 Paulson avenue.
 4th district—John S. Brindle, corner Ashley street and Tyler alley.
 5th district—Michael Martoraus, 201 Larimer avenue.
 6th district—Joseph Kreuer, Jr., 507 Larimer avenue.
 7th district—C. W. Smith, rear 601 Larimer avenue.
 8th district—T. B. Rodgers, Paulson and Shetland avenues.
 9th district—Room in rear of Engine House No. 27, on City property, with entrance on Renfrew street.
 10th district—Basement of Bentel building, corner Lincoln avenue and Rowan street.
 11th district—E. E. Meenercher Hall Association, 6830 Upland street.
 12th district—W. C. Ebert, 6712 Frankstown avenue.
 13th district—D. B. Smith, 712 North Dallas avenue.
 14th district—Lemington school building, Lemington avenue, near Lincoln avenue.
 15th district—Lemington school building, Lemington avenue, near Lincoln avenue.
 16th district—Barber shop of H. C. Fry, 1419 Lincoln avenue.
 17th district—H. S. Double, 1372 Grotto street.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Homewood school building, Lang and Hamilton avenues.
 2nd district—Premises of J. M. Boyd, rear room, 7057 Frankstown avenue.
 3rd district—Belmar school building, corner Hermitage street and Lang avenue.
 4th district—Belmar school building, Hermitage street and Lang avenue.
 5th district—Belmar school building, Hermitage street and Lang avenue.
 6th district—Premises of Knights of Malta Hall, 7310 Hamilton avenue.
 7th district—County building, 7215 Kelly street.
 8th district—Margaret A. Mutzig, rear N. E. corner Race and Sterrett streets.
 9th district—W. C. Smithen, 7340 Mount Vernon street.
 10th district—Brushton public school building, Brushton avenue and Baxter street.
 11th district—Law Burner Company, 7514 Bennett street.
 12th district—County building, Tioga street, 250 feet west of Braddock avenue.

13th district—Brushton school building, Brushton avenue and Mulford street.
 14th district—Brushton school building, Brushton avenue and Mulford street.
 15th district—Bennett school building, Bennett and Hale streets.
 16th district—Storeroom, D. Howard Brown, 7721 Frankstown avenue.
 17th district—Paul Stewart, 8029 Frankstown avenue.
 18th district—D. M. Wolfe, Oakwood avenue and Inglewood place.
 19th district—Crescent school building, 8834 Frankstown avenue.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

1st district—Colfax school building, 1 Phillips avenue and Pitt boulevard.
 2nd district—Sterrett school building, Lang avenue and Reynolds street.
 3rd district—Thomas Wightman school building, Solway and Wightman streets.
 4th district—Forward avenue school building, Forward avenue.
 5th district—Swisshelm school building, Whipple and Commercial streets.
 6th district—Linden school building, Linden avenue, near Beechwood boulevard.
 7th district—Park place school building, Braddock avenue and Waverly street.
 8th district—Engine Nouse No. 16, Penn and Lang avenues.
 9th district—Premises of John Coryn, 6739 Reynolds street.
 10th district—Dr. J. H. McClelland estate, Fifth and Wilkins avenues.
 11th district—John Gray, rear 5724 Bartlett street.
 12th district—Squirrel Hill Realty Company, 1709 Murray avenue.
 13th district—Mrs. George T. Clarkson, 1253 Shady avenue.
 14th district—Catherine Hess, 7613 Penn avenue.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

1st district—Roosevelt school building, Greenfield avenue and Melbourne street.
 2nd district—Plumbing shop of John Flatley at Greenfield avenue and Wheatland street.
 3rd district—F. W. Ertzman, 601 Greenfield avenue.
 4th district—Bround Brothers, 524 Greenfield avenue.
 5th district—Greenfield school building, Greenfield avenue and Alvin street.
 6th district—Greenfield school building, Greenfield avenue and Alvin street.
 7th district—Office of L. R. Gould, 4725 Second avenue.
 8th district—Gladstone school building, Hazelwood avenue and Gladstone street.
 9th district—H. O. Hornberger, 444 Flow-ers avenue.
 10th district—Hazelwood school building, Second avenue and Tecumseh street.

11th district—Hazelwood school building, Second avenue and Tecumseh street.
 12th district—Josiah Taylor, 1989 Lytle street.
 13th district—Hazelwood school building, Second avenue and Tecumseh street.
 14th district—Joseph A. Steven's pool room, 5341 Second avenue.
 15th district—Glenwood school building, Second avenue and Alluvian street.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

1st district—Sophia Mahler, 2718 Sarah street.
 2nd district—Wickersham school building, Carson and South Thirtieth streets.
 3rd district—Catherine O'Shea, 2846 Mary street.
 4th district—Mrs. Minnie Miers, rear 2726 Stromberg street.
 5th district—John Krueger, Jr., 2424 Berg avenue.
 6th district—Bayne school building, Fernleaf and Eckles streets.
 7th district—Brashear school building, Primrose and Eleanor streets.
 8th district—St. Joseph's school building, corner Lebanon and Sterling streets.
 9th district—Morse school building, Sarah and South Twenty-fifth streets.
 10th district—Sarah building and Loan Association, 2121 Sarah street.
 11th district—Empire Laundry Company, 2307 Carson street.
 12th district—John A. Bleichner, 2208 Carson street.
 13th district—Morse school building, Sarah and South Twenty-fifth streets.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

1st district—R. Krummel, 1714 Sidney street.
 2nd district—German-American Musical Society, 1719 Jane street.
 3rd district—Premises of K. L. Muegele, 119 South Eighteenth street.
 4th district—Humboldt school building, Sarah and South Twentieth streets.
 5th district—Humboldt school building, Sarah and South Twentieth streets.
 6th district—George A. Jones, 54 South Thirteenth street.
 7th district—Birmingham school building, South Fourteenth street.
 8th district—Mary Kreuger, 1314 Sarah street.
 9th district—D. Gruntz, 1018 Bradford street.
 10th district—F. E. Koegler, 73 South Eleventh street.
 11th district—Bedford school building, Bingham street.
 12th district—Andrew Stapf, Fifth and Carson streets.
 13th district—County building, Welsh way, under Knoxville incline.
 14th district—Jefferson school building, Birmingham and Monastery streets.

- 15th district—William Reick, 178 Plus street.
- 16th district—Storeroom of Mrs. Magdalene Sommer, 155 Monastery avenue.
- 17th district—German-Hungarian Singing Society, 38 Mt. Oliver street.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Allen school building, Allen and Excelsior streets.
- 2nd district—Pittsburgh Incline Plane 1127 Brownsville avenue.
- 3rd district—Jacob Staud, Arlington and Warrington avenues.
- 4th district—Henry Grelle, 51 Warrington avenue.
- 5th district—W. S. Allen, 118 Millbridge street.
- 6th district—G. A. R. Hall, Post 236, Arlington avenue.
- 7th district—Tailor shop of Charles Baumgartner, Loyal street and Knox avenue.
- 8th district—Garage of H. I. McConnell, Ruxton street, near Craighead street.
- 9th district—E. Fitch, 74 Estella street.
- 10th district—Waiting room of Castle Shannon Incline, owned by Pittsburgh Railways Company.
- 11th district—Knox school building, Manor and Brownsville avenues.
- 12th district—J. G. Mooney, 33 Climax street.
- 13th district—C. F. Barr, Estella and Climax streets.
- 14th district—Beltzhoover school building, Cedarhurst street.
- 15th district—Beltzhoover Athletic Club, Bernd street.
- 16th district—City property, 38 Lafferty avenue.
- 17th district—James Curtis, 1715 Gearling avenue.
- 18th district—Bon Air school building, Fordyce and Calle streets.

NINETEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Riverside high school building, 1740 West Carson street.
- 2nd district—J. Kappler, Greenleaf and Tingle streets.
- 3rd district—Snodgrass school building, Augusta and Sweetbriar streets.
- 4th district—Storeroom of Henry Bosau, 1306 Grandview avenue.
- 5th district—Frederick Wunder, 1116 Grandview avenue.
- 6th district—M. P. Church Annex, Bingham street and Virginia avenue.
- 7th district—County building, in school yard, Bertha street.
- 8th district—Engine house (Bartley McCoy), Shiloh street.
- 9th district—Henry Polk, Kahlmayers lane.
- 10th district—Cargo school building, Boggs avenue and Wyoming street.
- 11th district—Prospect school building, Prospect and Southern avenues.
- 12th district—William Laughlin, Jr., rear 141 Virginia avenue.
- 13th district—J. Bissett, Jr., 194 Southern avenue.

- 14th district—Office of Dr. M. M. Waller, 286 Southern avenue.
- 15th district—County building, Lelia street.
- 16th district—Beechwood school building, Rockland and Sebring streets.
- 17th district—Beechwood school building, Sebring and Fallowfield streets.
- 18th district—Laura B. Weiser, 1420 Methyl street.
- 19th district—Lee school building, Shiras and Los Angeles streets.
- 20th district—Mechanics Hall, West Liberty avenue.
- 21st district—West Liberty school building, Pioneer avenue.
- 22nd district—Garage of O. L. Marks, Wedgemere street.
- 23rd district—Brookline school building, Woodbourne avenue.
- 24th district—Eleanor McCutcheon, Merrick avenue.

TWENTIETH WARD.

- 1st district—Mrs. H. Schuchman, 103 Steuben street.
- 2nd district—Thadd Stevens school building, Mill and Main streets.
- 3rd district—John Panner, Wabash and Steuben streets.
- 4th district—C. P. Bolger, Independence street.
- 5th district—Luckey school building, Shaler street.
- 6th district—Westlake school building, Lorenz and Crucible streets.
- 7th district—Mrs. Isabella Cargo, Weston street and Elm way.
- 8th district—Frank Case, Ainsworth and Marion streets.
- 9th district—Jacob Kugelmaier, Chartiers avenue and Bucyrus street.
- 10th district—D. J. Morgan, 125 Earl street.
- 11th district—Young & Schmidt, 418 West Carson street.
- 12th district—Harwood Hose Co. No. 1, 2904 Merwyn avenue.
- 13th district—Harwood school building, Hammond and Glenmawr avenues.
- 14th district—American Avenue school building, Allendale and Sutherland avenues.
- 15th district—Emma E. Cutler, Faulkner street, near Chartiers avenue.
- 16th district—John Hall, Jr., 660 Hillsboro street.
- 17th district—Drumm's shop, Huxley street, near Stanhope street.
- 18th district—Chartiers school building, Centralia street, near Chartiers avenue.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.

- 1st district—George W. Garbart, 1234 Reedsdale street.
- 2nd district—Engine Company No. 47, Fulton and Lyndale streets.
- 3rd district—Albert J. Gass, 1221 Beaver avenue.
- 4th district—John M. Conroy school, Fulton and Page streets.

5th district—Mrs. L. Faulkner, 1503 Sheffield street.
 6th district—Isaac N. Pollock, 1226 Pennsylvania avenue.
 7th district—County building, rear 1612 Sedgwick street.
 8th district—Manchester school building, corner Juniata and Chateau streets.
 9th district—Manchester school building, Juniata and Gironde streets.
 10th district—Manchester school building, Columbus avenue.
 11th district—George A. Cochran, 1220 Columbus avenue.
 12th district—Manchester school building, Columbus avenue and Chateau street.
 13th district—County building, Brady street, near Chartiers avenue.
 14th district—Mrs. J. L. Crawford, Siegel and California avenues.
 15th district—Patrick H. Haney, Bidwell street and Pennsylvania avenue.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

1st district—Andrew Reagan, 100 East General Robinson street.
 2nd district—William Waugh, 307 West Lacock street.
 3rd district—Webster school building, Reedsdale and Scotland streets.
 4th district—Joseph Lowry, 117 W. Ohio street.
 5th district—Allegheny High school building, Sherman avenue.
 6th district—Nicholas Gimetta, 853 Western avenue.
 7th district—F. R. Evans, 853 West North avenue.
 8th district—Patrick Gilfoil, Irwin avenue and Tarleton street.
 9th district—Mary J. Cowley school building, Sherman avenue and Eloise street.
 10th district—S. Schwartz, 1206 Federal street.
 11th district—Premises at corner of North avenue and Esplanade street, formerly occupied by a cigar manufacturing company.
 12th district—Carnegie Library, Ohio and North Diamond streets.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

1st district—Mrs. C. Phillipi, 401 East General Robinson street.
 2nd district—East Park school building, 416 Lockhart street.
 3rd district—East Park school building, 416 Lockhart street.
 4th district—Lockhart school building, 851 Lockhart street.
 5th district—Paul F. Eyles, 509 Chestnut street.
 6th district—George Schad, Chestnut and Main streets.
 7th district—Latimer school building, James street and North avenue.
 8th district—Latimer school building, James street and North avenue.
 9th district—Koerner Hall, 1205 East street.

10th district—Carl Bader, 717 East street.
 11th district—Madison Square Hunting and Fishing Club, 848 Conrod street.
 12th district—Schiller school building, Chestnut street.
 13th district—John Scheck, 1022 Chestnut street.
 14th district—Schiller school building, Chestnut street.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

1st district—Duquesne school building, East Ohio street.
 2nd district—County building, 1330 Return street.
 3rd district—Sophie Riber, 1502 Lowry street.
 4th district—Troy Hill school building, 15 Claim street.
 5th district—County building, Fleck street.
 6th district—Michael Gebhardt, 1810 Niggel street.
 7th district—County building, 2112 Lowry street.
 8th district—Spring Garden school building, Spring Garden avenue.
 9th district—County building, rear Engine House No. 49, High and Lager streets.
 10th district—Engine House No. 53, Hasledge and Rhine streets.
 11th district—Louis Yeager's pool room, Rhine and Yetta streets.
 12th district—East street school building, East street.
 13th district—John Poulos, 1410 East street.
 14th district—East street public school building, East and Rostock streets.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.

1st district—Julius Eckert, Jefferson street and Perrysville avenue.
 2nd district—W. G. Nimick, 524 Jarvella street.
 3rd district—Columbus school building, Irwin avenue.
 4th district—Christina Crawford, rear 838 Pennsylvania avenue.
 5th district—Mrs. C. Barch, 1821 Brighton road.
 6th district—Roscoe Evans, 108 Taggart street.
 7th district—Clayton school building, Clayton avenue.
 8th district—County building, Eshelman street and Perrysville avenue.
 9th district—C. B. Milligan, 1334 Federal street.
 10th district—Fineview school building, Fineview avenue.
 11th district—Graß and Compromise street.
 12th district—County building, Holyoke street.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

1st district—Tenth Ward Republican Progressive Association, Taggart street.

2nd district—Linwood school building, corner Linwood avenue and Taggart street.
 3rd district—George W. Kendrick, corner Chester and Wilson avenue.
 4th district—County building, Perrysville avenue and St. Luke square.
 5th district—Longfellow school building, 2629 East street.
 6th district—McNaugher school building, Merritt, near Taggart street.
 7th district—G. S. Paxton, on Kennedy avenue, about 15 feet from Perrysville avenue.
 8th district—County building on City property, Neuhart street.
 9th district—Perry school building, Perrysville avenue and Semicir street.
 10th district—County building, Greentree avenue.
 11th district—William S. Schwab, 3332 East street.
 12th district—Office of William Robertson, 2020 East street.
 13th district—City View school building, South Side avenue and Hopen street.

TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD

1st district—County building, Hasley place.
 2nd district—County building, Shadeland and Woodland avenues.
 3rd district—Mrs. J. S. Moreland, 3128 Brighton road.
 4th district—Horace Mann school building, Shadeland avenue.
 5th district—County building, California avenue and Forsythe street.
 6th district—County building, Gevey avenue.
 7th district—County building, 3218 Central avenue.
 8th district—Garage on estate of Conrad Detrich, off Brighton road.
 9th district—County building, 1409 Woods Run avenue.
 10th district—John Morrow school building, Davis and Fleming avenues.
 11th district—John Morrow school building, Davis and Fleming avenues.
 12th district—County building, California avenue, between Benton and Cooper avenues.
 13th district—County building, Brighton road, 100 feet west of Benton avenue.
 14th district—G. A. Young, 652 Preble avenue.
 15th district—Anna Burke, 6 Cantril street, formerly Cowan street.
 Dated, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, June 5, 1919.

E. V. BARCOCK,

Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS.

IN RE INCREASE OF THE BONDED INDEBTEDNESS OF THE CITY OF PITTSBURGH.

Proof of publication of Election Proceedings in the Pittsburgh Post, Pittsburgh Leader and Pittsburgh Sun.

City Solicitor.

First Assistant City Solicitor.

IN THE COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS.

No. 8, June Sessions, 1919.

Bonded Indebtedness, Docket Vol. page.....

In the matter of the increase of the Bonded Indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation of the County of Allegheny and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Proof of publication proclamation in the Pittsburgh Sun.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, } ss:
 Count of Allegheny, }

J. E. Trower, being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is advertising manager of the Sun Publishing Company, publishers of the Pittsburgh Sun, a public newspaper published in the City of Pittsburgh, County and Commonwealth aforesaid, which newspaper is one of the newspapers having a contract with said City for the publication of all official advertising of said City, and was such at the time of the publication of the notice hereinafter mentioned; and that the notice hereto attached, made part hereof, and identified as "Exhibit A," is a true and correct copy cut from said newspaper, and printed and published for five days in the regular edition and issue of said paper, on the following dates, viz: June 5, 12 19, 26 and July 3, 1919.

J. E. TROWER.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 16th day of July, A. D. 1919.

ALICE A. TRILL.

(Seal) Notary Public.

My commission expires January 22, 1921.

"EXHIBIT A."

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PA.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Proclamation in the Matter of increases to the Indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, Pa.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH,
 PENNSYLVANIA.

PROCLAMATION GIVING NOTICE OF A SPECIAL ELECTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the

Electors of the City of Pittsburgh, in pursuance of ordinances duly enacted by the Council of the City and approved by the Mayor thereof on the 27th day of May, 1919, that a special public election will be held in the City of Pittsburgh on the 8th day of July, 1919, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the Electors of the City to various increases of the indebtedness of the City as hereinafter set forth.

The amount of the last assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is eight hundred six million twenty thousand seven hundred thirty dollars (\$806,020,730.00).

The amount of the existing debt of the City is thirty-two million five hundred thousand six hundred thirty-one and twelve one-hundredths dollars (\$32,500,631.12).

The total amount of all the proposed increases of the debt of the City is twenty-one million nine hundred ninety-six thousand dollars (\$21,996,000.00).

The percentage of the total amount of all such proposed increases to the last assessed valuation of taxable property in the City is 2.7289+ per cent..

The amount of the proposed increases of the indebtedness of the City, and the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased, are set forth in the following questions, which will be submitted to the Electors of the City at said election, namely:

QUESTION NO. 1.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of nine million five hundred and seventy-nine thousand dollars (\$9,579,000.00) for the following purposes and respective amounts:

For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing and reconstructing, and otherwise improving, the streets of the City generally, \$1,401,000.00.

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening the new streets and improving the new and existing streets described below, including, as may be required in the case of each street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grading and regrading, curbing and recurbing, relaying sidewalks and laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls and street foundations and surfaces (including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets), the streets and the respective amounts for each being as follows, namely:

Boulevard of the Allies (Monongahela boulevard), a new boulevard (in part along existing streets) to

extend from the intersection of Grant street and Second avenue along the Bluff to Craft avenue, including the building of two viaducts	\$2,001,000.00
Second avenue, from Liberty avenue to Grant street	1,410,000.00
Ferry street, from Liberty avenue to Water street....	351,000.00
Diamond street, from Grant street to Smithfield street	417,000.00
Diamond street, from Ferry street to Market place	111,000.00
East street, from Tripoli street to Royal street.....	300,000.00
East Ohio street, from Heinz street to City line at Millvale Borough.....	555,000.00
Mount Washington roadway, a new highway, (in part along existing streets) to extend from Grandview avenue at Merrimac street eastwardly along the hillside to Manor street, and thence to a point near the intersection of Sarah street and South Seventh street, including the construction of a highway bridge, and under grade crossings	801,000.00
Carson street East, from Smithfield street to South Seventh street	315,000.00
Mount Oliver street, from South Eighteenth street to a point 50 feet north of Loyal way.....	96,000.00
A new street to extend from Hazelwood avenue to Greenfield avenue, in part along Irvine street on the easterly side of and parallel to the Baltimore & Ohio railroad tracks, including the abolition of the grade crossing on Second avenue at a point midway between Longworth street and Hazelwood avenue, and the improvement of the under grade crossing at Greenfield avenue and Second avenue	351,000.00
Bigelow boulevard at and near Brereton street and also at and near Thirtieth street	171,000.00
Arlington avenue, from South Twenty-sixth street to Clover street, including a change of location thereof, the elimination of curves, and the construction of a highway bridge	255,000.00

Baker street, from Butler street to Morningside avenue	90,000.00
Broad street, from Highland avenue to Frankstown avenue and extending it in part along Couch street to Hamilton avenue.....	777,000.00
Manchester avenue, a new street to extend from the intersection of South avenue and Galveston avenue, in part along existing street to the intersection of Ridge avenue and Allegheny avenue	177,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 1 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is 1.1884+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 2.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of six million dollars (\$6,000,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses), of providing transit facilities consisting of a subway in the First and Second wards of the said City, adapted to the use of either street surface cars or high-speed trains, or both, as may hereafter be determined, together with the necessary approaches, stations, buildings, works, appliances, equipment and appurtenances, upon such routes and according to such plan as may hereafter be determined by ordinance and approved by such public authorities as may be required by law.

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such question No. 2 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .7443+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 3.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million eight hundred and fifteen thousand (\$1,815,000.00) dollars, for the purpose of paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the following, and the amount of each item, namely:

Repairing and improving the roadways in Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks.....	\$399,000.00
Developing and improving West Park	99,000.00
Acquisition, development and improvement of land located in Saw Mill Run valley for park purposes.....	225,000.00
Improvement of City playgrounds and establishment of new playgrounds, including acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor	831,000.00

Acquisition of land for extension of Highland Park along Allegheny river and improvement of Washington boulevard to Heth's Run bridge	231,000.00
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The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 3 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .2251+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 4.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million four hundred one thousand dollars (\$1,401,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said purposes.

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 4 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .1738+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 5.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million three hundred and forty-one thousand (\$1,341,000.00) dollars (the amount estimated to be necessary) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) or a part thereof, of additions, extensions and improvements to the sewer and drainage systems of the City, such systems and the amount for each being as follows, namely:

Saw Mill Run sewer system.....	\$438,000.00
Negley Run sewer system, from Homewood and Brush-ton districts	366,000.00
Nine Mile Run sewer system, for Brush-ton and East End avenue districts	321,000.00
Soho Run sewer system.....	135,000.00
Hazelwood avenue sewer system	81,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 5 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .1663+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 6.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million one hundred and ten thou-

sand (\$1,110,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expenses (including architectural and engineering expenses), of the following, and the amount for each item, namely:

Six public comfort stations, including the acquisition of land where necessary therefor	\$120,000.00
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Municipal Hospital	99,000.00
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Tuberculosis Hospital	201,000.00
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Mayview City Home and Hospital.....	99,000.00
Relocation of the central fire alarm station, including acquisition and installation of apparatus, appliances, appurtenances, and the laying of wires and construction of conduits	90,000.00
Construction, reconstruction and improvement of buildings for combination fire and police stations in the North Side, East End and West End districts of the City, including the acquisition of land and buildings therefor	501,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 6 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .1377+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 7.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand (\$750,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including the engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of highway bridges and approaches thereto, the said bridges and the amount for each being as follows, namely:

Center avenue bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shadyside station	\$120,000.00
Beechwood boulevard bridge, connecting Schenley Park to Beechwood boulevard	270,000.00
North and Irwin avenue bridges	60,000.00
Island avenue bridge on Lincoln Highway connecting Chateau street and California avenue	90,000.00
East street bridge to connect Charles street and Essen street, for one-half the cost, thereof, the other one-half to be paid by Allegheny County	210,000.00

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 7 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .0930+ per cent.

The above seven questions for the increase of indebtedness of the City will be so printed on the ballots that the Electors may vote for or against each of such questions separately.

The said election will be held at the same polling places at which municipal elections are held, and during the same hours of the day, namely, between the hours of 7 o'clock A. M. and 7 o'clock P. M., and by the same election officers. The locations of the polling places are as follows, namely:

FIRST WARD.

- 1st district—J. J. Gordon, 3 Delroy street.
- 2nd district—First floor, South school building, Diamond and Ross streets.
- 3rd district—D. L. Klinger, 902 Watson street.
- 4th district—County building, 1206 Bluff street.
- 5th district — Forbes school building, Stevenson street.
- 6th district—Premises of Louis Solmon, 1617 Forbes street.
- 7th district — Forbes school building, Forbes street.
- 8th district—Matthew Mallett, 76 Van Braam street.
- 9th district—High school building, Fifth avenue.
- 10th district—County building, Bluff and Gist streets.

SECOND WARD.

- 1st district—North school building, Duquesne way and Eighth street.
- 2nd district — Grant school building, Grant street and Strawberry way.
- 3rd district—Fire engine house, 42 Tunnel street.
- 4th district—Hancock school building, Webster and Seventh avenues.
- 5th district—Susia Bodner, 1107 Penn avenue.
- 6th district — Ralston school building, Penn avenue and Fifteenth street.
- 7th district—Carmelo Masl, 1634 Penn avenue.
- 8th district — Henry Delp, 1917 Penn avenue.
- 9th district — O'Hara school building, Smallman and Twenty-fifth streets.
- 10th district—C. A. Weisburg, 2631 Penn avenue.

THIRD WARD.

- 1st district—J. Sherry, 51 Fernando street.
- 2nd district—Louis Alpern, 1013 Wylie avenue.
- 3rd district — Pittsburgh playgrounds, Bedford avenue and Elm street.

4th district — Franklin school building, Hazel and Logan streets.
 5th district—Central High school building, Bedford avenue.
 6th district—Franklin school building, Hazel and Logan streets.
 7th district—No. 4 Stevenson street.
 8th district—Letsche school building, Bedford avenue.
 9th district—Simon Bluestone, 52 Crawford street.
 10th district—Miller school building, Miller and Reed streets.
 11th district—Reuben Miller, 46 Arthur street.
 12th district—Rosie Cohen, 1911 Bedford avenue.
 13th district—William Gundler, 1905 Webster avenue.
 14th district—Moorhead school building, Granville and Enoch streets.
 15th district—Jacob Eberharter, 321 Dinwiddie street.
 16th district—Oscar Rubinoff, 115 Dinwiddie street.
 17th district—Charles Manchen, 262 Dinwiddie street.

FOURTH WARD.

1st district—Charles Kaltenhauser, 2114 Forbes street.
 2nd district—Soho school building, Fifth avenue and Soho street.
 3rd district—John Wolfarth, 2349 Fifth avenue.
 4th district—Soho school building, Fifth avenue and Soho street.
 5th district—Basement of St. Agnes' school building, 120 Robinson street.
 6th district—Bellefield school building, Fifth avenue and Boquet street.
 7th district—Bellefield dwellings, Bellefield and Center avenues.
 8th district—No. 14 engine house, Neville and Ellsworth avenues.
 9th district—County building, Forbes and Marbury streets.
 10th district—Easterly side of No. 4 police station, Forbes street.
 11th district—John C. Remsburg, 228 Atwood street.
 12th district—Thomas J. O'Donnell, 317 Meyran avenue.
 13th district—Vincenzo Sacco, 425 Sample street.
 14th district—South end of unnamed alley between McKee place and Coltart square.
 15th district—No. 4 engine house, Ward and Wilmot streets.
 16th district—Harris and Leipsig, Craft avenue and Emily street.
 17th district—County building, Forbes and Ophelia streets.
 18th district—Teofil Uminski, 63 Bates street.
 19th district—Holmes school building, Dawson street, near Edith street.
 20th district—Holmes school building, Dawson street, near Edith street.

FIFTH WARD.

1st district—J. R. Voskamp, 2008 Wylie avenue.

2nd district—Barber shop of Louis Flansbaum, 2118 Wylie avenue.
 3rd district—C. E. Ward, 2209 Bedford avenue.
 4th district—W. C. Porter, 2152 Wylie avenue.
 5th district—Somers school building, Somers street and Webster avenue.
 6th district—Watt school building, Watt street and Webster avenue.
 7th district—Rose school building, Rose and Charles streets.
 8th district—Rose school building, Rose and Charles streets.
 9th district—Morris Brown, 361 Soho street.
 10th district—Minersville school building, No. 1 Morgan street and Center avenue.
 11th district—Q. Johnson, 2412 Wylie avenue.
 12th district—J. W. Jones, 2642 Wylie avenue.
 13th district—Watt school building, Watt street and Webster avenue.
 14th district—Ward L. Calloway, 2815 Wylie avenue.
 15th district—Samuel B. Waughter, 631 Herron avenue.
 16th district—Frank Nichter, 662 Bryn Mawr road.
 17th district—County building, 3350 Milwaukee avenue.
 18th district—Joseph Trapp, 756 Bryn Mawr road.
 19th district—Madison school building, Milwaukee and Orion streets.
 20th district—John A. Ward, 303 North Craig street.

SIXTH WARD.

1st district—A. G. Shara, 2714 Penn avenue.
 2nd district—Springfield school building, Smallman and Thirty-first streets.
 3rd district—F. W. Fisch, 3333 Penn avenue.
 4th district—Lawrence school building, Thirty-seventh and Charlotte streets.
 5th district—Lawrence school building, Thirty-seventh and Charlotte streets.
 6th district—A. L. Lewin, corner Peoria and Thirty-seventh streets, rear of 3703 Penn avenue.
 7th district—County building, between Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets on Penn avenue.
 8th district—McKee school building, Ligonier street.
 9th district—County building, Clement alley and Thirty-seventh street.
 10th district—County building, Clement and Thirty-ninth streets.
 11th district—Sarah McCarthy, 374 Heron avenue.
 12th district—Elizabeth Gada, 3020 Paulowna avenue.
 13th district—Michael Renebrowski, 3051 Brereton avenue.
 14th district—Dennis Lynch, 3544 Brereton avenue.
 15th district—Penn school building, Hancock and Thirty-third streets.

SEVENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Mueller's garage, Denniston and Walnut streets.
- 2nd district—S. W. Vandersal, Howe street and South Highland avenue.
- 3rd district—Highland Laundry Company, Walnut and Summerlea streets.
- 4th district—Bishop and Ports stable, Copeland and Walnut streets.
- 5th district—C. J. Marson, 5135 Fifth avenue.
- 6th district—Liberty school building, Ellsworth avenue and Ivy street.
- 7th district—City property, College avenue and Pennsylvania R. R.
- 8th district—Braun's auditorium, S. W. corner South Highland avenue and Pennsylvania Railroad.
- 9th district—Shakespeare school building, Shakespeare street and Shady avenue.
- 10th district—Shakespeare school building, Shakespeare street and Shady avenue.
- 11th district—Schenley Riding Academy, Bayard and Clyde streets.

EIGHTH WARD.

- 1st district—Jacob Lubbert (room of), 5816 Penn avenue.
- 2nd district—Annie E. Delp, 5739 Commerce street.
- 3rd district—County building, Graham street, near Baum boulevard.
- 4th district—Friendship school building, Graham street.
- 5th district—Newmeyer and Beck Company, 5154 Penn avenue.
- 6th district—Osceola school building, Cypress and Osceola streets.
- 7th district—Maria Stusky, 4738 Morewood avenue.
- 8th district—U. Hungartner, Mathilda street and Parsley way.
- 9th district—Real Estate Company office, Gross and Friendship avenue.
- 10th district—J. A. Weisbecker, 205 Pearl street, rear.
- 11th district—Henry Kellerman, Liberty avenue and Edmond street.
- 12th district—Dominick Paris, 336 Pearl street.
- 13th district—Andrews school building, Ella street.
- 14th district—John A. Selzer, 431 Pearl street.

NINTH WARD.

- 1st district—Washington school building, Fortieth street.
- 2nd district—County building, 186 Forty-third street.
- 3rd district—Mary Last, 134 Forty-fifth street.
- 4th district—Andrew Gregg, 4615 Butler street.
- 5th district—Bayard school building, Hatfield street.
- 6th district—No. 5 police station, Forty-third street.
- 7th district—M. W. Deasy, 4500 Butler street.

- 8th district—Stephen C. Foster school building, Main street.
- 9th district—C. L. Wilson, Bruce and Forty-fourth streets.
- 10th district—No. 6 engine house, Forty-fourth and Calvin streets.
- 11th district—C. H. Ruckel, 4403 Penn avenue.
- 12th district—Woolslayer school building, Fortieth and Liberty streets.
- 13th district—George G. Wedd, 4309 Main street.
- 14th district—Nunzio Martino, 248 Ella street.
- 15th district—R. J. McMeekin, 4632 Penn avenue.

TENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Thomas Wood, 5122 Butler street.
- 2nd district—McCandless school building, Butler street.
- 3rd district—William J. Gable, 5403 Butler street.
- 4th district—Mt. Albion school building, Butler street.
- 5th district—Mrs. George Davis, 1821 Morningside avenue.
- 6th district—Morningside school building, Greenwood and Jauncey streets.
- 7th district—St. Raphael's school building, Chislett and Bryant streets.
- 8th district—Sunnyside school building, Stanton and McCandless avenues.
- 9th district—McCleary school building, Holmes street and McCandless avenue.
- 10th district—Voorwats Singing Society, 5137 Holmes street.
- 11th district—Fort Pitt school building, Breedshill street.
- 12th district—J. J. Mooney, 417 North Rebecca street.
- 13th district—Garfield school building, Atlantic avenue and Broad street.
- 14th district—Bessie Campbell, 5101 Penn avenue.
- 15th district—Reese property, N. W. corner Winebiddle avenue and Kincaid street.
- 16th district—A. O. H. Hall, Division No. 25, 49½ Broad street.

ELEVENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Harvey E. Lowry, 122 Collins avenue.
- 2nd district—James M. McKee, Harvard and Rural streets.
- 3rd district—County building, 205 North St. Clair street.
- 4th district—D. E. Simpson, rear 5414 Broad street.
- 5th district—Theodore Bitzer, 315 Graham street.
- 6th district—James E. Rodgers school building, Columbo near Black street.
- 7th district—County building, corner Hights street.
- 8th district—Fulton school building, Hampton and North St. Clair streets.
- 9th district—County building, St. Clair and Jackson streets.
- 10th district—County building, rear 5800 Stanton avenue.

- 11th district—James F. Fox, 423 North Euclid avenue.
- 12th district—Margaretta school building, Margaretta and North Beatty streets.
- 13th district — E. Zimmerman, 6408 Hoevler street.
- 14th district—Dilworth school building, Stanton and Collins avenues.
- 15th district—Dilworth school building, Stanton and Collins avenues.
- 16th district — Joseph Drum, rear 6055 Stanton avenue.

TWELFTH WARD.

- 1st district — Lincoln school building, Frankstown and Lincoln avenues.
- 2nd district—William A. Means, 6428 Frankstown avenue.
- 3rd district—John Bowers, rear 200 Paulson avenue.
- 4th district — John S. Brindle, corner Ashley street and Tyler alley.
- 5th district — Michael Martoraus, 201 Larimer avenue.
- 6th district — Joseph Kreuer, Jr., 507 Larimer avenue.
- 7th district — C. W. Smith, rear 601 Larimer avenue.
- 8th district—T. B. Rodgers, Paulson and Shetland avenues.
- 9th district—Room in rear of Engine House No. 27, on City property, with entrance on Renfrew street.
- 10th district—Basement of Bental building, corner Lincoln avenue and Rowan street.
- 11th district—E. E. Meenercher Hall Association, 6830 Upland street.
- 12th district—W. C. Ebert, 6712 Frankstown avenue.
- 13th district—D. B. Smith, 712 North Dallas avenue.
- 14th district—Lemington school building, Lemington avenue, near Lincoln avenue.
- 15th district—Lemington school building, Lemington avenue, near Lincoln avenue.
- 16th district—Barber shop of H. C. Fry, 1419 Lincoln avenue.
- 17th district—H. S. Double, 1372 Grotto street.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Homewood school building, Lang and Hamilton avenues.
- 2nd district—Premises of J. M. Boyd, rear room, 7057 Frankstown avenue.
- 3rd district—Belmar school building, corner Hermitage street and Lang avenue.
- 4th district — Belmar school building, Hermitage street and Lang avenue.
- 5th district — Belmar school building, Hermitage street and Lang avenue.
- 6th district — Premises of Knights of Malta Hall, 7310 Hamilton avenue.
- 7th district—County building, 7215 Kelly street.
- 8th district—Margaret A. Mutzig, rear N. E. corner Race and Sterrett streets.
- 9th district—W. C. Smithen, 7340 Mount Vernon street.

- 10th district — Brushton public school building, Brushton avenue and Baxter street.
- 11th district—Law Burner Company, 7514 Bennett street.
- 12th district — County building, Tioga street, 250 feet west of Braddock avenue.
- 13th district—Brushton school building, Brushton avenue and Mulford street.
- 14th district—Brushton school building, Brushton avenue and Mulford street.
- 15th district—Bennett school building, Bennett and Hale streets.
- 16th district — Storeroom, D. Howard Brown, 7721 Frankstown avenue.
- 17th district — Paul Stewart, 8029 Frankstown avenue.
- 18th district—D. M. Wolfe, Oakwood avenue and Inglewood place.
- 19th district—Crescent school building, 8834 Frankstown avenue.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Colfax school building, 1 Phillips avenue and Pitt boulevard.
- 2nd district—Sterrett school building, Lang avenue and Reynolds street.
- 3rd district—Thomas Wightman school building, Solway and Wightman streets.
- 4th district—Forward avenue school building, Forward avenue.
- 5th district—Swisshelm school building, Whipple and Commercial streets.
- 6th district—Linden school building, Linden avenue, near Beechwood boulevard.
- 7th district—Park place school building, Braddock avenue and Waverly street.
- 8th district—Engine Nouse No. 16, Penn and Lang avenues.
- 9th district—Premises of John Coryn, 6739 Reynolds street.
- 10th district—Dr. J. H. McClelland estate, Fifth and Wilkins avenues.
- 11th district—John Gray, rear 5724 Bartlett street.
- 12th district—Squirrel Hill Realty Company, 1709 Murray avenue.
- 13th district—Mrs. George T. Clarkson, 1253 Shady avenue.
- 14th district—Catherine Hess, 7613 Penn avenue.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Roosevelt school building, Greenfield avenue and Melbourne street.
- 2nd district — Plumbing shop of John Flatley at Greenfield avenue and Wheatland street.
- 3rd district—F. W. Ertzman, 601 Greenfield avenue.
- 4th district — Bround Brothers, 524 Greenfield avenue.
- 5th district—Greenfield school building, Greenfield avenue and Alvin street.
- 6th district—Greenfield school building, Greenfield avenue and Alvin street.
- 7th district—Office of L. R. Gould, 4725 Second avenue.

- 8th district—Gladstone school building, Hazelwood avenue and Gladstone street.
- 9th district—H. O. Hornberger, 444 Flow-ers avenue.
- 10th district—Hazelwood school build-
ing, Second avenue and Tecumseh
street.
- 11th district—Hazelwood school build-
ing, Second avenue and Tecumseh
street.
- 12th district—Josiah Taylor, 1989 Lytle
street.
- 13th district—Hazelwood school build-
ing, Second avenue and Tecumseh
street.
- 14th district—Joseph A. Steven's pool
room, 5341 Second avenue.
- 15th district—Glenwood school building,
Second avenue and Alluvian street.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Sophia Mahler, 2718 Sarah
street.
- 2nd district—Wickersham school build-
ing, Carson and South Thirtieth
streets.
- 3rd district—Catherine O'Shea, 2846 Mary
street.
- 4th district—Mrs. Minnie Miers, rear
2726 Stromberg street.
- 5th district—John Krueger, Jr., 2424
Berg avenue.
- 6th district—Bayne school building,
Fernleaf and Eckles streets.
- 7th district—Brashear school building,
Primrose and Eleanor streets.
- 8th district—St. Joseph's school build-
ing, corner Lebanon and Sterling
streets.
- 9th district—Morse school building,
Sarah and South Twenty-fifth streets.
- 10th district—Sarah building and Loan
Association, 2121 Sarah street.
- 11th district—Empire Laundry Company,
2307 Carson street.
- 12th district—John A. Bleichner, 2208
Carson street.
- 13th district—Morse school building,
Sarah and South Twenty-fifth streets.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—R. Krummel, 1714 Sidney
street.
- 2nd district—German-American Musical
Society, 1719 Jane street.
- 3rd district—Premises of K. L. Muegele,
119 South Eighteenth street.
- 4th district—Humboldt school building,
Sarah and South Twentieth streets.
- 5th district—Humboldt school building,
Sarah and South Twentieth streets.
- 6th district—George A. Jones, 54 South
Thirteenth street.
- 7th district—Birmingham school build-
ing, South Fourteenth street.
- 8th district—Mary Kreuger, 1314 Sarah
street.
- 9th district—D. Gruntz, 1018 Bradford
street.
- 10th district—F. E. Koegler, 73 South
Eleventh street.

- 11th district—Bedford school building,
Bingham street.
- 12th district—Andrew Stapf, Fifth and
Carson streets.
- 13th district—County building, Welsh
way, under Knoxville incline.
- 14th district—Jefferson school building,
Birmingham and Monastery streets.
- 15th district—William Relck, 178 Plus
street.
- 16th district—Storeroom of Mrs. Magda-
lene Sommer, 155 Monastery avenue.
- 17th district—German-Hungarian Sing-
ing Society, 38 Mt. Oliver street.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Allen school building, Allen
and Excelsior streets.
- 2nd district—Pittsburgh Incline Plane
1127 Brownsville avenue.
- 3rd district—Jacob Staud, Arlington and
Warrington avenues.
- 4th district—Henry Grelle, 51 Warring-
ton avenue.
- 5th district—W. S. Allen, 118 Millbridge
street.
- 6th district—G. A. R. Hall, Post 236,
Arlington avenue.
- 7th district—Tailor shop of Charles
Baumgartner, Loyal street and Knox
avenue.
- 8th district—Garage of H. I. McConnell,
Ruxton street, near Craighead street.
- 9th district—E. Fitsch, 74 Estella street.
- 10th district—Waiting room of Castle
Shannon Incline, owned by Pittsburgh
Railways Company.
- 11th district—Knox school building,
Manor and Brownsville avenues.
- 12th district—J. G. Mooney, 33 Climax
street.
- 13th district—C. F. Barr, Estella and
Climax streets.
- 14th district—Beltzhoover school build-
ing, Cedarhurst street.
- 15th district—Beltzhoover Athletic Club,
Bernd street.
- 16th district—City property, 38 Lafferty
avenue.
- 17th district—James Curtis, 1715 Gear-
ing avenue.
- 18th district—Bon Air school building,
Fordyce and Calle streets.

NINETEENTH WARD.

- 1st district—Riverside high school build-
ing, 1740 West Carson street.
- 2nd district—J. Kappler, Greenleaf and
Tingle streets.
- 3rd district—Snodgrass school building,
Augusta and Sweetbriar streets.
- 4th district—Storeroom of Henry Bosau,
1306 Grandview avenue.
- 5th district—Frederick Wunder, 1116
Grandview avenue.
- 6th district—M. P. Church Annex, Bing-
ham street and Virginia avenue.
- 7th district—County building, in school
yard, Bertha street.
- 8th district—Engine house (Bartley Mc-
Coy), Shiloh street.
- 9th district—Henry Polk, Kahlmayers
lane.

10th district — Cargo school building, Boggs avenue and Wyoming street.
 11th district—Prospect school building, Prospect and Southern avenues.
 12th district—William Laughlin, Jr., rear 141 Virginia avenue.
 13th district—J. Bissett, Jr., 194 Southern avenue.
 14th district—Office of Dr. M. M. Waller, 286 Southern avenue.
 15th district—County building, Lelia street.
 16th district—Beechwood school building, Rockland and Sebring streets.
 17th district—Beechwood school building, Sebring and Fallowfield streets.
 18th district—Laura B. Weiser, 1420 Methyll street.
 19th district—Lee school building, Shiras and Los Angeles streets.
 20th district—Mechanics Hall, West Liberty avenue.
 21st district—West Liberty school building, Pioneer avenue.
 22nd district—Garage of O. L. Marks, Wedgemere street.
 23rd district—Brookline school building, Woodbourne avenue.
 24th district—Eleanor McCutcheon, Merri-
 cke avenue.

TWENTIETH WARD.

1st district—Mrs. H. Schuchman, 103 Steuben street.
 2nd district — Thadd Stevens school building, Mill and Main streets.
 3rd district—John Panner, Wabash and Steuben streets.
 4th district—C. P. Bolger, Independence street.
 5th district—Luckey school building, Shaler street.
 6th district—Westlake school building, Lorenz and Crucible streets.
 7th district—Mrs. Isabella Cargo, Weston street and Elm way.
 8th district—Frank Case, Almsworth and Marlon streets.
 9th district—Jacob Kugelmaier, Chartiers avenue and Bucyrus street.
 10th district—D. J. Morgan, 125 Earl street.
 11th district — Young & Schmidt, 418 West Carson street.
 12th district—Harwood Hose Co. No. 1, 2904 Merwyn avenue.
 13th district—Harwood school building, Hammond and Glenmawr avenues.
 14th district—American Avenue school building, Allendale and Sutherland avenues.
 15th district—Emma E. Cutler, Faulkner street, near Chartiers avenue.
 16th district—John Hall, Jr., 660 Hillsboro street.
 17th district—Drumm's shop, Huxley street, near Stanhope street.
 18th district—Chartiers school building, Centralia street, near Chartiers avenue.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.

1st district — George W. Garbart, 1234 Reedsdale street.

2nd district—Engine Company No. 47, Fulton and Lyndale streets.
 3rd district—Albert J. Gass, 1221 Beaver avenue.
 4th district — John M. Conroy school, Fulton and Page streets.
 5th district—Mrs. L. Faulkner, 1503 Sheffield street.
 6th district—Isaac N. Pollock, 1226 Pennsylvania avenue.
 7th district—County building, rear 1612 Sedgwick street.
 8th district—Manchester school building, corner Juniata and Chateau streets.
 9th district—Manchester school building, Juniata and Gironde streets.
 10th district—Manchester school building, Columbus avenue.
 11th district—George A. Cochran, 1220 Columbus avenue.
 12th district—Manchester school building, Columbus avenue and Chateau street.
 13th district — County building, Brady street, near Chartiers avenue.
 14th district—Mrs. J. L. Crawford, Siegel and California avenues.
 15th district—Patrick H. Haney, Bidwell street and Pennsylvania avenue.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

1st district—Andrew Reagan, 100 East General Robinson street.
 2nd district—William Waugh, 307 West Lacock street.
 3rd district—Webster school building, Reedsdale and Scotland streets.
 4th district—Joseph Lowry, 117 W. Ohio street.
 5th district—Allegheny High school building, Sherman avenue.
 6th district — Nicholas Gimetta, 853 Western avenue.
 7th district—F. R. Evans, 853 West North avenue.
 8th district—Patrick Gilfoil, Irwin avenue and Tarleton street.
 9th district — Mary J. Cowley school building, Sherman avenue and Eloise street.
 10th district—S. Schwartz, 1206 Federal street.
 11th district — Premises at corner of North avenue and Esplanade street, formerly occupied by a cigar manufacturing company.
 12th district—Carnegie Library, Ohio and North Diamond streets.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

1st district—Mrs. C. Phillipi, 401 East General Robinson street.
 2nd district—East Park school building, 416 Lockhart street.
 3rd district—East Park school building, 416 Lockhart street.
 4th district—Lockhart school building, 851 Lockhart street.
 5th district—Paul F. Eyles, 509 Chestnut street.
 6th district — George Schad, Chestnut and Main streets.

- 7th district — Latimer school building, James street and North avenue.
- 8th district — Latimer school building, James street and North avenue.
- 9th district—Koerner Hall, 1205 East street.
- 10th district — Carl Bader, 717 East street.
- 11th district—Madison Square Hunting and Fishing Club, 848 Conrod street.
- 12th district—Schiller school building, Chestnut street.
- 13th district—John Scheck, 1022 Chestnut street.
- 14th district — Schiller school building, Chestnut street.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

- 1st district—Duquesne school building, East Ohio street.
- 2nd district—County building, 1330 Return street.
- 3rd district—Sophie Riber, 1502 Lowry street.
- 4th district—Troy Hill school building, 15 Claim street.
- 5th district — County building, Fleck street.
- 6th district — Michael Gebhardt, 1810 Niggel street.
- 7th district — County building, 2112 Lowry street.
- 8th district—Spring Garden school building, Spring Garden avenue.
- 9th district—County building, rear Engine House No. 49, High and Lager streets.
- 10th district—Engine House No. 53, Hasledge and Rhine streets.
- 11th district—Louis Yeager's pool room, Rhine and Yetta streets.
- 12th district—East street school building, East street.
- 13th district—John Poulos, 1410 East street.
- 14th district—East street public school building, East and Rostock streets.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.

- 1st district — Julius Eckert, Jefferson street and Perrysville avenue.
- 2nd district—W. G. Nimick, 524 Jarvella street.
- 3rd district—Columbus school building, Irwin avenue.
- 4th district—Christina Crawford, rear 838 Pennsylvania avenue.
- 5th district—Mrs. C. Barch, 1821 Brighton road.
- 6th district—Roscoe Evans, 108 Taggart street.
- 7th district—Clayton school building, Clayton avenue.
- 8th district—County building, Eshelman street and Perrysville avenue.
- 9th district—C. B. Milligan, 1334 Federal street.
- 10th district—Fineview school building, Fineview avenue.
- 11th district—Graib and Compromise street.
- 12th district—County building, Holyoke street.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

- 1st district—Tenth Ward Republican Progressive Association, Taggart street.
- 2nd district—Linwood school building, corner Linwood avenue and Taggart street.
- 3rd district—George W. Kendrick, corner Chester and Wilson avenue.
- 4th district—County building, Perrysville avenue and St. Luke square.
- 5th district—Longfellow school building, 2629 East street.
- 6th district — McNaugher school building, Merritt, near Taggart street.
- 7th district—G. S. Paxton, on Kennedy avenue, about 15 feet from Perrysville avenue.
- 8th district—County building on City property, Neuhart street.
- 9th district—Perry school building, Perrysville avenue and Semiclar street.
- 10th district—County building, Greentree avenue.
- 11th district—William S. Schwab, 3332 East street.
- 12th district—Office of William Robertson, 2020 East street.
- 13th district—City View school building, South Side avenue and Hospen street.

TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD

- 1st district—County building, Hasley place.
- 2nd district—County building, Shadeland and Woodland avenues.
- 3rd district—Mrs. J. S. Moreland, 3128 Brighton road.
- 4th district—Horace Mann school building, Shadeland avenue.
- 5th district—County building, California avenue and Forsythe street.
- 6th district—County building, Gevey avenue.
- 7th district—County building, 3218 Central avenue.
- 8th district—Garage on estate of Conrad Deitrich, off Brighton road.
- 9th district — County building, 1409 Woods Run avenue.
- 10th district—John Morrow school building, Davis and Fleming avenues.
- 11th district—John Morrow school building, Davis and Fleming avenues.
- 12th district—County building, California avenue, between Benton and Cooper avenues.
- 13th district—County building, Brighton road, 100 feet west of Benton avenue.
- 14th district—G. A. Young, 652 Preble avenue.
- 15th district — Anna Burke, 6 Cantril street, formerly Cowan street.

Dated, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, June 5, 1919.

E. V. BABCOCK.
Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh.

GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF RESULT.

TO BE FILED IN THE CLERK OF QUARTER SESSIONS OFFICE.

We, the undersigned Judges, having been respectfully designated by the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, to perform the duty of receiving, computing and certifying the returns of a Special Election held in the City of Pittsburgh, County of Allegheny, State of Pennsylvania, on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1919, by authority of the ordinances of said City of Pittsburgh, duly approved by the Mayor thereof, on the 27th day of May, 1919, for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the Electors of said City to an increase of its indebtedness for the purposes set forth in the seven following several questions submitted to them at said Election, and voted upon thereat by said Electors:

QUESTION NO. 1.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of nine million five hundred and seventy-nine thousand dollars (\$9,579,000.00) for the following purposes and respective amounts:

For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing and reconstructing, and otherwise improving, the streets of the City generally, \$1,401,000.00.

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening the new streets and improving the new and existing streets described below, including, as may be required in the case of each street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grading and regrading, curbing and recurbing, relaying sidewalks and laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls and street foundations and surfaces (including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets), the streets and the respective amounts for each being as follows, namely:

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Boulevard of the Allies (Monongahela boulevard), a new boulevard (in part along existing streets) to extend from the intersection of Grant street and Second avenue along the Bluff to Craft avenue, including the building of two viaducts	\$2,001,000
Second avenue, from Liberty avenue to Grant street.....	1,410,000
Ferry street, from Liberty avenue to Water street.....	351,000
Diamond street, from Grant street to Smithfield street.....	417,000
Diamond street, from Ferry street to Market place.....	111,000
East street, from Tripoli street to Royal street.....	300,000
East Ohio street, from Heinz street to City line at Millvale Borough.....	555,000
Mount Washington roadway, a new highway (in part along existing streets) to extend from Grandview avenue to Merrimac street eastwardly along the hillside to Manor street, and thence to a point near the intersection of Sarah street and South Seventh street, including the construction of a highway bridge and under grade crossings	801,000
Carson street East, from Smithfield street to South Seventh street.....	315,000
Mount Oliver street, from South Eighteenth street to a point 50 feet north of Loyal way.....	96,000
A new street to extend from Hazelwood avenue to Greenfield avenue, in part along Irvine street on the easterly side of and parallel to the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad tracks, including the abolition of the grade crossing on Second avenue at a point midway between Longworth street and Hazelwood avenue, and the improvement of the under grade crossing at Greenfield avenue and Second avenue.....	351,000
Bigelow boulevard, at and near Brereton street and also at and near Thirtieth street.....	171,000
Arlington avenue, from South Twenty-sixth street to Clover street, including a change of location thereof, the elimination of curves, and the construction of a highway bridge.....	255,000
Baker street, from Butler street to Morningside avenue.....	90,000
Broad street, from Highland avenue to Frankstown avenue, and extending in part along Couch street to Hamilton avenue	777,000
Manchester avenue, a new street to extend from the intersection of South avenue and Galveston avenue, in part along existing streets to the intersection of Ridge avenue and Allegheny avenue.....	177,000

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 1 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is 1.1884+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 2.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of six million dollars (\$6,000,000) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses), of providing transit facilities consisting of a subway in the First and Second wards of the said City, adapted to the use of either street surface cars or high-speed trains, or both, as may hereafter be determined, together with the necessary approaches, stations, buildings, works, appliances, equipment and appurtenances, upon such routes and according to such plan as may hereafter be determined by ordinance and approved by such public authorities as may be required by law.

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 2 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .7443+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 3.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million eight hundred and fifteen thousand (\$1,815,000.00) dollars, for the purpose of paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the following, and the amount for each item, namely:

Repairing and improving the roadways in Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks.....	\$399,999.
Developing and improving West Park.....	99,000.
Acquisition, development and improvement of land located in Saw Mill Run valley for park purposes.....	255,000.
Improvement of City playground and establishment of new playgrounds, including acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor.....	831,000.
Acquisition of land for extension of Highland Park along Allegheny river, and improvement of Washington boulevard to Heth's Run bridge.....	231,000.

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 3 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .2251+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 4.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million four hundred and one thousand dollars (\$1,401,000.00)* for the purpose of paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said purpose.

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 4 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .1738+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 5.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million three hundred and forty-one thousand (\$1,341,000.00) dollars (the amount estimated to be necessary) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) or a part thereof, of additions, extensions and improvements to the sewer and drainage systems of the City, such systems and the amount for each being as follows, namely:

Saw Mill Run sewer system.....	\$438,000.
Negley Run sewer system, for Homewood and Brushton districts.....	366,000.
Nine Mile Run sewer system, for Brushton and East End avenue districts.....	321,000.
Soho Run sewer system.....	135,000.
Hazelwood avenue sewer system.....	81,000.

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 5 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .1663+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 6.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million one hundred and ten thousand (\$1,110,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expenses (including architectural and engineering expenses) of the following, and the amount for each item, namely:

Six public comfort stations, including the acquisition of land where necessary, therefor.....	\$120,000
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Municipal Hospital.....	99,000
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Tuberculosis Hospital.....	201,000
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Mayview City Home and Hospital.....	99,000
Relocation of the central fire alarm station, including acquisition and installation of apparatus, appliances, appurtenances, and the laying of wires and construction of conduits.....	90,000
Construction, reconstruction and improvement of buildings for combination fire and police stations in the North Side, East End and West End districts of the City, including the acquisition of land and buildings therefor.....	501,000

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 6 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .1377+ per cent.

QUESTION NO. 7.

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand (\$750,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of highway bridges and approaches thereto, the said bridges and the amount for each being as follows, namely:

Center avenue bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shadyside Station.....	\$120,000
Beechwood boulevard bridge, connecting Schenley Park to Beechwood boulevard.....	270,000
North and Irwin avenue bridges.....	60,000
Island avenue bridge on Lincoln Highway, connecting Chateau street and California avenue.....	90,000
East street bridge to connect Charles street and Essen street, for one-half the cost thereof, the other one-half to be paid by Allegheny County.....	210,000

The percentage of the increase of indebtedness set forth in such Question No. 7 to the assessed valuation of the taxable property in the City is .0930+ per cent.

Do hereby certify that at 12 o'clock noon on the 10th day of July, 1919, being the second day after the said Special Election, we met in the Court House of said Allegheny County, and received from the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of said County the returns of said Election, in accordance with law. We thereupon caused the said returns to be opened, and a count of the votes cast at said Election to be made in our presence, and under our supervision, by officers of the said Court of Common Pleas and clerks and assistants appointed by us, for said purpose; and the said officers, clerks and assistants were first duly sworn well and truly to perform their said duties. All the votes cast at said Election, as returned to us, having been properly counted and tabulated, the following were and are the results of said count, showing the number of votes in favor of an increase of indebtedness for the purposes set forth in the foregoing seven several questions, as indicated by the word "Yes," and the number of votes against such increase of indebtedness, as indicated by the word "No."

		Question No. 1		Question No. 2		Question No. 3		Question No. 4		Question No. 5		Question No. 6		Question No. 7		
The Votes Were		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Pittsburgh—1st Ward,		110	4	106	14	117	8	115	5	115	5	113	7	114	6	
"	" 2d	21	7	16	14	22	7	23	6	23	6	23	6	23	6	
"	" 3d	63	12	51	20	57	14	60	12	60	12	62	11	61	12	
"	" 4th	54	4	40	16	49	6	53	4	51	5	51	5	48	8	
"	" 5th	35	8	23	20	34	7	38	6	35	7	38	5	39	5	
"	" 6th	110	7	105	11	107	9	110	7	111	5	110	6	107	9	
"	" 7th	30	16	12	33	27	16	31	13	31	13	33	13	28	15	
"	" 8th	50	8	40	20	52	9	47	13	49	10	53	7	49	11	
"	" 9th	90	4	79	15	88	6	90	4	90	4	90	4	90	4	
"	" 10th	32	11	28	12	32	8	34	8	34	8	35	8	34	8	
2d Ward,	1st	92	0	89	3	92	0	92	0	92	0	93	0	92	0	
"	2d	55	0	54	1	55	0	55	0	55	0	55	0	55	0	
"	3d	88	1	87	2	88	1	88	1	88	1	88	1	88	1	
"	4th	36	6	22	24	32	11	35	9	37	7	35	8	36	8	
"	5th	84	5	82	5	85	3	83	5	85	3	85	3	85	3	
"	6th	145	5	145	5	145	5	145	5	145	5	145	5	145	5	
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" " 12th	45	17	22	38	46	17	50	11	47	15	46	15	49	16
" " 13th	40	16	30	24	30	18	31	18	29	20	32	19	30	19
" 17th Ward, 1st	42	25	23	48	37	31	48	24	47	26	47	26	44	29
" " 2d	42	16	22	36	40	17	45	13	41	17	42	16	38	19

The Votes Were
Pittsburgh—17th Ward, 3d Prec.

	Question No. 1		Question No. 2		Question No. 3		Question No. 4		Question No. 5		Question No. 6		Question No. 7	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
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"	66	11	66	10	66	11	66	11	66	11	66	11	66	10
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"	37	26	23	45	33	29	35	25	34	25	38	20	33	30
"	39	40	14	58	36	38	40	33	42	34	40	31	38	38
"	24	17	9	30	15	24	22	18	24	14	21	17	18	21
"	38	21	14	45	29	28	37	19	37	21	40	19	37	20
"	44	16	19	46	42	20	51	13	48	15	50	14	41	21
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"	54	24	35	41	55	21	63	15	61	17	61	11	58	21
"	36	25	17	44	30	29	37	21	39	20	37	21	32	27
"	29	12	10	27	25	14	33	4	31	8	33	5	26	12
"	21	6	9	18	17	8	21	5	25	2	22	4	16	11
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"	64	13	26	48	36	22	54	15	52	17	57	14	47	24
"	76	15	39	33	68	22	70	21	70	20	69	20	68	20
"	80	6	22	60	73	15	74	9	78	10	78	9	72	15
"	81	15	28	65	69	23	77	16	79	14	73	20	62	33
"	66	16	46	34	61	19	66	13	68	11	69	11	65	13
"	30	21	16	31	26	23	28	21	28	20	28	20	27	21
"	41	19	20	36	32	22	38	16	39	17	41	14	36	18
"	39	31	18	53	29	36	41	28	42	28	43	29	37	36
"	64	15	34	38	48	21	51	18	56	16	55	17	53	19
"	41	20	18	47	46	21	49	19	49	17	43	25	37	27
"	32	19	10	37	22	20	29	15	32	14	28	16	27	18
"	49	26	41	32	46	28	50	24	54	20	51	24	48	27
"	36	12	19	27	34	14	41	8	40	9	38	11	36	13

18th Ward,

19th Ward,

The Votes Were		Question No. 1		Question No. 2		Question No. 3		Question No. 4		Question No. 5		Question No. 6		Question No. 7	
		Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
Pittsburgh—22d Ward, 9th Prec.		73	16	70	20	75	15	76	14	75	15	77	14	76	15
" " 10th		56	17	39	35	55	15	58	14	55	19	59	12	62	13
" " 11th		28	12	30	7	29	6	30	6	29	6	29	6	29	6
" " 12th		91	6	80	17	90	7	91	6	91	6	91	6	92	5
" 23d Ward, 1st		44	17	28	21	46	13	45	13	45	14	47	13	48	12
" " 2d		42	21	13	43	38	26	41	19	39	20	38	16	44	19
" " 3d		31	7	14	23	30	9	34	6	32	8	30	10	34	6
" " 4th		89	9	76	19	82	12	86	8	85	6	86	9	84	13
" " 5th		34	13	27	20	35	11	39	8	33	13	36	10	36	10
" " 6th		51	7	30	31	49	12	52	10	50	9	52	11	53	10
" " 7th		69	17	49	36	68	17	68	19	65	21	70	16	71	13
" " 8th		41	21	25	32	35	21	43	15	40	17	39	19	40	19
" " 9th		36	27	21	40	32	30	36	22	36	21	31	23	38	26
" " 10th		71	21	63	29	72	18	73	17	74	16	71	17	74	17
" " 11th		32	33	23	41	31	32	32	31	35	30	39	26	34	30
" " 12th		52	29	23	52	45	31	49	26	47	30	53	22	52	25
" " 13th		29	23	12	38	28	20	29	19	28	20	30	17	32	16
" " 14th		47	24	29	33	40	26	40	26	39	23	47	15	44	18
" 24th Ward, 1st		16	7	10	13	14	10	15	9	17	8	16	8	16	8
" " 2d		39	35	33	46	40	37	43	33	42	33	44	33	43	35
" " 3d		39	30	24	41	35	30	33	29	35	29	37	27	37	29
" " 4th		44	24	37	32	42	26	42	25	42	25	45	23	46	24
" " 5th		67	22	56	32	68	19	69	17	68	20	72	17	67	21
" " 6th		41	25	35	29	42	23	45	20	42	22	45	19	43	21
" " 7th		31	21	7	41	24	24	29	18	28	20	32	18	28	22
" " 8th		36	32	26	45	38	31	38	31	38	22	39	31	40	30
" " 9th		34	17	24	24	30	19	35	12	35	12	37	11	37	14
" " 10th		46	44	21	64	39	43	45	38	38	50	47	40	50	38
" " 11th		21	27	16	32	20	26	22	26	21	25	24	24	26	22
" " 12th		27	24	19	29	24	24	27	23	28	23	30	20	29	22
" " 13th		53	15	35	30	51	12	50	12	50	14	52	10	49	14
" " 14th		96	17	87	23	93	18	97	14	98	12	100	13	97	15
" 25th Ward, 1st		78	15	76	18	79	13	78	14	78	16	77	15	77	15
" " 2d		60	9	43	29	48	8	49	7	43	10	50	6	47	10
" " 3d		46	26	26	48	50	24	53	21	50	22	50	23	50	24
" " 4th		54	16	46	22	58	12	58	11	57	11	59	11	60	12
" " 5th		42	28	21	45	40	27	44	26	41	26	49	21	46	23
" " 6th		114	17	111	19	112	18	113	17	112	18	113	17	113	17
" " 7th		40	17	13	46	40	19	45	11	41	16	43	15	41	18
" " 8th		39	19	27	34	40	19	43	15	44	15	46	14	44	16
" " 9th		49	25	37	35	53	20	52	20	53	20	55	17	54	19
" " 10th		46	38	20	60	42	35	48	33	40	40	47	32	45	36
" " 11th		31	20	20	34	33	22	34	21	33	20	35	20	30	24
" " 12th		64	21	35	44	61	22	69	16	65	18	68	16	68	17
" 26th Ward, 1st		53	16	30	37	50	18	54	14	54	14	56	14	57	12
" " 2d		54	29	34	51	61	26	58	27	57	29	59	26	60	25
" " 3d		64	23	41	43	64	23	72	16	66	22	69	21	68	22
" " 4th		67	24	29	63	62	24	64	22	65	22	64	22	66	20
" " 5th		31	47	21	59	22	54	30	48	28	52	32	46	27	52

The Votes Were	Question No. 1		Question No. 2		Question No. 3		Question No. 4		Question No. 5		Question No. 6		Question No. 7	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
Pittsburgh—26th Ward, 6th Prec.	65	20	39	41	66	17	65	14	64	17	70	13	72	13
" " 7th	61	47	20	87	61	45	68	37	65	40	70	36	61	47
" " 8th	87	27	44	71	83	31	88	24	85	27	88	25	83	31
" " 9th	55	35	28	56	59	27	61	25	63	25	60	24	59	27
" " 10th	57	43	17	77	58	39	60	34	56	38	67	31	62	37
" " 11th	58	24	18	69	46	37	50	33	52	34	52	33	57	29
" " 12th	65	22	62	29	73	16	73	15	71	18	75	18	76	14
" " 13th	34	17	11	31	26	20	27	14	22	19	24	15	35	9
" 27th Ward, 1st	102	19	83	33	100	15	96	10	105	3	90	8	100	6
" " 2d	65	15	44	34	68	9	63	14	60	15	62	17	70	8
" " 3d	31	30	20	38	29	28	30	25	25	32	34	25	34	25
" " 4th	29	38	15	46	28	32	30	30	27	34	29	34	33	30
" " 5th	67	13	65	10	62	11	67	11	60	12	65	8	70	8
" " 6th	35	29	21	42	35	28	36	29	35	29	37	26	36	28
" " 7th	31	34	17	46	37	24	35	27	31	31	36	26	36	26
" " 8th	48	33	23	53	48	27	53	23	50	27	53	24	51	26
" " 9th	56	28	33	59	56	30	61	30	60	28	66	28	56	31
" " 10th	52	39	23	63	53	35	62	27	54	34	55	31	59	29
" " 11th	35	28	16	46	35	28	39	24	39	23	41	22	33	29
" " 12th	44	25	21	46	41	24	44	23	43	24	43	24	50	18
" " 13th	88	39	51	87	88	49	100	36	93	43	99	38	93	44
" " 14th	55	15	51	20	58	13	59	13	58	13	58	13	58	13
" " 15th	27	12	17	19	23	9	28	9	27	10	29	9	29	9

QUESTION NO. 1.

The total number of votes cast in favor of increase of indebtedness was 21,792
The total number of votes cast against increase of indebtedness was 7,326

The majority of votes cast at said Election in favor of or against increase of indebtedness was..... In favor of 14,466

QUESTION NO. 2.

The total number of votes cast in favor of increase of indebtedness was 15,475
The total number of votes cast against increase of indebtedness was 13,414

The majority of votes cast at said Election in favor of or against increase of indebtedness was..... In favor of 2,061

QUESTION NO. 3.

The total number of votes cast in favor of increase of indebtedness was 21,054
The total number of votes cast against increase of indebtedness was 7,440

The majority of votes cast at said Election in favor of or against increase of indebtedness was..... In favor of 13,614

QUESTION NO. 4.

The total number of votes cast in favor of increase of indebtedness was 22,284
The total number of votes cast against increase of indebtedness was 6,343

The majority of votes cast at said Election in favor of or against increase of indebtedness was..... In favor of 15,941

QUESTION NO. 5.

The total number of votes cast in favor of increase of indebtedness was	22,135
The total number of votes cast against increase of indebtedness was	6,494
The majority of votes cast at said Election in favor of or against increase of indebtedness was.....	In favor of 15,641

QUESTION NO. 6.

The total number of votes cast in favor of increase of indebtedness was	22,395
The total number of votes cast against increase of indebtedness was	6,339
The majority of votes cast at said Election in favor of or against increase of indebtedness was.....	In favor of 16,056

QUESTION NO. 7.

The total number of votes cast in favor of increase of indebtedness was	21,873
The total number of votes cast against increase of indebtedness was	7,005
The majority of votes cast at said Election in favor of or against increase of indebtedness was.....	In favor of 14,868

Witness our hands and seals this 12th day of July, A. D. 1919.

JOS. M. SWEARINGEN (Seal)
HENRY G. WASSON (Seal)

IN THE COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA.

State of Pennsylvania,)
County of Allegheny,) ss:

I, William R. Bailey, Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions, in and for said County and State, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a just, true, full and correct copy of the Judges' return filed at No. 8, June Sessions, 1919, in re increase of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pa., as the same remains on file and of record in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, Pa., this 16th day of July, A. D. 1919.

WILLIAM R. BAILEY,
Clerk of Courts.

IN THE COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.

In the Matter of the Increase of the Indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

No. 8, June Sessions, 1919.

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS.

I, William R. Bailey, Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions, in and for said County, hereby certify that the foregoing and attached is a just, true, full and correct copy of General Certificate of Result of Bond Election, Proofs of Publication, and Certified Copies of Ordinances Nos. 145 to 151, both inclusive, at No. 8, June Sessions, 1919, in re Increase of the Indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, as the same remain on file and of record in my office.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Court at Pittsburgh, Pa., this 25th day of July, A. D. 1919.

WILLIAM R. BAILEY.

(Seal) Clerk of Courts.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the statements be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3224. Resolution exonerating and exempting Edwin Miles and Sarah E. Miles from the payment of assessment of \$254.10 and interest for the grading, paving and curbing of Rockledge street, now a part of Romanhoff street, and directing the City Solicitor not to file any lien on account thereof.

Also

No. 3225. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of five hundred forty thousand dollars (\$540,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing and reconstruction and otherwise improving the streets of the City generally, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Also

No. 3226. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred eleven thou-

sand dollars (\$111,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: For the City's share of the cost, damages and expenses (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving Diamond street from Ferry street to Market place, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Also

No. 3227. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of five hundred fifty-five thousand dollars (\$555,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving East Ohio street, from Heinz street to City line at Millvale Borough, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Also

No. 3228. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of ninety-six thousand dollars (\$96,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving Mount Oliver street from South Eighteenth street to a point 50 feet north of Loyal way, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Also

No. 3229. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred seventy-one thousand dollars (\$171,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: For the City's share of the cost, damages and expenses (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving Bikelow boulevard at and near Brereton street, and also at and near Thirtieth street, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Also

No. 3230. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$399,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost

and expense (including engineering expenses) of repairing and improving the roadways in Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Also

No. 3231. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$99,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of developing and improving West Park, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Also

No. 3232. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred thirty thousand dollars (\$330,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement of City playgrounds and the establishment of new playgrounds, including acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Also

No. 3233. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost, damages and expenses (including architectural and engineering expenses) of six (6) public comfort stations, including the acquisition of land where necessary therefor, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Also

No. 3234. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one million twenty thousand dollars (\$1,020,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost, damages and expenses (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling

and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said purposes, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Also

No. 3235. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of Center avenue bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shadyside Station, and the approaches thereto, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Also

No. 3236. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of the North and Irwin avenue bridges and approaches thereto, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3237. Remonstrance against the grading, paving and curbing of Virginia avenue between Kearsarge street and Plymouth street.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the remonstrance be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3238. An Ordinance granting unto Frank & Seder, their successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use an overhead passage-way across Diamond street, between the Frank & Seder building on the north side of Diamond street to the former Solomon building on the south side of Diamond street, subject to the terms and conditions herein set forth.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3239. Report of the Committee on Finance for July 22, 1919, transmitting sundry resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3070. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the Reath Heirs for \$275.00; Philip Fitzgibbon for \$265.00; Magdalena Kossler for \$315.00, and the Carlin Heirs for \$265.00, for expenses and costs for procuring the services of attorneys and witnesses in the proceedings before the Board of Viewers on the ordinance widening and changing the grade of Carson street West, and charging the same to Code Account No. 1075.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3141. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of F. Englert Co. for \$450.00, for engraving bonds of the City of Pittsburgh (Funding Bonds, 1919), and charging same to Code Account No. 42.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3164. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of F. L. Norton in the amount of \$30.00, in payment for emergency repairs on the vault door in the Treasurer's Office, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3071. Resolution exonerating the Kingsley Association from all water charges, rates and penalties added thereto now outstanding up to August 1, 1919, on property used by the City of Pittsburgh as an emergency hospital during the influenza epidemic.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3142. Resolution authorizing and directing the Department of Assessors to exonerate from taxes the property occupied by the Workshop for the Blind at 434-436 Second avenue for the year 1919, amounting to \$568.34.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3143. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to exonerate from water rates the property of George E. McCague situated at Liberty and Second avenues, formerly occupied by the Association for the Blind as a workshop, for the first half of the year 1919, amounting to \$94.03.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3153. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor, upon payment of the sum of \$11,002.81 to the City of Pittsburgh, to satisfy the liens filed against the property of the Sterling Land Company at Nos. 351 and 352, April Term, 1913, M. L. D.; 26 and 27, July Term, 1915, M. L. D.; 66 and 67, January Term, 1915, M. L. D.; 73 to 83, July Term, 1918, inclusive, M. L. D.; and 54 to 67, October Term, 1918, inclusive, M. L. D.; and, on payment by said Sterling Land Company of the further sum of \$4,796.84, the Collector of Delinquent Taxes is to satisfy the liens filed at D. T. D. Nos. 1302, September Term, 1910; 1276, September Term, 1911; 1416, April Term, 1913; 2016, October Term, 1913; 5084, January Term, 1914; 15, January Term, 1917; 1417, April Term, 1918; and 1416, April Term, 1918, and to issue receipts in full for City taxes for the years 1917, 1918 and 1919, and that the Sterling Land Company shall file a bond with the City Solicitor in the sum of \$5,000.00, with surety, that it will begin the erection of houses on the property for which the City satisfies the liens mentioned above, namely, on Hobart street and Wendover street, within two months.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3137. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to make transfers of appropriations in the Bureau of Fire, to-wit: From Code Account 1161-A, Salaries, to Code Account 1164-C, Supplies, \$3,000.00; from Code Account 1161-A, Salaries to Code Account 1165-D, Materials, \$14,000.00; from Code Account 1161-A, Salaries, to Code Account 1168-F, Equipment and Machinery, \$5,000.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3144. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$25,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A-1. Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3147. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$215.00 from Appropriation No. 1342, Miscellaneous Services, to Appropriation No. 1343, Supplies, Board of Water Assessors.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3161. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the following sums, amounting in the aggregate to forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00), from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to certain other code accounts of the Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering:

To Code Account No. 1458, Wages, Regular Employees, Bridge Repairs, City Force	\$13,000.00
To Code Account No. 1460, Supplies, Bridge Repairs, City Force	200.00
To Code Account No. 1461, Materials, Bridge Repairs, City Force	12,000.00
To Code Account No. 1463, Equipment, Bridge Repairs, City Force	250.00
To Code Account No. 1465, Wages, Regular Employees, Bridge Repainting, City Force	8,000.00
To Code Account No. 1467, Supplies, Bridge Repainting, City Force	350.00
To Code Account No. 1468, Materials, Bridge Repainting, City Force	6,000.00
To Code Account No. 1469, Equipment and Machinery, Bridge Repainting, City Force	200.00

Total \$40,000.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3163. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$10,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1553, Wages, Temporary Employees, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1557, Repairs, Asphalt Plants.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 3240. Report of the Committee on Public Works for July 22, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2586. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance extending and opening Wabash street, in the Twentieth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Wilmerding street to Woodstock street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2398. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the making of a contract or contracts for the laying and construction of concrete sidewalks in the City of Pittsburgh, and providing for the payment thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2865. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) motor truck for the Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works, Pittsburgh, Pa."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3058. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Grandview avenue and on the east sidewalk and roadway of Olympia street, from points about 300 feet east and west of Olympia street to the existing sewer on Olympia street south of Plado way, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3149. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance accepting the dedication of certain property in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same Crawford street, and accepting the grading, paving and curbing thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3150. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Charles Prince for the sum of \$43.15, for repairing water service line on Smith way, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the

votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1863. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 40 feet, paving and curbing of Virginia avenue, from Kearsarge street to Plymouth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. **Garland** arose and said:

"Mr. President and Members of Council, in view of the petition presented by owners of property on Virginia avenue that this work should not be done at this time, I intend to present a resolution at the next meeting of Council requesting the Director of the Department of Public Works to withhold the improvement of this street as long as possible."

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Mr. **Rauh** also presented

No. 3241. Report of the Committee on Public Works for July 23, 1919, transmitting two ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2958. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Woodville avenue, in the Twentieth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point

11.78 feet west of the first angle in Woodville avenue east of Lowe street to a point 124 feet east of Shaler street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 2957. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance opening Thomas street, in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from North Lexington street to North Richland street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Rauh
Herron (President)

Noes—Messrs.

Henderson Winters
Robertson

Ayes—5.

Noes—3.

And there not being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill failed to pass finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3242. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for July 22, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3155. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the opening grades on Henrietta street, La Clair street, Milton street, Overton street, Gamma way and Rear way, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened highways by William E. Harmon in a plan of lots of his property in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, named 'Regent Place.'"

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Rauh
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3243. Report of the Com-

mittee on Public Safety for July 22, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2954. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating the transportation of motion picture films within the City of Pittsburgh, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Public Safety.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3244. Whereas, Many public fountains in the various parks of the North Side are not in operation; and

Whereas, During the summer months these fountains are a source of pleasure to the people using the parks; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to take steps at once to have these fountains put in operation.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

The adoption of the resolution.
The motion prevailed.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3245. Whereas, The high cost of living is reflected in wearing apparel, just as in food products; and

Whereas, Due to the fact that we are slaves to fashion, there has been considerable extravagance and waste by following the custom having suits of clothing made from the same goods, many a good coat and vest being discarded by reason of the fact that the trousers wear out and become shiny; and

Whereas, Investigation shows that the known scarcity of wool will tend to advance the price of men's clothing; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, having in view the welfare and well-being of its citizens, and in order to conserve clothing and to cut out waste and extravagance, does hereby call attention to the custom and practice as aforesaid, and makes the suggestion that considerable economy may be effected in cost of men's wearing apparel if odd trousers are worn.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3246. Whereas, The band concerts in Schenley Park are attracting a great number of people and there are not sufficient places to secure drinking water, which causes a congestion around the places already provided, many women and children being compelled to stand in line for a considerable time; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the attention of the Director of the Department of Public Works be called to this condition and that he be requested to remedy it by providing other places at which drinking water may be secured.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. Garland,
Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, August 4, 1919.

* Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Rauh
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Absent—Mr.
English

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 3247. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Caton street, from Beechwood boulevard to Shady avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3248. An Ordinance authorizing and empowering the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety to execute a lease, on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh, with the Liberty Transfer & Storage Company for

a building to be used as temporary quarters for Engine Company No. 11, for a period of time not exceeding four (4) months.

Also

No. 3249. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for remodeling and repairing Engine House No. 47, Bureau of Fire.

Also

No. 3250. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$900.08	1160
Thomas A. Murray	8.00	1147

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3251. An Ordinance amending Section 70, Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, South Side Market, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.," approved by the Mayor January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 3252. An Ordinance creating position of deputy superintendent of the City-County Building, Department of Public Works, at a salary of \$2,400.00 per annum.

Also

No. 3253. An Ordinance amending Lines 8 and 9 of Section 109, Lines 9 and 10 of Section 110, Line 7 of Section 111, Line 7 of Section 113, Line 6 of Section 114, Line 4 of Section 115, and Line 5 of Section 116, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the

number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 3254. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,000.00 from Code Account 42, Contingent Fund, to Code Account 1682 "B," Miscellaneous Service, Bureau of Parks, for payment of truck hire.

Also

No. 3255. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of Hacker Bros. in the sum of \$19.45, in the place of warrant No. 3223, which was lost or destroyed.

Also

No. 3256. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lot No. 422 in J. M. Gazzam Mount Deelan Plan, located on Mohawk street, Fourth ward, to Charles F. Doyle for the sum of \$100.00.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3257. An Ordinance granting the Drafee Committee of the Fifth Zone, Sixth ward, the right and privilege to construct and maintain a suitable memorial, to the men in the service of the world war, at the intersection of Butler street and Penn avenue, on or near the location of the rest or waiting room erected in connection with the comfort station.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3258. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts for making certain repairs to the Penn avenue, Millvale avenue and the Twenty-eighth street bridges crossing the Pennsylvania Railroad; also the Wilmot street bridge over Cunliffe Hollow, and the steps leading from Highland avenue bridge to Ravenna street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Also

No. 3259. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Pioneer avenue, from West Liberty avenue to Brookline boulevard, and the construction of a storm sewer for the drainage thereof, including the extension of lateral storm sewers on Stetson avenue and Ray avenue to a connection with the existing storm sewer

on West Liberty avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3260. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 33 feet, paving and curbing of Fort Hill street, from Fernleaf street to Sterling street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3261. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Lawrence Motor Company for \$157.11, for repairs furnished the Bureau of Light, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1674.

Also

No. 3262. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to place insurance against loss by fire on the garage situate at 562-4-6 Tunnel street, Pittsburgh, and on certain automobile equipment in the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, and providing for the payment thereof.

Also

No. 3263. Resolution granting the consent of the City to the Drafee Committee of the Fifth Zone, Sixth ward, to erect a suitable memorial, to the men in the service of the world war, at the intersection of Butler street and Penn avenue, on or near the location of the rest room or waiting room erected in connection with the comfort station; the design, location and construction of such memorial to be subject to the approval of the Director of the Department of Public Works.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 3264. Communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, stating that the appropriation for labor and materials in the item for boardwalks and steps will be exhausted about August 9.

Also

No. 3265. Communication from Rev. Frederick T. Galpin, of the First Baptist Church, relative to the proposal of the City to erect bath houses for the negro people of the Herron Hill district, and stating that the Kingsley House buildings are to be operated for that purpose.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. **Robertson** presented

No. 3266. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lot on Wilson avenue, Twenty-sixth ward, to James Hudester for the sum of \$800.00.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3267. G. P. Lang Estate Plan of Lots. In the Twenty-sixth ward, and the dedication of the streets and way shown therein.

Also

No. 3268. An Ordinance approving "G. P. Lang Estate Plan of Lots," in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by Emma Kunkel (widow), Lewis P. Lang, Philip B. Lang, Annie Orth and George C. Orth, her husband; Walter Lang, Charlotte Lang, Eleanor Kress and James Kress, her husband; Bertha Lohmeyer and Fred A. Lohmeyer, her husband; heirs of George P. Lang, deceased, and William I. King and John R. Wendell, individually; accepting the dedication of Britannia street, Elmerton street, Hillis street, Rocton street and Lauster way, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same, and establishing the grades thereon.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. **Winters** presented

No. 3269. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$300.00 from Code Account No. 1016, Supplies, to Code Account No. 1018, Equipment, Mayor's Office.

Also

No. 3270. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to appoint appraisers, not exceeding three in number, for the purpose of appraising the water works of the City, and providing for their compensation.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance

Also

3271. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on Wapello street, from Davis avenue to Termon avenue.

Also

No. 3272. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade on Aquatic way, from Wapello street to a point 380 feet east of Wapello street.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

The **Chair** presented

No. 3273. Communication from

S. G. Lennox, offering sites for the new East End Engine House and Police Station and also for the new West End Engine House.

Also

No. 3274. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for piece of ground at the corner of Frankstown avenue and Wheeler street, Thirteenth ward, City, to G. Golder, for the sum of \$1,200.00.

Also

No. 3275. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of F. C. Dorrington, cashier in City Treasurer's Office, in the sum of \$50.00, refunding amount overpaid on warrant No. 19414, dated September 11, 1918, to the order of Margaret P. Clayton, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3276. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 40 feet, paving and curbing of Oberlin street, from Lemington avenue to Sprague street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3277. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Eccrue way, from Kelly street to Felicia way, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3278. Communication from John Douglas, Jr., offering to haul, free of charge, for the poor people of the City, the food products they may purchase through the City from the Government.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. **Rauh**, received and filed and a copy to be sent to the Director of the Department of Supplies.

Also

No. 3279.

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

Pittsburgh, July 29, 1919.

To the President and
Members of Council.

With further reference to Bill No. 3085, Resolution relative to the purchase from

the Government and resale to the citizens of Pittsburgh, food supplies.

Gentlemen—I respectfully submit the following report to date on the above resolution:

Wednesday, July 23, 1919, the writer, in company with Inspectors Hoff and Greenawalt, of the Bureau of Pure Food Inspection, City of Pittsburgh, visited Washington and Baltimore.

I took up with the proper authorities at Washington the question of food supplies and then visited the warehouse at Colgate, near Baltimore, Md., and inspected the various commodities they had stored and placed an order for one (1) mixed carload of tomatoes, peas, corn, pork and beans, and corn starch, with the understanding that we could secure an unlimited amount right along.

The above articles were all thoroughly inspected by our inspectors and myself and we feel satisfied that they are in excellent condition and would be the cause of saving to the citizens of the City of Pittsburgh at least thirty-five (35) per cent., as against the present retail prices on the said commodities.

We did not order any bacon or meats, due to the fact that they were, in our opinion, not the kind of goods that the average housekeeper could use in their homes; the bacon being large, thick, fatty sides and backs and, while it was a good quality, would not, as stated above, be the kind of bacon that could be used in a private home.

The Department of Supplies is still in communication with other zone surplus depots in an effort to secure further commodities, for sale to our people, and the progress of same will be reported to you from time to time.

Respectfully submitted,

JAS. F. MALONE,

Director.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. McArdle, received and filed.

Also

No. 3280. Communication from the policewomen in the Bureau of Police, thanking Council for its co-operation in sending delegates to the National Association of Policewomen's convention in Atlantic City.

Also

No. 3281. Communication from Asbury M. E. Church Sunday School, protesting against playing of Sunday golf in Schenley Park.

Which were read, received and filed.

Also

No. 3282.

HAWKINS, DELAFIELD & LONG-FELLOW.

Attorneys and Counsellors at Law.

New York, August 2, 1919.

Hon. E. S. Morrow,
Controller,
City-County Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—We have heretofore, under date of May 7, 1913, by an opinion addressed to the City Solicitor, Hon. Charles A. O'Brien, advised you as to the computation of the 2 per cent. limitation of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh. By the special election held on July 8, 1919, the electors assented to an increase of indebtedness in the total amount of \$21,996,000.00. Under the decision in the case of McGuire vs. Philadelphia, 245 Pa., 287, this authorized increase exhausts, pro tanto, the debt-incurring capacity of the City, with the result, as you inform us, that the margin of debt-incurring capacity under the 7 per cent. limit is now less than the margin under the 2 per cent. limit. You have asked us to advise you further on the computation of the City's debt.

On July 16, 1919, we supplemented our opinion of May 7, 1913, and advised you to include items in the floating debt of the City which you have not heretofore included. Under the Schuldice case, 234 Pa., 30, it was decided that the estimated property damages on account of the taking of property and injury to it from changes of street grades, etc., are to be included as part of the debt of the City, and also that the estimated amounts which are to be due contractors under contracts which are executed must be included as part of the debts of the City. You have heretofore included these items in statements of indebtedness. Under the McGuire case No. 1, 245 Pa., 287, the court stated a novel doctrine, namely, that the constitutional and statutory limitation on the debt-incurring capacity was not the amount of debt existing, but the amount of debt authorized. We, therefore, advised you that you should include, as part of the debt of the City, the estimated cost of improvements and the estimated property damages therefrom as soon as the ordinances authorizing such improvements are finally adopted and approved. This advice related only to improvements not involved in an election, as other principles govern in the case of improvements involved in an election, and we shall now consider them.

The question to be considered is the effect on the debt of the City of proceedings taken after the election relating to improvements involved in the election. The effect is different in the case of assessment improvements from the others, where no assessments are involved. You will recollect that as to all the street improvements (except the general street improvements) the propositions submitted to the electors were for

an increase of indebtedness for the "City's share of the cost." The balance of the cost is to be paid by assessments.

We will first take up the case of the improvements involved in the election where none of the cost is to be assessed on property and, as an example, we will consider the increase of indebtedness for the water supply system. On July 8, 1919, the electors assented to an increase of indebtedness for the water supply system of \$1,401,000.00. This sum must be included in the debt of the City at once. *McGuire vs. Philadelphia*, 245 Pa., 287. The next step is the authorization of bonds by Council. As this is merely a further step toward actually incurring the debt it does not affect the debt of the City at all. Nor does the actual issuance of the bonds affect it. If the improvement is then authorized, that is to say, after the bonds are issued, the indebtedness is also not affected, because as the proceeds of the bonds are in hand and are irrevocably pledged to pay the contractor (and damages, if any, are involved), such cash in hand may be offset against the obligation under the contract and for damages. *McGuire vs. Philadelphia* (No. 1), 245 Pa., 287 (1914); *Schuldice vs. Pittsburgh*, 251 Pa., 28 (1915). If, however, the contract is let before the bonds are actually issued, a situation would arise where the City would have an authorized indebtedness to the contractor of \$1,401,000.00 and an authorized indebtedness on the bonds in the same amount. We are satisfied that one of these can be offset against the other and, in consequence, that no increase of indebtedness is involved.

The only argument to the contrary is as follows: Under the case of *McGuire vs. Philadelphia* (No. 1), 245 Pa., 287 (1914), a debt which is authorized but not yet incurred is a debt of the City. Therefore, when the improvement is authorized, one debt is created, and when the bonds are authorized, another debt is created, and until the bonds are issued there are no moneys on hand to offset against one of these debts. We do not think this argument is sound. It is certainly unreasonable to give greater effect to an authorized but unissued series of bonds than to one that is actually outstanding. But, in addition, we believe that this reasoning involves a misinterpretation of the case cited. That case does not really hold that an authorized debt is in fact a debt. What the court meant was that where a municipality has authorized indebtedness to the legal limit, no further authorizations are valid. It does not decide that the authorization of a debt is a debt, although it does decide that a City cannot authorize a debt which, together with debts previously authorized, is in excess of the legal limit. The question of the computation of the legal limit when an improvement is authorized and when bonds

are authorized to pay for the improvement, is not involved in the decision.

In order to show the unreasonableness of any other conclusion, assume the case of a City with a debt-incurring capacity of \$1,000,000.00. The voters assent to an increase of indebtedness of \$1,000,000.00, thus exhausting the debt-incurring capacity of the City. Council then authorizes the letting of contracts in the amount of \$1,000,000.00. The indebtedness so created is the indebtedness assented to by the electors. To pay the contractors and carry out the plan voted, Council must authorize bonds. It surely cannot be said that the authorization of the bonds exceeds the debt limit, because, if so, Council cannot proceed with the improvements, and the vote is useless.

The next question is the effect of proceedings subsequent to a debt election for improvements involved in the election where the electors have only authorized an increase of indebtedness to pay the City's share of the cost. The total cost of the improvement will be greater than this because it will include both the City's share of the cost and the share to be assessed. Under the principles above stated, the authorization of the bonds will offset part of this increase of indebtedness, but as the bonds are only for the City's share of the cost, the whole indebtedness caused by the authorization of the improvement is not offset. In consequence, the authorization of each one of these street improvements will cause an increase of the City's debt above the amount authorized by the electors.

Let us assume that the present debt limit of the City, including the amounts voted at the recent election, is \$1,000,000.00. (We have not got the actual figures.) The City's share of the cost of the assessment improvements involved in Question No. 1 is \$8,178,000.00. The total cost of these improvements is probably considerably more. If, therefore, all these improvements are authorized at one time, the City might immediately be over its debt limit. This can and must be avoided by limiting the authorization of improvements so that the difference between the estimated City's share of the cost (i. e., the amount of indebtedness voted) and the total cost of the improvements never exceeds the margin of debt-incurring capacity. The embarrassing period is, of course, a relatively short one, because as soon as the viewers report and the time to appeal has expired, there will be an offset which will again leave a margin of debt-incurring capacity. There would be no difficulty if it were possible to offset the estimated amount that is to be assessed, but this cannot be done. *Schuldice vs. Pittsburgh*, 251 Pa., 28 (1915).

It is obvious from the foregoing that not only will the City be limited in pro-

ceedings with the assessment improvements involved in the election, but also in incurring further councilmanic debt, and it is only fair to warn you that the City is obviously on the very verge of exceeding its debt limit. The passage of further ordinances for miscellaneous improvements may at any time pass the limit imposed by law, involving serious delay in carrying out the improvements approved by the electors and jeopardizing the credit of the City.

Your letter of July 30, 1913, is not quite clear in its statements of fact, but we will endeavor to apply the principles above stated to the facts as we understand them.

In that letter you give us a statement of the estimated damages from certain street improvements involved in the election, and you ask us how this affects the City's debt. We cannot tell from this information alone. The computation should be made by taking the whole cost of an improvement authorized by an ordinance, that is to say, the estimated damages plus the estimated contract cost; deduct the amount voted for the improvement at the election, and the result is the increase of debt caused by the ordinance.

You refer to Webster avenue. We understand that in 1910 the electors voted \$55,000.00 for the City's share of the cost of the improvement. If Council has not authorized the improvement, this is the total amount that should be included in the debt. If Council has authorized the improvement and the estimated cost of it, including physical work and damages, is \$103,469.00, then \$55,000.00 must be included in the electoral debt and the balance, or \$48,469.00, in the councilmanic debt. The \$55,000.00 is not included twice, whether bonds have been authorized or not.

You refer to West Carson street. We understand that the total cost of the improvement is estimated at \$568,037.00. Bonds have been authorized but not issued for \$390,000.00. The latter sum should be included in the councilmanic debt, as bonds authorized but not issued, and the balance, namely, \$178,037.00, should be included in the councilmanic floating debt. The total cost of the improvement and the bonds authorized should not both be included in the debt of the City.

At this point it is proper to call your attention to another peculiarity in the issuance of bonds for the assessment improvements. The propositions voted by the electors in the case of such improvements limit the purpose for which indebtedness may be increased to the payment of "the City's share of the cost, damage and expense." If the bonds are issued before the viewers report the amount of them may be equal to the increase of debt that the electors have

authorized, but if the bonds are not issued before the viewers report and that report shows that the City's share is less than the increase of debt authorized by the electors, the amount of bonds which may be issued is limited to the City's share as shown by the report. The reason is obvious. The proceeds of bonds can only be used for the purpose for which the indebtedness is authorized. As the indebtedness is only authorized for the City's share of the cost, no more bonds can be issued than is necessary to pay that share. Until the viewers report, the amount stated in the proposition voted is conclusive. But after the viewers report, the City's share is actually determined, as a matter of fact. From the viewpoint of a bond issue, it would have been preferable to have omitted any reference to the City's share, but if it had been omitted, there is some doubt whether the assessments would have been valid.

We are sending a copy of this letter to the Mayor, to the President of Council and to the City Solicitor, inasmuch as they are all equally interested in the subject, and co-operation between them all is necessary in order to carry to a successful conclusion the progressive plan of public improvements upon which the City has embarked.

Yours very truly,

HAWKINS, DELAFIELD & LONG-
FELLOW.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. **Rauh**, received and filed and ordered printed in full in the Record.

Also

No. 3283. Communication from C. K. Robinson, Special Counsel, relative to filing complaint against the raise of telephone rates.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 3284. Report of the Committee on Finance for July 29, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3178. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the City Treasurer to issue a peddler's or vendor's license to soldiers or sailors of the world war who have been honorably discharged from the service, without charge."

Which was read.

Mr. **Garland** moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3207. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh to hire four (4) or more trucks suitable for the conveyance of passengers to provide free transportation to any and all persons within the limits of Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks, and making an appropriation for payment of the expenses thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3206 An Ordinance en-

titled, "An Ordinance authorizing the sale to Mrs. Jennie M. Emich of Pittsburgh of a plot of ground known as the North Side Pumping Station property on River avenue, in the Twenty-fourth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for the sum of \$125,000.00, fixing the terms and condition of said sale, and providing for the reservation of a portion of said plot now occupied by Engine Company No. 48 for a period of ten (10) years from the date of deed for said property, and granting the purchaser the right to construct and maintain a railroad siding from the right of way of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company across River avenue to said plot, and fixing the terms and conditions of said grant."

In Finance Committee, July 29, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the entire Section 3 and by striking out, in the title, the words "and granting the purchaser the right to construct and maintain a railroad siding from the right of way of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company across River avenue to said plot, and fixing the terms and conditions of said grant," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3225. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and di-

recting an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of five hundred forty thousand dollars (\$540,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing and reconstructing and otherwise improving the streets of the City generally, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3226. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred eleven thousand dollars (\$111,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: For the City's share of the cost, damages and expenses (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving Diamond street, from Ferry street to Market place, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3227. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of five hundred fifty-five thousand dollars (\$555,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving East Ohio street, from Heinz street to City line at Millvale Borough, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3228. An Ordinance en-

titled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of ninety-six thousand dollars (\$96 000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving Mount Oliver street, from South Eighteenth street to a point 50 feet north of Loyal way, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3229. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred seventy-one thousand dollars (\$171,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving Bigelow boulevard at and near Brereton street, and also at and near Thirtieth street, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3230. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$399,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repairing and improving the roadways in Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3231. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$99,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of developing and improving West Park, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3232. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred thirty thousand dollars (\$330,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement of City playgrounds and the establishment of new playgrounds, including acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3233. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost, damages and expenses (including architectural and engineering expenses) of six (6) public comfort stations, including the acquisition of land where necessary therefor, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3234. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and di-

recting an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one million twenty thousand dollars (\$1,020,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said purposes, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3235. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of Center avenue bridges over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shadyside station, and the approaches thereto, and

providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3236. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of the North and Irwin avenue bridges and approaches thereto, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Rauh
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3179. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Baur Brothers Bakery.....	\$ 18.26	1148
Baur Brothers Bakery.....	104.76	1232
Gleske, E. C.....	25.67	1232
Hilltop Lumber Co.....	147.96	1037
Hilltop Lumber Co.....	448.20	1034
Hales & Edwards Co.....	1,742.50	1320
Johnston & Co., Wm. G.....	44.13	1403
Schenck China Co.....	542.40	1323

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Rauh
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3209. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of T. F. Scanlon in the sum of \$85.00, in full settlement of all claims and demands against the City on account of injuries to his Ford truck caused by being struck with wagon of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers on Buente street, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Rauh
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3181. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$75.00 from Code Account 1500 "E," Repairs, to Code Account 1499 "C," Supplies, Bureau of Deed Registry.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Rauh
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3191. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to set aside the sum of \$3,000.00, or so much of the same as may be necessary, to meet any bills incurred by the Director of the Department of Supplies in prosecution of negotiations with the United States Government for the purchase of merchandise to be sold to the citizens of the City of Pittsburgh, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code No. 32, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3151. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for Lot No. 80 in West Liberty Land Company Plan, located on Boggston avenue, Eighteenth ward, to A. H. Kirchner, for the sum of \$440.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3184. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor, upon payment by Marie A. Fraunhelm of the sum of \$500.00, to execute, acknowledge and deliver to her a deed in proper form to be approved by the City Solicitor, releasing and quit-claiming all the right, title and interest of the City to certain land in the Sixth ward on Neville street.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3182. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a lease with George V. Kimberlin for property on Kenwood avenue, Twenty-sixth ward, for playground purposes, for a period of four years from the expiration of the present lease; the consideration being the exoneration of said property from taxes.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
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Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3208. Resolution authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to have dressing rooms and shower baths, for the use of the public, placed in building at 1001 Perry street, Twenty-third ward, formerly used as a police station, but which is now vacant, and setting aside the sum of \$1,000.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to pay for said work and materials.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3104. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to make, execute and deliver a deed to Carrie Stadtfeld, Zilla Burkhart, Blanche E. Herron, Elvin R. Edmundson, Ira H. Edmundson and Rand M. Edmundson, their heirs and assigns, for Lots Nos. 40 and 41 in Hugh S. Fleming's Plan of Lots, in the Fifteenth ward, situate on the northeasterly side of Dike street, and also a deed to Ira H. Edmundson, his heirs and assigns, for Lots 196, 197, 157 and part of Lot 156 in A. R. Neeb's Plan, situate in the Fifteenth ward, on the southeasterly side of Dupont street, upon the payment of the sum of \$345.93 in cash to the City Treasurer.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	Robertson

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3135. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Lillie Alpern on account of charges for water in the sum of \$129.12, being 50 per cent. of the excess meter rate

over the former flat rate, on property at 1414-16 Whitcomb street, Third ward.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2835. Resolution authorizing and empowering the Water Assessors to issue a rebate in the amount of \$42.32, in favor of Alex Loving, on account of leak in water line at his property, 22 Allequippa street, and which has been repaired.

In Finance Committee, July 29, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$42.32," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$19.53," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3189. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to set aside the sum of \$1,727.92 from Code Account No. 1476-E, item "Thirty-six-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street, etc.," and authorizing the issuing of warrants to Frank Donatelli in payment of the final estimate of said contract.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 3285. Report of the Committee on Public Works for July 29, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2683. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing an agreement between the City of Pittsburgh and the Borough of Wilkinsburg, providing for an interchange of facilities for sewer connections between the said municipalities, and providing for the terms and conditions thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2684. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk of Richmond street in the City of Pittsburgh, the west sidewalk of Richmond street and on Trevanion street in the Borough of Swissvale, and on Trevanion street and private property of Louis A. Meyran in the City of Pittsburgh, from a point about fifteen (15) feet south of Sanders street to the existing sanitary outlet sewer of the Borough of Wilkinsburg on the private property of Louis A. Meyran. With branch sewers on the east and west sidewalks of Trevanion street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2685. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and di-

recting the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk and roadway of Crestline street, in the City of Pittsburgh, and on Coal street, in the Borough of Wilkinsburg, from a point about fifteen (15) feet south of Nimick place to the existing sewer on Coal street, in the Borough of Wilkinsburg, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3194. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for the construction of a 12-inch terra cotta pipe sewer on the east sidewalk of Fallowfield avenue, from a point about 40 feet south of Sebring avenue to the existing sewer on Fallowfield avenue south of Broadway, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3212. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Jennie Jones in the sum of \$48.75, in payment of lost time by reason of illness while employed as matron at Washington Park, Bureau of Recreation, for 21 days at the rate of \$2.083 per day, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1813.

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. **McArdle** presented

No. 3286. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for July 29, 1919, transmitting several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3176. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing Ordinance No. 98, entitled, 'An Ordinance locating Somers street, from Bedford avenue to Webster avenue,' approved November 25, 1887."

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3214. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the opening grades on Arlington avenue, Foley street, Kozell street, Piave street, Pluso street, Zaruba street, Kordecki way and Krakow way, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened highways by the Pittsburgh-St. Clair Realty Company in a plan of lots of its property in the Sixteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, named 'Arlington Park Terrace.'"

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3215. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing and re-establishing the grade of Sutherland street, from Chartiers avenue to Jean street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3216. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and establishing the grade of Wabash street, from Independence street to Woodstock street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Coun-

cil being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. **McArdle** presented

No. 3287. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to return to Council, without action thereon, for further consideration, Bill No. 1863, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 40 feet, paving and curbing of Virginia avenue, from Kearsarge street to Plymouth street, etc."

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the Mayor having returned, without action thereon,

Bill No. 1863. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 40 feet, paving and curbing of Virginia avenue, from Kearsarge street to Plymouth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

In Council, July 28, 1919. Rule sus-

pending, bill read three times and finally passed by a three-fourths vote.

Which was read.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

To reconsider the vote by which the bill was read a third time and finally passed.

Which motion prevailed.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill be read a third time and finally passed?"

The motion did not prevail.

Mr. **McArdle** moved

That the bill be laid on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Robertson** presented

No. 3288. Communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, showing a report on free transportation in the public parks from July 27. and for the week ending August 3, 1919.

Which was read and, on motion of Mr. **Robertson**, received and filed.

And, on motion of Mr. **Winters**,

Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, August 11, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Winters
Herron (President)

Absent—Messrs.

English Rauh
Henderson Robertson

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3289. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charging the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$96.24	1147
The Pittsburgh Hospital.....	19.50	1147

Also

No. 3290. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public

Safety to release and discharge R. E. Edmonds from any and all liability under the Workmen's Compensation Law by reason of the accident to W. R. Reynolds, a lieutenant of police, who was injured by being struck by an automobile of R. E. Edmonds, and to waive the right of the City of subrogation against said R. E. Edmonds to the extent of the moneys paid to W. R. Reynolds under the Workmen's Compensation Law; provided, however, that the said W. R. Reynolds executes to the City of Pittsburgh the proper release from all further liability for compensation under said law and the agreement made between him and the City pursuant thereto on account of injury received by him on September 7, 1918, as aforesaid.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 3291. Petition for the grading and paving of Drake way, between Wellesley avenue and Springer way.

Also

No. 3292. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading and paving of Drake way, from Wellesley avenue to Springer way, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3293. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for Lots Nos. 37 and 38 in Thomas Mellon Plan of Lots on Brighton road, Twenty-seventh ward, to Francis Sasso for the sum of \$900.00.

Also

No. 3294. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series "A," 1919, the sum of \$64,400.00 for the payment of engineering, mechanical and other

services in the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Also No. 3295. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series "A," 1919, the sum of \$61,100.00 for the payment of supplies and materials, etc., furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Also No. 3296. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Liberty Flag and Decorating Company for the sum of \$3,536.00 for decorations for the reception of the returned soldiers, and charging to Appropriation No. 1027.

Also No. 3297. An Ordinance authorizing the purchase of certain real estate in the Eighth and Ninth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, County of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, from John Dean, for the sum of seventy-five thousand (\$75,000.00) dollars.

Also No. 3298. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Jennie P. A. Sullivan, refunding City taxes on her property in the Fourth ward used as a playground, in the sum of \$371.82, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunds.

Also No. 3299. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of Mrs. Ada B. Holmes, one of the soldiers' dependents, in the sum of \$26.26, in place of warrant No. 12135, which was lost.

Also No. 3300. Communication from Clarence O. Emrich, representing the Pennsylvania Milling Company, asking for certain concessions from the City so that said company can erect a flour mill on the D. M. Sheaffer property on the Brilliant Cut-off of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also No. 3301. Petition for the vacation of an unnamed 20-foot way in Catherine Herchenroether's Plan, from Evergreen plank road to the southerly line of the plan.

Also No. 3302. An Ordinance vacating an unnamed 20-foot way, in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, as laid out in Catherine Herchenroether's

Plan of Lots, from Evergreen plank road to the southerly line of the plan.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3303. An Ordinance amending Item "Resident Physician" in Section 35, Department of Health, Municipal Hospital, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved by the Mayor January 22, 1919.

Also No. 3304. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of Mrs. Ethel Kramer for her premises at 248 Meyran avenue, in the sum of \$6.80, being one-half the amount charged for the quarter ending July 11, 1919.

Also No. 3305. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of Edward J. Baldauf for the quarter beginning April 10, 1919, on property at 642 Conkling street, Fifth ward, in the sum of \$———

Also No. 3306. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Bureau of Engineering, the sum of \$26,000.00 to the following appropriations of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers:

To Appropriation No. 1540,	
Wages, Temporary Employees, Boardwalks and Steps	\$12,000.00
To Appropriation No. 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps	14,000.00
	\$26,000.00

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also No. 3307. Petition of residents on Fallowfield avenue, asking for repairs to the sidewalk on said avenue.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3308. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Code Account No. 1269, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Housing and Sanitary Inspection, Department of Health, to Code Account No. 1031, Supplies, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Also

No. 3309. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for a piece of ground at the corner of Frankstown avenue and Wheeler street, Thirteenth ward, being Lot No. 384 and part of Lot No. 383 in Mellon's Revised Villa Place Plan, to A. J. Stevens for the sum of \$1,800.00.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3310. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Shaler street, from Woodville avenue to Wabash street.

Also

No. 3311. An Ordinance fixing and re-fixing the width and position of the northerly sidewalk and roadway and establishing and re-establishing the grade of Woodville avenue, from the point of curve east of Lowe street to Banksville avenue.

Also

No. 3312. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Alexis street, from Saline street to an unnamed 10-foot way at the easterly boundary of the A. R. Neeb's "Forward Avenue Plan of Lots."

Also

No. 3313. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Acorn street, from Saline street to Alexis street.

Also

No. 3314. Plan of Regent Place, laid out by William E. Harmon, Fourteenth ward and the Borough of Swissvale, and the dedication of the streets and ways shown therein.

Also

No. 3315. An Ordinance approving the "Plan of Regent Place," in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by William E. Harmon; accepting the dedication of Henrietta street, La Clair street, Milton street, Overton street, Gamma way and Rear way, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

The Chair presented

No. 3316. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile for the Bureau of Recreation.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3317. Communication from

the Director of the Department of Public Health, transmitting a comparative report showing the removal of garbage and rubbish during the month of June, 1919, and June, 1918.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

No. 3318. Petition of property holders along the southern side of Fort Hill street, Sixteenth ward, asking for a hearing on Bill No. 3260, for the paving and curbing of said Fort Hill street, from Fernleaf street to Sterling street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3319. Communication from John S. Ritenour, secretary of the Western Pennsylvania Humane Society, offering the services of its motor truck, used as a horse ambulance, in hauling from depot to market house the stores to be purchased by the City from the Government.

Which was read, received and filed and a copy ordered to be sent to the Director of the Department of Supplies.

Also

No. 3320. Communication from C. C. Hamilton, offering to sell to the City, for the sum of \$75,000.00, the property known as "Property of the Laurel Land Company," in the Eighth and Ninth wards.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3321. Communication from E. W. Willman, complaining that he is unable to get either gas or City water on his premises at 26 Cloverdale street, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3322.
BUILDING CODE COMMITTEE OF
THE CITY OF PITTSBURGH.

Pittsburgh, Pa., August 2, 1919.
Public Safety Committee,
City of Pittsburgh.
City-County Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen—Your communication of July 30 received.

The committee wishes to advise you that they are making progress with the building code work, as is evidenced by their submitting to you during the current year the following ordinances:

Fire zoning regulations, February 1, 1919.

Garage regulations, March 3, 1919.

Dwelling house regulations, July 11, 1919.

Other ordinances are now under consideration. The committee has adjourned and will resume its work early next September. However, at this time the committee cannot state just when the work will be completed.

Very respectfully,

By Order of the Committee,

JNO. A. FERGUSON,

Secretary-Engineer.

Which was read, received and filed and ordered printed in full in the Record.

Also

No. 3323. Communication from M. H. Gottschall, Mayor's Secretary, stating that the Mayor desired Council to adopt some formal minute on the death of Andrew Carnegie.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the communication be received and filed and that a committee be appointed to prepare suitable resolutions on the death of Andrew Carnegie.

Which motion prevailed.

And the Chair appointed, as members of said committee, Messrs. Garland, Dailey, Winters and McArdle.

Mr. Garland moved

That, as the Allegheny Carnegie Free Library is the only one under the direct jurisdiction of the City, Mr. Eggers, the librarian, be instructed to have the building closed on the day of the funeral of Andrew Carnegie.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3324. Petition of citizens of the South Side of the City of Pittsburgh, asking that a cornerman be placed at South Eighteenth and Carson streets.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

That the petition be received and filed and that the Director of the Department of Public Safety be requested to have the cornerman placed as asked for in the petition.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3325. Whereas, The continuance of the excessively high cost of the necessities of life is now the gravest problem before the American people; and

Whereas, Under existing laws, it seems unlikely that the National Government will be able to do anything that

will afford immediate and effective relief; and

Whereas, The purchase by the City of surplus food supplies from the National Government and the re-sale of same to the citizens at cost has proved to be a practical and popular means of giving some measure of relief and should be continued and extended so long as Government supplies are available for that purpose; and

Whereas, The City has the power to purchase and sell to its citizens food products bought in the open markets, providing appropriations are available to pay for same; and

Whereas, Such a course may prove to be wise and expedient in the public interest; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be requested to advise Council whether money for such purpose could be provided by an emergency appropriation, made in accordance with the provisions of Section Thirteen (13) of the Act of May 31, 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3326. Whereas, A number of vendors of food products at the North Side Market who occupy space under permit from the market authorities have been charged with and convicted of selling food products in violation of laws passed for the protection of the public against fraudulent and unfair practices; and

Whereas, The evasion or disregard of these protective laws must not be permitted in the City of Pittsburgh; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be and he is hereby instructed to cause the refusal of a permit to any person or persons to sell food products at the public markets who shall be convicted of a violation of any laws intended for the protection of the public against fraud or unfair dealing when purchasing food products; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be requested to prepare and present to Council an ordinance requiring all leases for market space to contain a revocation clause in case of conviction of fraudulent or unfair dealing with the patrons of the market.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Garland moved

That Council take a recess until Tuesday, August 12, 1919, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Which motion prevailed.

And Council took a recess.

AFTER RECESS.

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Tuesday, August 12, 1919.

The hour of 2 o'clock P. M. having arrived, and the time of the recess having expired, Council was called to order, and there were

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Absent—Messrs.

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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3327. Report of the Committee on Finance for August 5, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3193. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending lines one and two of Section 17, Department of Assessors, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3270. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to appoint appraisers, not exceeding three in number, for the purpose of appraising the water works of the City, and providing for their compensation."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3253. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending lines 8 and 9 of Section 109, lines 9 and 10 of Section 110, line 7 of Section 111, line 7 of Section 113, line 6 of Section 114, line 4 of Section 115, and line 5 of Section 116, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

In Finance Committee, August 5, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1 by inserting and striking out as shown in red and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

The motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3255. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of Hacker Bros. in the sum of \$19.45, in the place of warrant No. 3223, which was lost or destroyed.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3275. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of F. C. Dorrington, cashier in the City Treasurer's office, in the sum of \$50.00, refunding amount paid on warrant of Margaret P. Clayton (he having mistaken the figures "\$25.81" for "\$75.81"), and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3029. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$25,000.00 from Appropriation No. 52, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 1080, Bureau of Public Utilities Litigation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3180. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$25,000.00 from Code Account No. 1037, Supplies, Bureau of Animal Industry, to Code Account No. 1027, Civic and War Committee.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3192. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,500.00 from Appropriation No. 52-M, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 1039, A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Department of Assessors.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3254. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,000.00 from Code Account 42, Contingent Fund, to Code Account 1682 "B," Miscellaneous Service, Bureau of Parks.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3269. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$300.00 from Code Account No. 1016, Supplies, to Code Account No. 1018, Equipment, Mayor's Office.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3197. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for two lots on Forty-second street, adjoining his property, to Ray S. Pries for the sum of \$800.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3105. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration for water rent on property of Morris Caplan, located at Nos. 2 and 4 Overhill street and Nos. 4 and 6 Clark street, for the years 1918 and 1919, amounting to \$178.17, being one-half of the amount of the metered rate over the former flat rate.

In Finance Committee, August 5, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$178.17" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$154.72," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3140. Whereas, The Board of Viewers, appointed to determine the damages and benefits arising from the opening of Tuscarora street, between Richland street and Braddock avenue, in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, allowed to May Wilson Crawford damages for land taken, and assessed the cost of paying the same against Mary E. P. Ringwalt, John Gates, Jr., John E. Nelson, A. W. Copely, H. L. Ringwalt and W. N. McNary, being the owners of the other properties lying along said street, said assessments amounting in all to \$1,530.00, and more

particularly set forth as to the amounts and the land against which the same were assessed in the Viewers' report in said proceedings; and

Whereas, Said parties subsequently appealed from the report of the Board of Viewers to the Court of Common Pleas and trials were had thereon, which resulted in verdicts of the juries in favor of the City of Pittsburgh in the total sum of \$2,685.00; and

Whereas, The said parties have the right of appeal to the Superior Court of Pennsylvania and, if successful in the prosecution thereof, the liens filed for said improvement would be stricken from the record, and the City of Pittsburgh would receive nothing; and

Whereas, Said parties have offered to pay the amount assessed against them by the Board of Viewers and to abandon their right of appeal; and

Whereas, This offer of settlement appears to be fair and to the interest and advantage of the City of Pittsburgh; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, And it is hereby resolved that the attorney for the City of Pittsburgh be and he is hereby authorized and directed to accept said offer on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh and, upon payment to him of the sum of \$1,530.00, together with the costs, to enter satisfaction in full of the liens heretofore entered by the City of Pittsburgh against said parties for the opening of said street.

In Finance Committee, August 5, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the balance of the resolution beginning with the words "Now, therefore, be it Resolved," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words, "Now, therefore, be it Resolved, That the City Solicitor for the City of Pittsburgh be and he is hereby authorized and directed to satisfy liens in full against the various property owners upon payment by the property owners as follows:

Mary E. P. Ringwalt, \$900.00 (together with costs).

John Gates, Jr., \$150.00 (together with costs).

John E. Nelson, \$120.00 (together with costs).

A. W. Copely, \$120.00 (together with costs).

H. L. Ringwalt, \$120.00 (together with costs).

W. N. McNary (George R. McNary), \$120.00 (together with costs).

benefit assessments assessed against the said parties for the opening of Tuscarora street, from Richland street to Braddock avenue," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3266. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for plot of ground located on Wilson avenue, Twenty-sixth ward, to James Hudester for the sum of \$800.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the resolution be recommended to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3328. Report of the Committee on Public Works for August 5, 1919, transmitting an ordinance and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3258. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for making certain repairs to the Penn avenue, Millvale avenue and the Twenty-eighth street bridges crossing the Pennsylvania Railroad; also the Wilnot street bridge over Cunliffe Hollow, and the steps leading from Highland avenue bridge to Ravenna street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 3261. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Lawrence Motor Company for \$157.11, for repairs furnished the Bureau of Light, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1674.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3329. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for August 5, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and a lot plan to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3267. G. P. Lang Estate

Plan of Lots, in the Twenty-sixth ward, laid out by Emma Kunkel (widow), Lewis P. Lang et al. and the dedication of the streets and the way shown therein.

Which was read, accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

Also

Bill No. 3268. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance approving 'G. P. Lang Estate Plan of Lots,' in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by Emma Kunkel (widow), Lewis P. Lang, Philip B. Lang, Annie Orth and George C. Orth, her husband; Walter Lang, Charlotte Lang, Eleanor Kress and James Kress, her husband; Bertha Lohmeyer, and Fred A. Lohmeyer, her husband; heirs of George P. Lang, deceased; and William I. King and John R. Wendell, individually; accepting the dedication of Britannia street, Elmerton street, Hillis street, Rocton street and Lauster way, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3271. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the

grade on Wapello street, from Davis avenue to Termon avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3272. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Aquatic way, from Wapello street to a point 380 feet east of Wapello street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3330. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for August 5, 1919, transmitting two ordinances and a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3248. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and empowering the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety to execute a lease on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh with the Liberty Transfer and Storage Company for a building to be used as temporary quarters for Engine Company No. 11, for a period of time not exceeding four (4) months."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3249. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for remodeling and repairing Engine House No. 47, Bureau of Fire.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3250. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charging the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$900.08	1160
Thomas A. Murray	8.00	1147

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3331. Resolved, By the Mayor and the Council of the City of Pittsburgh that in the death yesterday of Andrew Carnegie, Pittsburgh has not only lost one of her most loyal and generous friends and benefactors, but the country has been deprived of one of its most estimable citizens.

Mr. Carnegie's name will go down into history as the greatest steel manufac-

turer of his time. What he has done for our City in the erection of libraries, which are unsurpassed in their store of knowledge, and the creation of splendid educational institutions, will forever remain as a monument to his citizenship and his regard for this community. The one thing that can truly be said of him is that Pittsburgh was always uppermost in his mind and foremost in his thought. Be it further

Resolved, That the President of Council be requested to forward a letter of condolence and sympathy to Mrs. Carnegie in her bereavement, and that an

engrossed copy of these resolutions be forwarded to her in due course.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed by a unanimous rising vote.

Mr. Dailey moved

That Council adjourn to meet at the call of the **Chair**.

Which motion prevailed.

And Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, September 8, 1919.

Council met pursuant to the following call:

Pittsburgh, September 5, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,
Clerk of Council.

Dear Sir—Please call a meeting of Council for Monday, September 8, 1919, at 3:30 o'clock P. M., pursuant to motion adopted at the meeting of Council held August 11, 1919, providing that Council adjourn to meet at the call of the Chair.

Your respectfully,

JOHN S. HERRON,
President.

Which was read, received and filed.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
English Rauh
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

The Chair stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meetings of Council for July 28, August 4 and August 11, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the minutes of the meet-

ings of Council for July 28, August 4 and August 11, 1919, be approved.
Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3332. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Painter-Dunn Company for \$5,275.00 for five (5) Model 90 Overland touring cars for use of the Bureau of Police, and charging same to Code Account No. —

Also

No. 3333. Resolution authorizing, directing and empowering the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$300.00 from Code Account No. 1126, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, General Office, Department of Public Safety, to Code Account No. 1132, Item D, Materials, General Office, Department of Public Safety.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance

Also

No. 3334. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Bertram G. Case.....	\$ 12.00	1133
Bertram G. Case.....	66.50	1166
W. H. Champ.....	211.82	1166
N. C. Davison Gas Burner & Welding Co.....	4.50	1166
Dayton Rubber Mfg. Co.....	36.00	1166
Frick & Lindsay Co.....	4.00	1166
A. H. Johnson.....	64.90	1166
Keystone Laundry Co.....	11.47	1130
Keystone Laundry Co.....	211.06	1163
H. R. Kirkwood.....	.80	1166
Mercy Hospital.....	90.00	1163
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	26.22	1166

Penn Storage Battery Co. 12.85 1166
Robbins Electric Co. 75 1166

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 3335. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Louis Stanley for Lots 149 and 150 in Robert Robb's Plan, located on Corfu street, Twentieth ward, for the sum of \$150.00.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3336. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Woodville avenue, from Independence street to the easterly line of Banksville avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3337. An Ordinance changing the name of Warp way, between North Euclid avenue and North St. Clair street, to Frazee way.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3338. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Herman Ross for Lot No. 304 in the John Runnette Plan of Lincoln Park, Twelfth ward, located on Verona road, for the sum of \$275.00.

Also

No. 3339. Resolution authorizing and instructing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$392.18 from Code Account No. 1036, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Animal Industry, to Code Account No. 1113, Salaries, Regular Employees, Art Commission.

Also

No. 3340. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,755.30 from Code Account No. 1036, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Animal Industry, to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3341. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Appropriation No. 1383, Public Wash House and Bath Association.

Also

No. 3342. An Ordinance author-

izing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for bids and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the laying and construction of cement sidewalks around Schenley High School, in the City of Pittsburgh, for a sum not to exceed one thousand eight hundred thirty-six dollars (\$1,836.00).

Also

No. 3343. An Ordinance to effect and establish daylight saving in the City of Pittsburgh during the months of May, June, July, August and September of each and every year, and requiring all clocks and timepieces within the limits of the City to be advanced one (1) hour at 2 o'clock ante meridian from the last Sunday in April of each year, and to be so kept advanced unto 2 o'clock ante meridian of the last Sunday in September, when they are to be retarded, or turned back one (1) hour, and fixing standard time for the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 3344. Communication from L. C. Bihler, secretary of the National Traffic League, transmitting resolution of said organization, endorsing the continuation of the national daylight saving plan.

Also

No. 3345. Communication from employees of the Central Tube Company, urging passage of the ordinance for the advancement of the clock one hour during the months of May, June, July, August and September.

Also

No. 3346. Communication from the Pittsburgh Association of Credit Men, endorsing the daylight saving plan.

Also

No. 3347. Communication from employees of Morris Knowles, Inc., engineers, endorsing the daylight saving plan.

Also

No. 3348. Communication from Alex. Laughlin & Co. employees, endorsing the daylight saving plan.

Also

No. 3349. Communication from South Hills Tennis Club, favoring the continuation of the daylight saving plan.

Also

No. 3350. Communication from William B. Way, secretary of the Natural Gas Association of America, stating that said organization favors daylight saving legislation.

Also

No. 3351. Communication from B. Kramer and Mr. F. L. Oleon, protesting against the daylight saving ordinance.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3352. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Mrs. F. S. Farley for Lot No. 44 in Marshall & Bell Plan of Lots, located on Meadville street, Twenty-fifth ward, for the sum of \$225.00.

Also

No. 3353. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Monthly Record Publishing Company for \$200.00 for 150,000 envelopes furnished the Department of City Treasurers, and charging same to Code Account No. 1063.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3354. Communication from Olympia Tennis Club, endorsing the daylight saving plan.

Also

No. 3355. Communication from Henry C. Kueve, 109 Sanford street, protesting against the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3356. Communication from the Commonwealth Real Estate Company, regarding assessment against property of W. B. Mason for construction of sewer on Plado way, Nineteenth ward.

Also

No. 3357. Resolution exonerating and discharging W. B. Mason from the payment of the benefit assessment of \$616.13 for the construction of the public sewer on Plado way as stated in the Viewers' report filed at No. 123, July Term, 1919. Docket "C." Court of Common Pleas, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

Also

No. 3358. Resolution exonerating and discharging Timothy Golden from the payment of the benefit assessment of \$230.33 for the construction of the public sewer on Plado way as stated in the Viewers' report filed at No. 123, July Term, 1919. Docket "C." Court of Common Pleas, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

Also

No. 3359. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water

Assessors to issue an exoneration to Daniel O'Donnell for water rent on property located at 1105 Jewel street, for the last quarter of 1918, amounting to \$8.20, being one-half of the amount of the metered rate over the former flat rates on said premises.

Also

No. 3360. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Patrick McQuillan in the sum of \$20.99, being one-half of the excess of the meter rate over the former flat rate on his property at 16½ Boone way, Third ward, for the quarter ending July 3, 1919.

Also

No. 3361. An Ordinance granting to the Duquesne Heights Honor Roll the right and privilege to construct a memorial tablet on a certain piece of ground in Holliday Park, owned by the City of Pittsburgh, in commemoration of the boys who have been called into the service of the late world war.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3362. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Bissell way, from a point about 20 feet northwest of Celadine street to the existing sewer on Wickliff street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 3363. An Ordinance fixing the salary of the laborers in the City-County Building, Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 3364. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Samuel Halle for lot on Lawn street, Fourth ward, for the sum of \$100.00.

Also

No. 3365. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,380.93 from Appropriation No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund, for the purpose of making full payment to Dallas & Narduli for Alexis street grading, paving and curbing contract.

Also

No. 3366. An Ordinance annul-

ling contract entered into by articles of agreement dated June 2, 1919, between the City of Pittsburgh and the partnership of Dallas & Narduli for the grading, paving and curbing of Alexis street, from Saline street to an unnamed 10-foot way at the easterly line of A. R. Neeb's Forward Avenue Plan of Lots, contract countersigned by City Controller July 31, 1919, and providing for payment to Dallas & Narduli of the sum of two thousand three hundred eighty dollars ninety-three cents (\$2,380.93) in full settlement of all their claims under said contract.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3367. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Sylvan avenue, from a point about 10 feet northwest of Home Rule street to the existing sewer on Monongahela street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3368. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series "A," 1919, the sum of \$64,400.00 for the payment of engineering, mechanical and other services in the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 3369. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series "A," 1919, the sum of \$61,100.00 for the payment of supplies and materials, etc., furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 3370. Owing to increases in salaries and wages of several employees in the Bureau of City Property it will be necessary to transfer funds from various code accounts to others in this bureau to meet expenditures for the balance of the year; therefore, be it Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers from various code accounts to others in the Bureau of City Property, as follows:

From	
Code Account No. 1563, Repairs, General Office	\$ 500.00
Code Account No. 1564, Equipment, General Office	75.00
Code Account No. 1565, Decorating	500.00

Code Account No. 1566, Salaries, City-County Building	379.50
Code Account No. 1567, Wages, City-County Building	867.67
Code Account No. 1571, Repairs, City-County Building	500.00
Code Account No. 1572, Equipment, City-County Building	1,000.00
Code Account No. 1575, Repairs, North Side City Hall	550.00
Code Account No. 1576, Salaries, Diamond Market	1,032.80
Code Account No. 1589, Supplies, North Side Market	1,500.00
Code Account No. 1592, Equipment, North Side Market	125.00
Code Account No. 1597, Supplies, South Side Market	200.00
Code Account No. 1600, Equipment, South Side Market	100.00
Code Account No. 1618, Equipment, Wharves and Landings	200.00
Code Account No. 1623, Equipment, Comfort Stations	50.00
Code Account No. 1624, Supplies, Foster Home	50.00

\$7,629.97

To

Code Account No. 1567½, Wages, Temporary Laborer	\$1,032.80
Code Account No. 1573, Salaries, North Side City Hall	112.00
Code Account No. 1577, Wages, Diamond Market	4,107.20
Code Account No. 1586, Wages, North Side Market	1,713.40
Code Account No. 1595, Wages, South Side Market	285.07
Code Account No. 1613, Wages, Wharves and Landings	379.50

\$7,629.97

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3371. Petition of property owners in vicinity of Venture street, Twenty-sixth ward, protesting against the erection of garages.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3372. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Annie Walosky in the sum of \$120.78, being 50 per cent. of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate on her property situate at 224 Lombard street, Third ward.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3373. Petition of residents and property owners of parts of the Eighteenth and Nineteenth wards, known

as Reflectorville, asking that a sewer be constructed on Edgebrook avenue, between Warrington avenue and Saw Hill Run.

Also

No. 3374. Petition of property owners asking that Eureka street, Eighteenth ward, between Beltzhoover avenue and Estella street, be paved.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The Chair presented

No. 3375.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, September 2, 1919.

To the Honorable,

the President and Members
of the Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

I hereby certify that on the 22nd day of August, 1919, pursuant to powers vested in me by Section 1, Article 3, of the Charter Act of March 7, 1901, upon the emergency or apprehension of riot or mob arising out of the then existing strike of the motormen and conductors of the Pittsburgh Railways Company and the attempt of said railways to operate its cars on the streets of the City, I deemed it advisable and did appoint two hundred fifty (250) special patrolmen for service on said occasion.

I, therefore, request your honorable body, in the event of there not being a sufficient fund available in the Police Bureau appropriation to pay said special patrolmen, to make the necessary additional appropriation therefor, on certification of the amount required by the proper officers.

Respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

Attest:

M. H. GOTTSCHALL,
Secretary.

Also

No. 3376.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Pittsburgh, August 19, 1919.

To the Honorable,

the Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—On Bill No. 3325, a resolution asking for an opinion relative to the appropriation of City money for the purchase of food supplies from the government, I beg to report:

By Act of July 19, 1917, cities of the second class are authorized, whenever an emergency exists, to purchase and store the necessities of life, including

food and coal, and to sell the same to any of the residents of the City. To put the Act into operation it is necessary that the Mayor shall certify in writing to the Council that, in his opinion, an emergency exists in the food supply of the City, whether arising from high prices or other causes, and thereupon the Council must pass a resolution declaring said emergency to exist, when it may proceed to make such appropriation of money as may from time to time be considered necessary.

The Act provides that the Department of Supplies shall be in charge of the purchase and sale of all stores bought by the City, and this shall continue until the Council, by formal resolution, declares the emergency to have terminated.

Under the broad powers of this Act the City can appropriate, for the purchase of food supplies or other necessities of life, to any amount. Doubtless the Legislature had in view the fact that money appropriated by Council for this purpose would bring quick returns and might be provided by transfers temporarily from large departmental appropriations.

Respectfully yours,

CHARLES A. O'BRIEN,
City Solicitor.

Also

No. 3377.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Pittsburgh, August 28, 1919.

To the Honorable,

the Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—At the request of Mr. Arthur, of the Engineering Bureau, I beg to furnish the following report on the proposition of a certain milling company to purchase portion of a tract of land on the easterly side of Brilliant Cut-off for establishment of a plant, etc.:

It appears from Ordinance No. 373, approved June 25, 1900, Ordinance Book 12, page 24, authorizing the purchase of the Bigelow tract, and from other Municipal Records, that the land in question was purchased by the City from the proceeds of a bond issue for the acquisition of land for park purposes, etc. Although there is no mention in the Bigelow deed to the City of any restriction in the use of land for park purposes, nevertheless it was acquired and dedicated to park purposes only and cannot now be sold or used for other or different purposes. This would be a diversion of the funds which were voted for the express and only purposes of acquiring park land, and such action would not be legal.

As the land is now being used for

park purposes, we do not have presently to deal with the question, whether or not, if conditions arose, which made it impossible to use land which had been acquired by a bond issue for that purpose, the City might not dispose of it under such circumstances.

Respectfully yours,
CHARLES A. O'BRIEN,
City Solicitor.

Also

No. 3378.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

Pittsburgh, August 15, 1919.

Mr. John S. Herron,
President of Council.

Dear Sir—In considering the matter of the application of the Pennsylvania Milling Company for certain privileges along the line of the Brilliant Cut-off, will you permit me to call the attention of Council to the fact that this plant will be within one thousand feet of the Tuberculosis Hospital on the Leech Farm? In order that the hospital may be protected, I would ask that Council stipulate, in granting the privileges this company wants, that it uses the most modern appliances in its power plant, and agrees to avoid creating any nuisance by reason of the emission of smoke.

Yours very truly,
WM. H. DAVIS,
Director.

Also

No. 3379. Communication from International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, calling attention to the fact that the electrical workers in the employ of the City are not receiving the current union rate of wages.

Also

No. 3380. Communication from the Civic Club of Allegheny County, regarding the purchase of property for playground purposes out of the bond issue for playgrounds and with special reference to the property under the Liberty avenue end of the Bloomfield bridge.

Also

No. 3381. Communication from the Stanton Heights Golf Club, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3382. Communication from E. J. McKenna, attorney at law, protesting against the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3383. Communication from F. L. Blair, 114 Perry View avenue, pro-

testing against the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3384. Communication from James Rees & Sons Company, protesting against the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3385. Petition of George F. Wilker for refund of \$600.00 paid as rent on property on Putnam street, Eleventh ward, which was bought in by the City at Sheriff's sale and later sold to said George F. Wilker by the City.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3386.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, August 21, 1919.

President and Members
of Council of the
City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—The Public Works Department, through Engineer Sprague, calls my attention to the conditions surrounding West Carson street improvement on account of the court's recent ruling relative thereto. The nature of this improvement is such that the work cannot be stopped and I have, therefore, directed the Public Works Department to proceed with the work, and now beg to request a conference with you at your next meeting.

Very respectfully yours,
E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

Also

No. 3387. Communication from T. J. Landis, president of South Beechview Board of Trade, relative to the improvement of certain streets in that district and asking that same be done as soon as possible.

Also

No. 3388. Petition of taxpayers of the Fifteenth ward and trustees of St. Joachim's R. C. Church, asking that Boundary street be graded, paved and curbed as soon as possible.

Also

No. 3389. Petition for the repaving of Southern avenue and Natchez street, Nineteenth ward.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3390. Communication from Master Builders' Association, asking

Council to pass the building code ordinances now pending in Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 3391. Communication from the Pittsburgh Builders Exchange, asking Council to take action on the fire zone, garage and dwelling house ordinances now pending in the Committee on Public Safety.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 3392. Communication from the First United Presbyterian Church, North Side, protesting against allowing athletic games, etc., on Sunday.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

No. 3393. Communication from the South Hills Tennis Club of Mount Washington and the Mellon Tennis Club of the East End, asking that Sunday tennis and golf be continued.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

No. 3394. Resolution approving, for the term of the next ensuing contract to be awarded by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Health, the specifications for the collection, removal and disposal of garbage and rubbish, which specifications were approved by Council on December 5, 1918.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Garland moved

That no further action be taken on the ordinances and resolutions as reported by the several committees to Council, and that no further meetings of Council or committees be held until after September 16, 1919, and that when Council adjourns it adjourns to meet at the call of the Chair.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3395. Whereas, The War Camp Community Service has charge of the unused portion of the old Public Safety Building, which is now being used as a Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, and desire to turn over a portion of the building, which is now being occupied, to the Soldiers' Employment Clearing House as a temporary quarters; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the right is hereby granted to the War Camp Community Service to turn over the unused portion of the old Public Safety Building, which

is not now being used for other purposes, to the Soldiers' Employment Clearing House as a temporary quarters. Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I arise to a question of personal privilege. I hold in my hand a copy of the statement which Mayor Babcock gave to the newspapers of Pittsburgh on last Saturday, September 6, to be published in the papers of Pittsburgh on Sunday, September 7.

"I am not interested in the political phases of this statement, but I am vitally interested in one statement which affects the integrity of this Council. Among other things the Mayor said, 'If I wanted to go into detail I could tell about the attitude of Messrs. Herron and English on contracts before the City Council.'

"Mr. President, this is an inference that we have been corrupt in our actions before Council on contracts which have been authorized by City Council. I, as one member, have always tried to be fair and honest in my actions on all measures presented to and considered by Council. I believe if the Mayor has any charges or information of malfeasance in office by myself or Mr. Herron, our President, he should present them to this body for investigation.

"For that reason, Mr. President, I ask that the Clerk of Council be directed to inform the Mayor that the Council is ready now and at all times to hear any charges he may have against Mr. Herron and myself regarding City contracts which have been before Council for their vote.

"In explanation, it seems to me that this statement by the Mayor not only challenges the integrity of Mr. Herron and myself, but the whole membership of Council. As you all know, we have nothing to do with the awarding of contracts; our duty and power is to pass the contract ordinances giving the various directors or heads of the City departments the authority to advertise for proposals and award the contracts.

"For the reasons stated above, I believe it is only fair that the Clerk should be directed to inform the Mayor that we are ready at any time to receive charges against Mr. Herron or myself of any corrupt act of ours in connection with our votes on any contract ordinance."

The Chair:

"I concur in the statements made by Mr. English. If there are no objections the Clerk will so notify the Mayor."

And there being no objections, the Clerk sent the following communication to Hon E. V. Babcock, Mayor:

Pittsburgh, September 8, 1919.

Hon E. V. Babcock,
Mayor.

Dear Sir—By direction of the City Council at this afternoon's meeting, I was instructed to inform you that the Council is ready now and at all times to hear any charges you may have against Mr. W. Y. English or Mr. John S. Herron regarding City contracts which have been before the Council for their vote.

In explanation, Mr. English arose to a question of personal privilege, and, seconded by Mr. Herron, they objected to the statement that you gave to the newspapers on Saturday, September 6, for publication in Sunday papers, which is as follows:

"If I wanted to go into detail I could

tell about the attitude of Messrs. Herron and English on contracts before the City Council."

Mr. English stated, and Mr. Herron endorsed the statement, that, in their estimation, this statement by you leaves the inference that they have been corrupt in their actions as Councilmen and that you seem to have knowledge of such corrupt acts. They claim that this was challenging their integrity and, by the same token, was challenging the integrity of the whole Council; and, without objection, I was directed to inform you as to the above position of Council.

Yours very truly,

E. J. MARTIN,
City Clerk.

Mr. Garland moved

That Council do now adjourn.
Which motion prevailed.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Monday, September 22, 1919.

Council met pursuant to the following call:

Pittsburgh, September 19, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,
Clerk of Council,

Dear Sir—Please call a meeting of Council for Monday, September 22, 1919, at 3:30 o'clock P. M., in accordance with the provisions of the motion to adjourn made at the meeting of Council held September 8, 1919.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN S. HERRON,

President.

Which was read, received and filed.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

The Chair stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, September 8, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Dalley moved

That the minutes of the meet-

ing of Council for Monday, September 8, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 3396. Resolution directing the City Solicitor, upon the payment of \$200.00 by John F. Heger, to satisfy and adjust the assessment against the property of said John F. Heger situate at the corner of Spencer street and Lincoln avenue, for the grading, paving and curbing of Spencer street, and to file no liens on account thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3397. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for repaving Fifth avenue, Craig street and Collins avenue, between certain points, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Also

No. 3398. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for making certain repairs to the South Highland avenue bridge over the Pennsylvania Railroad, the Negley avenue bridge over the Pennsylvania Railroad, and the Lawn street bridge over a hollow, and providing for the costs thereof.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3399. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$827.18	1160
D. A. Butler	13.00	1147
Keystone Laundry Co.	31.74	1147

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 3400. Communication from the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company and its employees, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3401. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Turner-Fricke Manufacturing Company in the amount of \$228.03 for services of J. A. Turner in repairing gas engine at the Diamond Market, and charging same to Code Account No. 1583, Repairs, Diamond Market, Bureau of City Property.

Also

No. 3402. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Machine Company for \$450.00 for welding one crankshaft and babbiting bearings for same on refrigerating system at the Diamond Market, and charging same to Code Account No. 1583, Repairs, Diamond Market, Bureau of City Property.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3403. An Ordinance amending Line 4, Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 3404. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of a retaining wall on Twain street, between Marshall avenue and McKeever avenue, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Also

No. 3405. Communication from Armstrong Cork & Insulation Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3406. Communication from the board of governors of the Automobile Club of Pittsburgh, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3407. Communication from the Dollar Savings Bank, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3408. Communication from the Retail Merchants Association, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3409. Communication from A. W. Thompson, president of the Philadelphia Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3410. Petition of employees of the South Penn Oil Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3411. Petition of officers and employees of the Peoples Natural Gas Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3412. Petition of employees and officers of the Hope Natural Gas Company, Reserve Gas Company, the River Gas Company, the Connecting Gas Company, Hope Construction & Refining Company and the Marion Oil Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3413. Communication from the Keystone National Bank of Pittsburgh, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3414. Communication from the Witherow Steel Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3415. Communication from H. W. Johns-Manville Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3416. Communication from Local Union No. 27, United Association of Plumbers and Steamfitters, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3417. Communication from the Hartley-Rose Belting Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3418. Communication from J. V. Walsh Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3419. Petition of officers and employees of the H. H. Robertson Company for the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3420. Communication from the Cleveland & Western Coal Company and its associated companies, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3421. Communication from the board of directors of the Peoples Savings and Trust Company of Pittsburgh, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3422. Petition of the chancellor and deans of the University of Pittsburgh for the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3423. Petition of the board of directors of the Pittsburgh Board of Trade, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3424. Communication from Company C, Third Regiment, United Boys Brigade of the Squirrel Hill M. P. Church, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3425. Communication from Harry R. Hickox, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3426. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$3,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1491, General Repaving, Bureau of Engineering, to Appropriation No. 1529, Wages, Temporary Employees, Repairing Highways, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3427. Resolution authorizing the payment of an additional sum of \$328.50 to Neelan & Daly for extra work on the contract for the grading, paving and curbing of Eckert street, from Lecky avenue to McClure avenue, as certified by the Department of Public Works, and authorizing the issuing of a warrant for said amount, to be charged as part of the cost of said improvement.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3428. An Ordinance establishing the grade on Seifert way, from Superior avenue to Trimble street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3429. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred thirty-two thousand dollars (\$132,000.00), and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: For the cost, damages and expense of the grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of Warrington avenue, from Montooth street to West Liberty avenue.

Also

No. 3430. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of Anna Stratton in the sum of \$27.49, being the difference between the meter and flat rates for the six months ending April 17, 1919, on account of leaking hydrant, on premises at 336-338 Linoleum street, Sixth ward.

Also

No. 3431. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to George M. Demorest for Lot No. 32 in Clifford B. Harman's Plan, located on Beltzhoover avenue, Eighteenth ward, for the sum of \$539.44.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3432. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the regrading, recurb-ing, repaving and otherwise improving of Wheatland street, between Greenfield avenue and Greenfield avenue, and Smith way, from Westwood street to a point about 300 feet westwardly, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3433. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Melwood street, from Denver street to Ridgway street.

Also

No. 3434. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and establishing the grade

on Pioneer avenue, from Brookline boulevard to West Liberty avenue.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 3435. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$300.00 from Appropriation No. 43 to Appropriation No. 1051.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3436. Petition for the opening of Munhall road, between Beacon street and Wightman street.

Also

No. 3437. An Ordinance opening Munhall road, in the Fourteenth ward, from Beacon street to Wightman street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3438. Petition for the grading, paving and curbing of Monmouth street, between Nicholson street and Forward avenue.

Also

No. 3439. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Monmouth street, from Nicholson street to Forward avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3440. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to set aside the additional sum of \$86.60 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to pay for dressing rooms and shower baths installed in City property at 1001 Perry street.

Also

No. 3441. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of S. S. White for \$101.60 for extra work in installing shower baths in City property at 1001 Perry street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42-13.

Also

No. 3442. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of George R. Eichenlaub for \$92.00 for extra work in the construction of dressing rooms in City property at 1001 Perry street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42-13.

Also

No. 3443. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Benton Fitzgerald, chairman of American Legion Post 166, for \$4.00, refunding amount paid for permit to hold street dance in connection with carnival on West Diamond street, west of Federal street, on September 10, 11, 12, 13, 1919, on account of dance not being held, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3444. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Eliza Zilliox for \$64.76, refunding amount of City taxes paid on property on Howard street which was taken for street purposes, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3445. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of William Wuerthele in the sum of \$90.04, being the difference between the meter and flat rates on premises at 4831 Second avenue, for six months ending February 21, 1918.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3446. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Marshall avenue, Goshen street, Pelham street, private property of the City of Pittsburgh, Mazer street and an unnamed way, from Sonora way to the existing sewer on Milroy avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3447. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, to a width of 34 feet, paving and curbing of Morrison avenue, from St. Mark's place to "B" street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3448. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and re-establishing the grade of the north sidewalk of Morrison avenue, from St. Mark's place to "B" street.

Also

No. 3449. An Ordinance establishing the grade on Goshen street, from Pelham street to Kennedy avenue, in

the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 3450. An Ordinance establishing the grade on Pelham street, from Sonora way to Goshen street.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3451. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Mary Girvin for Lot No. 13 in A. P. Norton's Plan, located on Windom street, Seventeenth ward, for the sum of \$198.47.

Also

No. 3452. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Anna Scheider in the sum of \$500.00 for injuries received on defective boardwalk on Amanda street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3453. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer \$6,500.00 from Code Account No. 52, Standardization Fund, to Code Account No. 1031, Supplies, Division of Motor Vehicles; \$10,000.00 from Code Account No. 52, Standardization Fund, to Code Account No. 1032, Materials, Division of Motor Vehicles, and \$2,000 from Code Account No. 52, Standardization Fund, to Code Account No. 1033, Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 3454. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to execute a contract of lease with the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society for the Exposition buildings located on ground belonging to the City east of the Union bridge and extending eastwardly along Duquesne way up to Third street from the street line to the low-water line, for a period of twenty (20) years at a rental of \$30,000.00 per annum with the option to the City of purchase at any time within said period.

Also

No. 3455. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$10,000.00 from Code Account No. 52, Standardization Fund, to Code Account No. 1027, Special Reservation, Civic and War Committee.

Also

No. 3456. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor

of Martin Sorg, electrical engineer at the Pittsburgh City Home, Mayview, for \$471.20, for injuries received while going to his employment, and charging same to Appropriation No. —

Also

No. 3457. Communication from E. K. Morse, Transit Commissioner, relative to the rental of portion of the Exposition building to the Pittsburgh Railways Company.

Also

No. 3458. Communication from the Women's Employment Service Bureau, United States Department of Labor, asking for a conference with Council and the Mayor relative to additional funds to operate said bureau.

Also

No. 3459. Communication from the Chamber of Commerce regarding the extension and development of playground activities in the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 3460. Communication from the Chamber of Commerce of Beaver Falls, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3461. Communication from the Pittsburgh Builders Exchange, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3462. Communication from the Pittsburgh Board of Trade, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3463. Communication from the Oakland Board of Trade, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3464. Communication from the Squirrel Hill Board of Trade, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3465. Communication from Harry O. Wangaman, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3466. Communication from the Retail Credit Men's Association of Pittsburgh, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3467. Communication from George B. Barrett Company, Inc., endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3468. Communication from C. L. Flaccus Glass Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also
No. 3469. Communication from the Greenfield Board of Trade, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also
No. 3470. Communication from W. F. Ingals, general manager of sales, Central Tube Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also
No. 3471. Communication from the Imperial Glass Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also
No. 3472. Petition of employees of the accounting department, Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also
No. 3473. Communication from the Pittsburgh Advertising Club, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also
No. 3474. Communication from F. M. Turner, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also
No. 3475. Communication from the J. V. Walsh Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also
No. 3476. Communication from the American Exhibitors' Association, protesting against the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Also
No. 3477. Communication from Mrs. H. P. Eckhardt, protesting against the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Also
No. 3478. Communication from Fred R. Kleibacker, protesting against the daylight saving ordinance.

Also
No. 3479. Communication from Thomas Malone, protesting against the daylight saving ordinance.

Also
No. 3480. Communication from the Public Welfare Association, protesting against the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Also
No. 3481. Communication from A. J. Ransil, protesting against the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also
No. 3482. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for the construction of a fence between property of the Pennsylvania Railroad and a strip of ground, sixteen feet wide, dedicated to the use of the public, and adjoining Simonton street, and extending from Fifth avenue to Dallas avenue, together with the necessary returns on Fifth avenue and Dallas avenue, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Also
No. 3483. Communication from the Brookline Board of Trade, asking that Brookline boulevard be repaved and that the sewerage facilities be improved in the Brookline district.

Also
No. 3484. Petition of property owners and taxpayers of the Twenty-fourth ward, asking that Florence street and Hunnell street be put in passable condition.

Also
No. 3485. Communication from Andrew Seman, asking that the work on Alexis street be completed and that property damaged by work already done on said street be repaired.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also
No. 3486. Communication from Women's Temperance Union of Allegheny County, regarding athletic games, etc., on Sunday.

Also
No. 3487. Communication from Arthur O'Leary, transmitting two ordinances relating to erection of fences in the City of Pittsburgh and asking Council to enact the same into laws.

Also
No. 3488. An Ordinance relating to division fences in the City of Pittsburgh, Pa.; regulating the nature, height, materials and kinds thereof; defining the same; also prohibiting the erection of fences or similar structures above a certain height, except under a permit from the Bureau of Building Inspection.

Also
No. 3489. An Ordinance prohibiting the erection of fences or similar structures above a certain height in the City of Pittsburgh, Pa., except under a permit from the Bureau of Building Inspection; declaring certain fences a pri-

vate nuisance, and their erection a misdemeanor; and prescribing penalties for violation of the provisions of this ordinance.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 3490. Resolution adopted by Captain Alfred E. Hunt Camp No. 1, Department of Pennsylvania, United Spanish War Veterans, protesting against the publication of the "Lunderdorf Story of the World War."

Which was read, received and filed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3491. Report of the Committee on Finance for August 12, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3299. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Ada E. Holmes for \$26.25, in place of warrant No. 12135, which she never received, having evidently been lost in the mail.

Which was read.

The Clerk at this time read the following letter:

Pittsburgh, Pa., August 22, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,

City Clerk.

Dear Sir—I wish to withdraw a resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of Mrs. Ada Holmes for \$26.25. This warrant was apparently lost in the mail, but finally reached her on August 6.

Very respectfully,

E. S. MORROW,

City Controller.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 3296. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Liberty Flag and Decorating Company for the sum of \$3,536.00 for decorations for the reception of the returned soldiers, and charging to Appropriation No. 1027.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3298. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Jennie P. A. Sullivan in the sum of \$371.82, refunding City taxes on her property in the Fourth ward, used as a playground, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunds.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3306. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Bureau of Engineering, the sum of \$26,000.00 to the following appropriations of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers: To Appropriation No. 1540, Wages, Temporary Employees, Boardwalks and Steps, \$12,000.00; to Appropriation No. 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps, \$14,000.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3308. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Code Account No. 1269, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Housing and Sanitary Inspection, Department of Health, to Code Account No. 1031, Supplies, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1843. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for 2.018 acres of ground on Olivant street, Twelfth ward, to Frances D. Bove, upon the payment of \$2,000.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3190. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lot No. 50 on McLain avenue, Eighteenth ward, to R. J. Macrory for the sum of \$500.00.

In Finance Committee, August 12, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$500.00" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, "\$600.00" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3316. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile for the Bureau of Recreation."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3294. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series 'A,' 1919, the sum of \$64,400.00 for the payment of engineering, mechanical and other services in the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3295. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series 'A,' 1919, the sum of \$61,100.00 for the payment of supplies and materials, etc., furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3492. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for August 12, 1919, transmitting a lot plan and several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3314. Plan of Regent Place, in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by William E. Harmon, and the dedication of the streets and ways shown therein.

Which was read, accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey
English
Garland
Henderson
Herron (President)

McArdle
Rauh
Robertson
Winters

Ayes—9.
Noes—None.

Also

Bill No. 3315. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance approving the 'Plan of Regent Place,' in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by William E. Harmon; accepting the dedication of Henrietta street, La Clair street, Milton street, Overton street, Gamma way and Rear way, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey
English
Garland
Henderson
Herron (President)

McArdle
Rauh
Robertson
Winters

Ayes—9.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3310. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Shaler street, from Woodville avenue to Wabash street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey
English
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McArdle
Rauh
Robertson
Winters

Ayes—9.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3311. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing and refixing the width and position of the northerly sidewalk and roadway and establishing and re-establishing the grade of Woodville avenue, from the point of curve east of Lowe street to Banksville avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey
English
Garland
Henderson
Herron (President)

McArdle
Rauh
Robertson
Winters

Ayes—9.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3312. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Alexis street, from Saline street to an unnamed ten-foot way at the easterly boundary of the A. R. Neeb's 'Forward Avenue Plan of Lots.'"

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3313. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Acorn street, from Saline street to Alexis street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3493. Report of the Com-

mittee on Public Safety for August 12, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3289. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charging the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 96.24	1147
The Pittsburgh Hospital....	19.50	1147

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

The Chair presented

No. 3494. Petition of residents and property owners on Prospect street, between Dilworth street and Southern avenue, asking that Prospect street be repaved.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3495. Communication from William C. French, of Beaver, Pa., protesting against the daylight saving ordinance.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. English moved

That the City Clerk again send the following letter to the Mayor, with

the request that he answer the same at his earliest convenience:

Pittsburgh, September 8, 1919.

Hon E. V. Babcock,
- Mayor.

Dear Sir—By direction of the City Council at this afternoon's meeting, I was instructed to inform you that the Council is ready now and at all times to hear any charges you may have against Mr. W. Y. English or Mr. John S. Herron regarding City contracts which have been before the Council for their vote.

In explanation, Mr. English arose to a question of personal privilege, and, seconded by Mr. Herron, they objected to the statement that you gave to the newspapers on Saturday, September 6, for publication in Sunday papers, which is as follows:

"If I wanted to go into detail I could tell about the attitude of Messrs. Herron and English on contracts before the City Council."

Mr. English stated, and Mr. Herron endorsed the statement, that, in their estimation, this statement by you leaves the inference that they have been corrupt in their actions as Councilmen and that you seem to have knowledge of such corrupt acts. They claim that this was challenging their integrity and, by the same token, was challenging the integrity of the whole Council; and, without objection, I was directed to inform you as to the above position of Council.

Yours very truly,

E. J. MARTIN.
City Clerk.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair at this time instructed the Clerk to communicate with the Mayor, asking him when the budget estimates for 1920 will be ready for Council.

And, on motion of Mr. Garland,
Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, September 29, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

The **Chair** stated that, if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, September 22, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Dalley moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, September 22, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 3496. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,275.00 from Appropriation No. 1045, War Farm (Garden, to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to pay for five Model 90 Overland touring cars purchased for the Bureau of Police.

Also

No. 3497. Communication from H. B. Johnston, protesting against the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3498. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading and paving of Adaza way, from Akron way to the westerly line of E. G. Mooney's Plan, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3499. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading and paving of Akron way, from Alder street to the southerly line of E. G. Mooney's Plan, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3500. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for furnishing and installing a motor-generator set in the Department of Public Safety Building.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 3501. Communication from Mrs. Olga A. Hoffman (by A. F. Hoffman), regarding the opening of Enfield street, between Center avenue and Baum boulevard.

Also

No. 3502. Whereas. The rate of wages to be paid roller engineers on June 19, 1919, was increased to ninety (90c) cents per hour; and

Whereas, Official notice of said increased rate was not received until June 26, 1919; consequently, the roller engi-

neers employed at the asphalt plants of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers were not paid the increased rate for the period intervening from June 19, 1919, to June 27, 1919; and

Whereas, It is the decision of the City Controller that he is not authorized to countersign warrants for the amounts due without authority of Council.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons, being amounts due them for services rendered to the City of Pittsburgh, and charge the same to Appropriation 1553, Wages, Temporary Employees, Asphalt Plants:

Michael Borish	\$ 6.30
Wm. J. Crummie	15.90
Grant Kellerman	13.80
Herbert Simon	11.00
Jas. D. Keeley	6.90
	\$53.90

Also

No. 3503. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk of Kirkpatrick street, from a point about 300 feet south of Ridgway street to the existing sewer on Kirkpatrick street at Ridgway street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3504. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the southeast sidewalk of Jeffers street, from a point about 300 feet northeast of Fadette street to the existing sewer on Fadette street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3505. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,500.00 from Code Account No. 1316, Salaries, Regular Employees, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, to Code Account No. 1321, Materials, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Department of Charities.

Also

No. 3506. Communication from the Chamber of Commerce, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3507. Petition of employees of the Pittsburgh Cage & Supply Company for the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3508. Petition of the Press Industrial Baseball League of Pittsburgh for the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3509. Petition of employees of the Union Natural Gas Corporation for the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3510. Communication from the Credo Club, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3511. Communication from Thomas G. Cheney, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3512. Communication from Edward E. McCloy, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3513. Communication from U. A. Peters, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3514. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$6,500.00 to Code Account No. 1232, Supplies, Municipal Hospital, from the following codes: \$2,500.00 from Code Account No. 1228, Salaries, Regular Employees; \$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1229, Salaries, Temporary Employees; \$200.00 from Code Account No. 1230, Wages, Regular Employees, Municipal Hospital, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, and \$2,800.00 from Code Account No. 1246, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Smoke Regulation, Department of Public Health.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3515. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of A. G. Spalding & Bros., for \$300.00 for furnishing 25 dozen baseballs at \$12.00 per dozen, and charging same to Code Account No. 1808, and also for \$391.80 for athletic equipment, and charging same to Code Account No. 1811.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3516. An Ordinance granting unto the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a switch siding across an un-

named street located between the B. & O. right-of-way and Preble avenue, south of Ontario street, Twenty-seventh ward, City of Pittsburgh, said track to be located at a point approximately eighty-five (85) feet and four (4) inches south of Ontario street, for the purpose of conveying material, etc., to the property of the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3517. Communication from Ralph Hoerr, protesting against the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3518. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to set aside an additional sum of \$431.00 from Appropriation No. 177-A. to the contract entered into with Burns & Fleming for the installation of the steam piping system in the addition to the power house at the City Home and Hospital at Mayview, and authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of said Burns & Fleming for \$431.00 to cover additional cost of material, etc., due to delay in commencing their work (which was no fault of theirs), and charging same to Appropriation No. 177-A.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3519. An Ordinance authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of the County of Allegheny to construct, operate and maintain a public highway tunnel, consisting of two tubes, from a point beginning on the southerly side of Brownsville avenue opposite Manor street in the Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, to a point on Warrington avenue at its intersection with West Liberty avenue, in the Eighteenth ward.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3520. An Ordinance changing the lines of Allison street, in the Thirteenth ward, from a point 140.0 feet south of Inglenook place to a point 140.0 feet north of Inglenook place, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3521. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and establishing and re-establishing the grade of Second avenue, from Liberty avenue to Grant street.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 3522. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to A. Raphael Kernan for lots Nos. 240-241 in Carnegie & Company's Plan, located on Stanton avenue, Tenth ward, for the sum of \$1,700.00.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3523. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Milton street, from a point about 30 feet north of Overton street to the existing sewer crossing Milton street at a point about 385 feet north of Henrietta street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3524. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Monmouth street, from a point about 30 feet south of Nicholson street to the existing sewer on Forward avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3525. Copy of communication addressed by Peter Herter, architect, 548 West One Hundred and Twentieth street, New York City, to the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, in which he submits a plan for "Reform of Real Estate," suggesting that owners of property be allowed to raise their tenement or apartment houses, factory or loft buildings, and private houses one additional story, provided that the structure has been erected during the existence of the new Tenement House Law, or since about 20 years (this to exclude office buildings).

Which was read.

Mr. Bauh moved

That the communication be referred to the Committee on Finance and that a copy be furnished each member of Council.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3526. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Otillie H. Kohler, 204 Waldorf street, Twenty-sixth ward, for the sum of \$99.96, in payment of claim for repairs to basement cellar and connecting branch of main sewer in front of her property, due to sewer backing up, and

charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3527. Resolution authorizing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1642, "Salaries, Regular Employees," to Appropriation No. 1648, "Materials," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3528. An Ordinance opening and establishing the grade of Superior avenue, in the Twenty-seventh ward, from Stayton street to Brighton road, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3529. Petition of residents and property owners for the resurfacing of Howard street, Twenty-fourth ward, with asphalt.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3530. An Ordinance amending Section 117, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Recreation, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 3531. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$600.00 from Code Account 1546, A-1, Salaries, Division of Public Utilities, Bureau of Highways and Sewers; \$1,500.00 from Code Account 1635, A-1, Salaries, Accounting Division, Bureau of Water, and \$300.00 from Code Account 1678, A-1, Salaries, General Office, Bureau of Parks, to Code Account No. 1406, A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Accounting, General Office, Department of Public Works.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3532. Resolution authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to rent a steam shovel at a rate not to exceed \$75.00 per diem, to be used for extinguishing the coal mine fire on Hobart street, between Murray avenue and Wightman street, and that warrants be issued and paid from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of

Streets, Bureau of Engineering, for the payment of the cost thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3533. An Ordinance establishing and re-establishing the grade and fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway of Carson street East, from the south approach to the Smithfield street bridge to South Seventh street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

The Chair presented

No. 3534. Resolution amending Resolution No. 383, approved July 31, 1919, by providing that the bond stipulated to be furnished shall be a surety bond in the sum of \$5,000.00, to be approved by the City Solicitor, that the Sterling Land Company shall begin the erection of 16 brick dwelling houses to cost \$12,000.00 each; 7 dwelling houses to cost \$11,000.00 each, and a community garage to cost about \$40,000.00, within two months, instead of erecting 52 brick dwelling houses at a cost of about \$300,000.00, upon the satisfaction of the liens filed against its property upon the payment of \$11,002.81.

Also

No. 3535. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Appropriation No. 52-M to Appropriation No. 1100-M, Civil Service Commission.

Also

No. 3536. Communication from the Mayor, transmitting communications from the Rosslyn Farms Country Club, Tri-Borough Club of Braddock, Pa., the chancellor and deans of the University of Pittsburgh, Joseph Horne Company, Braddock Baseball Club and the Traffic Club of Pittsburgh, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3537. Communication from the Traffic Club of Pittsburgh, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3538. Communication from the Elevator Construction Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3539. Communication from Journeymen Plasterers Union, Local No. 31, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3540. Communication from the Master Plumbers' Association of

Pittsburgh and Vicinity, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3541. Communication from F. J. McKnight, principal of the Beltz-hoover school, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3542. Communication from the Rosslyn Farms Country Club, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3543. Communication from the South Beechview Board of Trade, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3544. Communication from P. R. Williams, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3545. Communication from S. H. Patterson, protesting against the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3546. Communication from Charles Schimp, protesting against the passage of the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3547. Communication from W. N. Kelley, complaining of rent profiteers in the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 3548. Communication from Frank A. Willison, complaining of rent profiteers in the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 3548. Communication from James P. Donovan regarding his offer to lease the Duquesne Market for a garage.

Also

No. 3550. Communication from the Pittsburgh and Fairmont Transportation Company relative to rental of one of the Exposition buildings, known as Mechanical Hall.

Also

No. 3551. Communication from Col. Franklin Blackstone, of the Third Regiment, Pennsylvania Reserve Militia, asking Council to appropriate the same amount to the units of said military organizations as last year.

Also

No. 3552. Report of the Department of Public Health regarding re-

moval of garbage and rubbish during the month of August, 1919, and August, 1918.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3553. Communication from Norval R. Daugherty, attorney at law, representing B. F. Stout, protesting against the opening of Enfield street, between Center avenue and Baum boulevard.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3554. Report of the Committee on Finance for September 23, 1919, transmitting sundry papers to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

Bill No. 3217. Communication from the Mayor, transmitting an ordinance giving consent of the City of Pittsburgh to the annexation of the Borough of Spring Garden.

Also

Bill No. 3218. Petition for annexation of Spring Garden Borough to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which were read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3219. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance giving consent of the City of Pittsburgh to the annexation of the contiguous Borough of Spring Garden.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3361. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting to the Duquesne Heights Honor Roll the right and privilege to construct a memorial tablet on a certain piece of ground in Holliday Park, owned by the City of Pittsburgh, in commemoration of the boys who have been called into the service of the late world war."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
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Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3366. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance annulling contract entered into by articles of agreement dated June 2, 1919, between the City of Pittsburgh and the partnership of Dallas & Nardull for the grading, paving and curbing of Alexis street, from Saline street to an unnamed 10-foot way at the easterly line of A. R. Neeb's Forward Avenue Plan of Lots, contract countersigned by City Controller July 11, 1919, and providing for payment to Dallas & Nardull of the sum of two thousand three hundred eighty dollars ninety-three cents (\$2,380.93) in full settlement of all their claims under said contract."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
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Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3429. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred thirty-two thousand dollars (\$132,000.00), and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: For the cost, damages and expense of the grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of Warrington avenue, from Montooth street to West Liberty avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3342. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for bids and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the laying and construction of cement sidewalks arounds Schenley High School, in the City of Pittsburgh, for a sum not to exceed one thousand eight hundred thirty-six (\$1,836.00) dollars."

In Finance Committee, September 23, 1919. Read and amended in Section 2 by striking out the words "No. 42, Contingent Fund," and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "No. 1491, General Repaving Fund," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

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Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3353. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Monthly Record Publishing Company for \$200.00 for 150,000 envelopes for the Department of the City Treasurer, and charging same to Code Account No. 1063.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3441. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of S. S. White in the amount of \$101.60, in payment for extra work in the installation of shower baths at 1001 Perry street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42-13.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3442. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of George R. Eichenlaub in the amount of \$92.00, in payment of extra work in construction of dressing rooms at 1001 Perry street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42-13.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3443. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Benton Fitzgerald, chairman of American Legion Post 166, for \$4.00, refunding amount paid for permit to hold street dance in connection with carnival on West Diamond street, west of Federal street, on September 10, 11, 12, 13, 1919, on account of dance not being held, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3136. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1159, Item O, Refund for Uniforms, Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3339. Resolution authorizing and instructing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$392.18 from Code Account No. 1036, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Animal Industry, to Code Account No. 1113, Salaries, Regular Employees, Art Commission.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3340. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,753.30 from Code Account No. 1036, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Animal Industry, to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3365. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, the sum of \$2,380.93 to Contingent Fund, Code Account No. 42, for the purpose of making full payment to Dallas & Nardull for Alexis street improvement contract.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3426. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$3,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1491, General Repaving, Bureau of Engineering, to Appropriation No. 1529, Wages, Temporary Employees, Repairing Highways, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3435. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$300.00 from Appropriation No. 43 to Appropriation No. 1051, Equipment and Machinery.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3440. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to set aside the additional sum of \$86.60 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to pay for extra work and materials in dressing rooms and shower baths installed in City property at 1001 Perry street.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3304. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of Mrs. Ethel Kramer for her premises at 248 Meyran avenue in the sum of \$6.80, being one-half the amount of water rent charged for the quarter.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3068. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to file no lien against the property of Thomas J. Ryan and Bessie M., his wife, for the construction of the sewer on Nansen street, which was constructed under the provisions of ordinance of May 18, 1919, and charging the costs thereof to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3305. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of Edward J. Baldauf for the quarter beginning April 10, 1919, on property in the Fifth ward, at 642 Conkling street, in the sum of \$———

In Finance Committee, September 24, 1919. Read and amended by adding, at the end of the resolution, "\$14.27," and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3266. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for plot of ground located on Wilson avenue, Twenty-sixth ward, to James Hudester for the sum of \$800.00.

In Finance Committee, September 24, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the words "James Hudester" and by inserting, in lieu thereof, the words "Jos. P. Hildorfer" and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3368. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series 'A,' 1919, the sum of \$64,400.00 for the payment of engineering, mechanical and other services in the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 3369. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Water

Bonds, Series 'A,' 1919, the sum of \$61,100.00 for the payment of supplies and materials, etc., furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 3453. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the following amounts: \$6,500.00 from Code Account No. 52, Standardization Fund, to Code Account No. 1031, Supplies, Division of Motor Vehicles; \$10,000.00 from Code Account No. 52, Standardization Fund, to Code Account No. 1032, Materials, Division of Motor Vehicles, and \$2,000 from Code Account No. 52, Standardization Fund, to Code Account No. 1033, Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second time.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"Mr. President, I introduced this resolution in the regular, routine way and, since giving some thought to the matter and being chairman of the Standardization Committee, I desire to protest against the turning of the money set up for standardization of salaries of City employees for this purpose—not that I want to disagree with the fact that the Division of Motor Vehicles does need the money and perhaps ought to have it; but I think that if we want to keep faith with the employees of the City when we agreed to adopt the standardization of wages and set up a fund to take care of it, that we should not take the money out of that fund. While the report of the committee on standardization has perhaps been slow in coming in (and as there were no requests on the part of the committee, or the Mayor or the Council in the matter), I believe between this and not later than the budget-making time the question of standardization of salaries of all City employees will be before you for thorough discussion and action.

"The money was set apart for standardization of salaries, and if it is not used this year for that purpose, I think it should remain in the fund until such time as we put standardization into effect."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I have two objections to this bill; one has been stated by the previous speaker. I think every member acted in good faith when he voted to set up the appropriation to equalize and standardize the salaries and wages of City employees. I think the work has been completed, but not yet brought in. However that may be, it seems to me that we have all been trying to get somewhere in the matter of standardization of wages for all City employees. I am opposed to transferring any money from the standardization account. What kind of respect will the City employees hold for the Council if we allow this fund to be used for some purpose other than that for which it was appropriated?"

"My second objection is the use proposed by this transfer. We have nothing definite to show what the Motor Vehicle Division intends to do with this \$18,000.00. What do they want? Is it gasoline, tires, repairs or some waste or extravagance? There is no single piece of evidence to justify any member of Council voting for this additional \$18,000.00 for the Division of Motor Vehicles. There is nothing before us to show what this amount will be used for. My main objection to this transfer is that we haven't one word from the Mayor or the head of this division showing the necessity of the \$18,000.00 at this time.

"I am not going to charge anybody being crooked or corrupt, but I do charge extravagance on the part of this division, and this extravagance should be stopped before we give them \$18,000.00 or 18 cents.

"We don't know whether \$1,000.00 of this will be spent for tires and another \$1,000.00 for gasoline; we are ignorant of what this money is going to be spent for, because those in charge have failed to give us the information. I think we should also give the Mayor an opportunity to look into this matter. The Mayor, personally, told me that he does not understand the high cost of operating this division, and said: 'What can I do?' Why can't the Mayor stop it? It is in his power to do so. I personally cannot make officials give me reports, but I believe this Council can. If \$18,000.00 is really needed for this division, let them show us and, if we approve, the funds could be transferred from some fund other than the one from which it is proposed to take the money. I will not vote for it out of this fund. I am going to offer a motion that this resolution be recommitted to the committee for further investigation."

Mr. Garland arose and said:

"Mr. President, I would like to say that this matter was before the committee the other day and gone into at considerable length. The Mayor is con-

versant with the subject. The matter of taking the money away from the standardization fund—that can be taken care of next year. If the fund is depleted and the money needed this year it can be replenished from some other funds.

"The report of the Committee on Standardization should possibly be in by this time. However, I am not going to criticize anybody for its not being here. We have not sufficient information as to what amount will be necessary this year, and should more money be needed than is remaining in the standardization fund we will be able to get it somewhere else. Because of this fact, I don't want to hold up the passage of this resolution."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, I would like to know what they intend to use this amount of money for; how much gasoline they need, how many new tires they propose to purchase, etc.? I desire this information so that I can vote intelligently on the resolution."

Mr. Garland arose and said:

"Mr. President, the gentleman knows no man here can give him that information. This activity, like every other activity, when it uses its fund applies to Council for a transfer from some other fund where it is not needed. We appropriated \$77,000.00 for this division, and they are going to spend, in addition to that, \$18,000.00. It may have been caused by the fact that an automobile went down to New York State or Massachusetts. During the recent street car strike more machines were used, and during the present crisis of the steel industry more machines are used. We had this out in committee and the resolution was affirmed by a majority of votes."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, the gentleman does not tell the truth. I will admit that, in a perfunctory, half-hearted manner, the matter was considered in committee. Now, let me remind you of the matter as it occurred in committee. The only paper before us was the formal request of the Mayor for a transfer, but the Mayor's letter did not give us a single fact, reason or argument showing the need of money for motor vehicles. He merely makes the flat statement that they will need money. There was no report of any kind before the committee and, as far as I can learn, we have nothing new now. I am tired of this miserable way of handling City business. Every member of Council knows that the Motor Vehicle Division is very extravagant, and I have not gotten very much help in my efforts to curb this extravagance."

"Mayor Armstrong admitted that he could not handle it. Then Council tried to straighten it out by having the Director of the Department of Supplies handle it, but Mayor Armstrong blocked it. When Mayor Babcock took charge it was necessary to go over the entire matter again. He admitted it also and suggested putting all City motors under one roof at the old River Avenue Pumping Station. He did not go through with that scheme, but the extravagance is going along as usual.

"Now the Exposition is held out as a new lifesaver, but no effort is to be made towards economy until we get into the Exposition.

"I say that is all wrong. The thing to do is to cut off waste and extravagance immediately. If this division will not keep its expenses within its appropriations, it is high time to stop it. Surely we should have some real, definite information before we allow any more City money to go to this division.

"Take the matter of tires for example. In the fall of 1918 we had this same division before us. Director Malone came in and told us he had a low price on tires and wanted \$5,000.00 to stock up for 1919. We gave them \$5,000.00 and they bought tires galore. I know positively that 35x4½ tires that cost \$70.00 early in the spring of 1919 were reduced to \$58.00 in May, 1919, because I purchased two tires myself. Surely the City, buying hundreds of tires, should obtain reductions which any small purchaser obtained. We cannot dodge our responsibility by refusing to get facts to guide us."

Mr. Garland arose and said:

"I did not say anything about tires or gasoline. The gentleman does not tell the truth. He is like a schoolboy who always throws something into the matter that does not pertain to it. This matter was up in committee and acted upon by the majority votes of the members present. This is a deliberate attempt to check its passage."

Mr. English arose and said:

"If they can show me what they intend to use the money for, I will vote for that amount. I leave that up to the members of Council whether I am attempting to check the passage of the resolution. I ask that the letter be read."

The Chair:

The Clerk will please read the letter.

The Clerk read the following communication:

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, September 22, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,
City Clerk,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith for introduction the following:

Resolution authorizing the transfer of \$18,500.00 from Code Account No. 52, Standardization Fund, to various code accounts in the Division of Motor Vehicles.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

Mr. English arose and said:

"I want to say one word more, Mr. President. When the bill of Mr. Robinson, our trusted attorney in the traction matter, for expert services was up in committee last week it was thrown aside. Mr. Robinson's O. K. was on that bill. Mr. Robinson is one in whom we have confidence and who is in charge of all litigation against public utility corporations and who is battling for the City of Pittsburgh to save twenty-two million dollars, yet that man's bill for real estate experts was held up. Mr. Robinson later came in personally and explained it to the satisfaction of the committee. Why can't I get the same information regarding the Division of Motor Vehicles?"

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

"Mr. President, in connection with the statement of Mr. Winters, I would like to ask if Mr. Winters can advise us as to whether there is a likelihood of an early presentation to Council of the standardized salary bill, and whether in his opinion, there is a likelihood that that it will carry with it a recommendation which would involve the expenditure of a large part of the balance that remains in this fund now? If he can give that on such information that he has."

Mr. Winters arose and said:

"Mr. President, the Committee on Standardization has salary schedules to cover almost the entire City service, and the principal contention that the Standardization Committee had to contend with is the protest filed by the City employees against the salary standards that they have set up. And I want to assure you that there are plenty of protests—a great volume of them—and the Standardization Committee can complete their work in a reasonable time if the Council so desires. It has been the committee's impression that the Council itself was not favoring any undue haste; hence the delay of any report from them

being submitted, and at any time the Council sees fit we can turn over the salary standard, accompanied by the protests of the City employees.

"As to the amount of money necessary to put it into operation, I cannot say. I can say this, I have come to my viewpoint because of many talks with City employees, that they are disappointed, because the Council is dissipating this fund. I want it understood that I am not in favor of this money being used for other purposes. If the Council wants to go on record that it will replenish this fund it can do so. I am opposed to the money being taken from the fund, even if the assurance goes with it that the fund will be replenished."

Mr. **Rauh** arose and said:

"Mr. President, I would like to ask a question. Mr. Winters stated that there are a great many protests being filed with this committee by City employees who are not satisfied with the standard fixed for his or her position. I would like to know how these protests came in. I, as a member of Council, have no idea what these standards are going to be. If a member of Council (I don't know that any other member has received the information or not) hasn't received any word as to the standards fixed by the committee, how does the City employees get the advanced information?"

Mr. **Winters** arose and said:

"Mr. President, answering Mr. Rauh. I want to say that the employee gets the information through the channel adopted by the Committee. The committee fixes the standard of a position and posts notice of same. It invites the employee, if he is not satisfied with the standard fixed for his or her position, to file protest with the committee."

"For the information of the gentleman I want to state that the rates have been posted in front of the building on the bulletin board used by the Civil Service Commission and from information given some of the directors of the various departments and in that way the City employees were invited to file their protest in writing with the committee. Many of them have done so. Perhaps Mr. Rauh has overlooked them and perhaps he has not talked much about this subject with any member of the committee. I hope this is the information he desires."

Mr. **Garland** arose and said:

"Mr. President, answering that part of the gentleman's statement as to replenishing the fund, I don't think there is any question that we will not replenish this fund if the money is needed."

Mr. **McArdle** arose and said:

"Where would you get the money?"

Mr. **Garland**:

"From the budget committee."

Mr. **English** moved

That the resolution be recommended to the Committee on Finance.

Upon which motion Mr. **English** demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

English	Winters
Herron (President)	

Noes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson

Ayes—3.

Noes—6.

And a majority of the votes being in the negative, the motion was rejected.

And the resolution was read a third time, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson

Noes—Messrs.

English	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—6.

Noes—3.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3455. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the amount of \$10,000.00 from Code Account No. 52, Standardization Fund, to Code Account No. 1027, Special Reservation, Civic and War Committee.

Which was read.

Mr. **Garland** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second time.

Mr. **English** arose and said:

"Mr. President, I am going to oppose the passage of this resolution, because I don't think we should take this \$10,000.00 from the fund to be used in the standardization of salaries of City employees. Further than that, I would like to ask if any member of Council knows of the items that make up the

\$44,000.00 appropriated for the Mayor's Welcoming Committee. I don't know of any bills being submitted to the Finance Committee, as provided by ordinance setting up this fund, for approval. I have not seen any bills that will go to make up this additional \$10,000.00. My principal objection, however, to the resolution is that I cannot conscientiously vote to take this money from the Standardization Fund. I therefore vote No."

And the resolution was read a third time and, upon final passage, the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	

Noes—Messrs.

English	Winters
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Ayes—7.

Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3252. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating position of deputy superintendent of the City-County Building, Department of Public Works, at a salary of \$2,400 per annum."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. Garland moved

To amend the bill in Section 1, after the words, "Department of Public Works," by inserting the words "at a salary of \$2,400.00 per annum."

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as read a second time and amended, was laid over for reprinting.

Mr. English presented

No. 3555. Report of the Committee on Public Works for September 23, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3148. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Carson street East, in the Seventeenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from South First

street to the south approach to the Smithfield street bridge, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 3154. An Ordinance widening certain portions of Bigelow boulevard, in the Second and Sixth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, between a point 137.81 feet west from the first point of curve west of Brereton street and Marcella street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

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And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 3198. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Diamond street, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Market place to Ferry street, fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing and re-establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

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And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

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Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
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Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 3199. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Diamond street, in the First and Second wards of the City of Pittsburgh, from Smithfield

street to Grant street, fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing and re-establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 3200. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Ferry street, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Water street to Liberty avenue, fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing and re-establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 3201. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Second avenue, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Liberty avenue to Grant street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 3210. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening East Ohio street, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, from Heinz street eastwardly for a distance of 7328.10 feet to the City line,

fixing the position and width of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing the grade thereon, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Mr. English also presented

No. 3556. Report of the Committee on Public Works for September 24, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3362. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Bissell way, from a point about 20 feet northwest of Celadine street to the existing sewer on Wickliff street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3367. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Sylvan avenue, from a point about 10 feet northwest of Home Rule street to the existing sewer on Monongahela street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3446. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Marshall avenue, Goshen street,

Pelham street, private property of the City of Pittsburgh, Mazer street and an unnamed way, from Sonora way to the existing sewer on Milroy avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third reading; and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3397. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for repaving Fifth avenue, Craig street and Collins avenue, between certain points, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3398. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for making certain repairs to the South Highland avenue bridge over the Pennsylvania Railroad, the Negley avenue bridge over the Pennsylvania Railroad, and the Lawn street bridge over a hollow, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3432. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the regrading, recurbing, repaving and otherwise improving of Wheatland street, between Greenfield avenue and Greenfield avenue, and Smith way, from Westwood street to a point

300 feet westwardly, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 3482. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for the construction of a fence between property of the Pennsylvania Railroad and a strip of ground, sixteen feet wide, dedicated to the use of the public, and adjoining Simonton street, and extending from Fifth avenue to Dallas avenue, together with the necessary returns on Fifth avenue and Dallas avenue, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3401. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Turner-Fricke Manufacturing Company in the amount of \$228.03, for repairing gas engine at the Diamond Market, same to be paid from Code Account No. 1583, Repairs, Diamond Market, Bureau of City Property.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3402. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing and Machine Company for \$450.00, for welding one crankshaft and babbiting bearings for same; to be paid from Code Account No. 1583, Repairs, Diamond Market, Bureau of City Property.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3427. Resolution approving extras in contract with Neelan & Daly for the grading, paving and curbing of Eckert street, from Lecky avenue to McClure avenue, amounting to \$328.50, and charging the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters

Herron (President)

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3557. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for September 24, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3428. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade on Seiffert way, from Superior avenue to Trimble street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3433. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Melwood street, from Denver street to Ridgway street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3434. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and establishing the grade on Pioneer avenue, from Brookline boulevard to West Liberty avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3337. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance changing the name of Warp way, between North Euclid avenue and North St. Clair street, to 'Frazee way'."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3448. An Ordinance en-

titled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and re-establishing the grade of the north sidewalk of Morrison avenue, from St. Mark's place to 'B' street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3449. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade on Goshen street, from Pelham street to Kennedy avenue, in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3450. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade on Pelham street, from Sonora way to Goshen street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3558. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for September 24, 1919, transmitting an ordinance and several resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2128. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating certain districts or zones in the City of Pittsburgh, to be known as Fire Zones No. I, Fire Zones No. II, and Zone No. III, and describing the boundary lines thereof."

In Public Safety Committee, September 24, 1919. Read and amended in Section 3 by striking out and by inserting as shown in red and, as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the amendments of the Public Safety Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3177. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following persons in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety, without competitive bids, and charging the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	No.
D. A. Butler.....	\$ 8.00	1147
Al. Sherin	40.00	1147

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the

votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3334. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	No.
Bertram G. Case.....	\$ 12.00	1133
Bertram G. Case.....	66.50	1166
W. H. Champ.....	211.82	1166
N. C. Davison Gas Burner & Welding Co.....	4.50	1166
Dayton Rubber Mfg. Co....	36.00	1166
Frick & Lindsay Co.....	4.00	1166
A. H. Johnson.....	64.90	1166
Keystone Laundry Co.....	11.47	1130
Keystone Laundry Co.....	211.06	1163
H. R. Kirkwood.....	.80	1166
Mercy Hospital.....	90.00	1163
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	26.22	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co..	12.85	1166
Robbins Electric Co.....	.75	1166

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3399. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$827.18	1160

D. A. Butler..... 13.00 1147
 Keystone Laundry Co..... 31.74 1147
 Which was read.

Mr. **Dalley** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Kauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. **Henderson** presented

No. 3559. Report of the Committee on Health and Sanitation for September 24, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3394. Resolution approving the specifications for the collection, removal and disposal of garbage and rubbish, as approved by Council on December 5, 1918, for the term of the next ensuing contract, to be awarded by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Health.

Which was read.

Mr. **Henderson** moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution was read a second time.

Mr. **Rauh** arose and said:

"Mr. President, I am going to vote against this resolution because the garbage and rubbish is not collected properly from the residences in this City, and the City pays an enormous amount to have it done. It is a perfect joke the way it is collected today. Many parts of the City are not provided with service for five weeks and other parts for two months. Perhaps the members of Council have noticed in the papers lately in the City of Philadelphia that one of

the reasons why the collection system will be changed from private contractor system to the City of Philadelphia doing the work was that the garbage and rubbish was not collected regularly by the private contractors. The people, aroused over the poor service rendered in Philadelphia and the high cost paid there to private contractors, repudiated the administration, and that city will now collect its own garbage and rubbish. I predict the same result will happen in Pittsburgh unless better service is given, as the people will not stand for this much longer. The City can collect its rubbish and garbage better than any private contractors—at least better than the private contractors are doing today, and for less money."

Mr. **McArdle** arose and said:

"Mr. President, is there a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health before the Council in which he gives his approval to the specifications which we are asked to approve by this resolution? If so, I would ask that the communication be read."

The **Chair**:

"There is a communication attached to the resolution; and if there are no objections the communication will be read."

The **Clerk** read the following communication:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

Pittsburgh, September 4, 1919.

John S. Herron,

President of Council,

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—Enclosed herewith please find resolution of the approval of the present specifications for the removal and disposal of garbage and rubbish. It is the intention to advertise shortly for proposals for this work. The specifications now in force seem to be as satisfactory as can be agreed upon, and this resolution merely carries them on through the term of the next contract to be made.

Will you kindly present this at the next meeting of Council.

Very truly yours,

WM. H. DAVIS,

Director.

Mr. **Garland** moved

That the communication be received and filed and spread on the Minutes of this meeting.

Mr. **McArdle** arose and said:

"Mr. President, I think there ought to be an unqualified approval by the Di-

rector of the Department of Public Health of the specifications before Council when it passes a resolution of this kind. I take this position because of the fact that when there was complaint about this subject within the present year, and the Department of Public Health was assumed to be in perfect harmony with the specifications we were told that they were specifications prepared and recommended by Council. I was led to believe that the Department of Public Health might not think they were all right. My contention now is that the Department of Public Health should prepare specifications that are satisfactory to it.

"Of course, the passage of this does not dispose of the question, whether the City shall or shall not collect the garbage and rubbish. It is not a part of the subject now under discussion. It is not an ordinance to advertise for bids and award a contract, but it is a subject putting Council on record as being satisfied with the specifications in a very definite way, while the Department of Public Health is only on record in a rather indefinite way."

The Chair:

"This communication comes to us from the Director of the Department of Public Health. We ought at least have the department O. K. these specifications. The motion of Mr. Garland is that the communication of the Director of the Department of Public Health be received and filed and spread on the Minutes."

Mr. English arose and said:

"Mr. President, the right procedure would be to send this resolution to the Director for a report in writing, submitting specifications which he approves. I believe we should follow Mr. McArdle's line of reasoning and have the Director furnish specifications with a letter stating that he desires Council to approve such specifications. Then there will not be any chance of a misunderstanding."

Mr. English moved

That the resolution be recommended to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Garland asked leave and at this time presented

No. 3560. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to deliver a deed for lot No. 36 in the plan of the Hammer Estate to Mrs. Minnie M. Wehner for the sum of \$75.00.

Also

No. 3561. Communication from officers and employees of the Crucible Steel Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3562. Communication from the Brookline Board of Trade, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3563. Communication from the officers and employees of the Logan-Gregg Hardware Company, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3564. Communication from P. R. Williams, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3565. Communication from the Traffic Club of Pittsburgh, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3566. Communication from the Cotter Club, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3567. Communication from the Pittsburgh Athletic Association, endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. English at this time arose to a question of personal privilege and read the following:

"Mr. President, before closing the Minutes of today, I wish to add a statement under personal privilege. You will recall that on September 8, in Council, I made a statement in which I referred to certain statements Mayor Babcock had sent to the newspapers which I thought were a reflection on the character and integrity of Mr. Herron and myself as members of Council.

"When Council reconvened after the primary election, namely, on September 22, I again repeated my remarks and stated that I intended to continue my inquiry until the Mayor proved the charge or retracted the statement he furnished to the newspapers.

"I think it proper that this statement should be printed in the Minutes of this meeting. On Tuesday afternoon, September 23, at about 6 P. M., I met the Mayor as he was waiting for the elevator on the fifth floor of this building. After an exchange of greetings I reminded the Mayor of his charge and my determination to insist on a showdown. He replied that he had hit me below the belt, but did not intend to do so, as he had no knowledge of any charges against me on my vote in Council."

"Having admitted that his charges were for political effect and that he had not intended any assault on my char-

acter, he further asked if I would not now drop the fuss I was making about it. I replied that I had no intention or desire to make any fuss, but I did intend to defend my character against all attacks, political or otherwise.

"Therefore, Mr. President, having made my request for an inquiry before the public and in open Council, it is fair and right that I should make this statement.

"The Mayor having withdrawn his statement and having acknowledged that he had 'hit me below the belt,' without any foundation for the serious charge he made, I wish to do him justice by asking that the matter be closed and

this statement printed in full in the Minutes.

"I also wish to say that I regret that the incident happened at all, but that I do not bear any malice or ill-will on account of it. Neither will it have any influence on my course as a member of Council. I shall continue to support good measures, whether proposed by the Mayor or others, and will continue to oppose bad measures, regardless of their authors or backers."

And, on motion of Mr. Garland,
Council adjourned.

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COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, October 6, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

The **Chair** stated that, as there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, September 29, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, September 29, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3568. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Dearborn street, from North Pacific avenue to North Atlantic avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3569. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh for \$878.33, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1160, and John D. Singley for \$15.00, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1147, for services rendered the Department of Public Safety.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 3570. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of E. M. Hill for \$6,708.80 and a warrant in favor of the Bruckman Lumber Company for \$1,706.70 for lumber furnished the City for boardwalks and steps, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1540-D, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps.

Also

No. 3571. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of M. O'Herron Company for \$100.00 for extra work done on the Ethel street sewer contract, and charging same to Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, Item, "Ethel Street Sewer, Contract No. 830."

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3572. An Ordinance establishing the crossings of all streets, avenues, ways or alleys in the City of Pittsburgh to be safety zones, and defining the right of way of all pedestrians on crossings and the right of way of all motor vehicles between crossings.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3573. Whereas, There will be insufficient funds in several of

the code accounts of the Bureau of Recreation to meet the bill rolls for the balance of the year, and there will be balances remaining in other code accounts of the same bureau; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, aggregating \$4,608.19:

From	
Code Account 1805, Salaries, Regular Employees, General Office	\$ 800.00
Code Account 1813, Salaries, Regular Employees, Washington Park	400.00
Code Account 1814, Salaries, Regular Employees, Ormsby Park	900.00
Code Account 1816, Salaries, Regular Employees, Warrington Park	300.00
Code Account 1818, Salaries, Regular Employees, Arsenal Park	500.00
Code Account 1822, Salaries, Regular Employees, Lewis Park	700.00
Code Account 1824, Wages, Temporary Employees, Brushton Park	140.60
Code Account 1826, Wages, Temporary Employees, Lawrence Pool	40.65
Code Account 1827, Wages, Temporary Employees, Arlington Park	54.37
Code Account 1828, Wages, Temporary Employees, Beechview Playground	47.67
Code Account 1829, Wages, Temporary Employees, Armstrong Playground	16.62
Code Account 1830, Wages, Temporary Employees, Burgwin Playground	37.12
Code Account 1831, Wages, Temporary Employees, Cuthbertson Playground	93.08
Code Account 1832, Wages, Temporary Employees, Morningside Playground	39.45
Code Account 1833, Wages, Temporary Employees, O'Hara School	65.93
Code Account 1834, Wages, Temporary Employees, Rose School	23.97
Code Account 1835, Wages, Temporary Employees, Sheridan Playground	98.20
Code Account 1836, Wages, Temporary Employees, Soho Playground	79.70
Code Account 1837, Wages, Temporary Employees, Flinn Playground	179.40
Code Account 1838, Wages, Temporary Employees, Garfield Playground	15.58

Code Account 1839, Wages, Temporary Employees, Greenfield Playground	11.75
Code Account 1840, Wages, Temporary Employees, Homewood Playground	9.30
Code Account 1841, Wages, Temporary Employees, McKelvey School	19.18
Code Account 1843, Wages, Temporary Employees, Wabash Playground	30.15
Code Account 1844, Wages, Temporary Employees, Watt School	1.72
Code Account 1845, Wages, Temporary Employees, Penn Avenue	3.75
	<u>\$4,608.19</u>

To	
Code Account 1806, Wages, Temporary Employees	\$3,600.00
Code Account 1809, Materials	1,008.19
	<u>\$4,608.19</u>

Also
No. 3574. Resolution authorizing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$329.74 from the General Fund of Code Account 1592½. Structural and Non-structural Improvements at the North Side Market, to Contract No. 827, Sheet Metal Work at the North Side Market.

Also
No. 3575. Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the aggregate sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) from Code Account No. 1491 General Repaving, Division of Street, Bureau of Engineering, and to credit same to certain other code accounts in the Bureau of Engineering, in the respective amounts set forth, to-wit:

\$ 650.00	to Code Account No. 1415, Supplies, General Office.
600.00	to Code Account No. 1421, Wages, Regular Employees, Division of Surveys.
200.00	to Code Account No. 1430, Supplies, Division of Design.
350.00	to Code Account No. 1448, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Bridges.
200.00	to Code Account No. 1450, Miscellaneous Service, Division of Bridges.
250.00	to Code Account No. 1459, Miscellaneous Services, Bridge Repairs, City Force.
50.00	to Code Account No. 1466, Miscellaneous Services, Bridge Repainting, City Force.
300.00	to Code Account No. 1472, Miscellaneous Services, Division of Sewers.

400.00 to Code Account No. 1484,
Miscellaneous Services, Division of Streets.

\$3,000.00—Total.

Also

No. 3576. Petition of gardeners of the Beechview district for the passage of the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3577. Communication from the Pittsburgh Field Club endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3578. Communication from the Lawrenceville Board of Trade endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3579. Communication from Pittsburgh Professional Photographers endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3580. Communication from the officers and employees of the Shady-side Motor Company endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3581. Communication from Ralph W. Harbison endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3582. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Health for the collection, removal and disposal of rubbish and garbage within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh for a period of one, two, three, or four years from January 1, 1920.

Also

No. 3583. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the enclosing of all the porches at the Tuberculosis Hospital, Leech Farm, Twelfth ward, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Also

No. 3584. An Ordinance prohibiting the placing and accumulating of rubbish ashes, fallen trees or parts thereof, old vehicles and offensive material of any character in dwellings, buildings, streets, lanes, alleys, yards or vacant ground in the City of Pittsburgh, and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3585. Whereas, John H. Schnur, sub-patrolman, William S. Seibert, sub-patrolman, and John W. Govier, a sub-hoseman, entered the service of the United States in the war with Germany and filed dependent's claims in accordance with the Act of Assembly providing for payment of half salary to city employees while in the military or naval service; and

Whereas, Acting upon instructions from the Law Department the Civil Service Commission refused to approve payrolls for the payment of said dependents' claims which refusal was based upon the theory that these men had not been in the city service long enough to be regarded as regular employees; and

Whereas, There does not appear to be anything in the Act of Assembly providing for the payment of said dependents' claims which was intended to take into account the provisions of the Civil Service Commission acts or the rules of the Commission requiring a probationary period of employment; and

Whereas, the City has been liberal in its interpretation of the application of this law on all other cases heretofore passed, including that of sub-patrolmen and sub-firemen as evidenced by the passage of Ordinance No. 421, approved October 16, 1917; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of John H. Schnur, William S. Seibert and John W. Govier in the sum to which they would have been entitled had their original claims been allowed and paid, namely, \$..... and charge same to the proper Code Accounts; and, be it further

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the said John H. Schnur, William S. Seibert and John W. Govier in the sums to which they would be entitled in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 229, approved July 23, 1919, granting half increase to city employees while in the service of the United States, and charge same to Code Accounts.....

Also

No. 3586. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$6,000.00 from Appropriation No. 52-M, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 42-7, the Women's Employment Committee of the Council of National Defense, for the purpose of paying current expenses for the balance of the year, payments against said sum not to exceed \$2,000.00 per month.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3587. An Ordinance granting unto the Chatfield & Woods Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a reinforced concrete platform over and across the northwestern sidewalk of Short street from First avenue to Second avenue, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh for the purpose of conveying material, etc., between the building of the Chatfield & Woods Company's warehouse and the Pennsylvania Railroad company's overhead track on Short street, subject to the terms and conditions of this ordinance.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 3588. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:—

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
W. S. Brown	\$ 329.00	1808
W. W. Lawrence & Company	865.99	1468
W. W. Lawrence & Company	3.25	1656
Pgh. Gage & Supply Co.	763.06	1556
Rosedale Fdry. & Mach. Company	2,442.15	1656
A. G. Spalding & Bro.	381.00	1808
Watson Painter Company	2,240.33	1468

Also

No. 3589. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Appropriation 1240, Salaries, Regular Employees, to Appropriation 1241, Wages, Temporary Employees, Bureau of Child Welfare, Department of Public Health.

Also

No. 3590. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$85.00 from Code Account No. 1801-C, Supplies, and \$90.00 from Code Account No. 1803-E, Repairs as follows: \$125.00 to Code Account No. 1800-B, Miscellaneous Services, and \$50.00 to Code Account No. 1802-D, Materials, Bureau of Tests.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3591. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Conrad Doench, Registered Plumber, for \$55.03, in payment of claim for extending sewer connection from the main

sewer to the curb line at 2212 Holyoke street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3592. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Morgan Bros. for \$749.74 in payment for installing sheet metal work in connection with the new heating system at the North Side Market and charging same to Code Account 1592½, Structural and Non-structural Improvements to the North Side Market.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3593. An Ordinance amending Section 59, Bureau of Deed Registry, Department of Public Works, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3594. An Ordinance amending Section 2 of Ordinance No. 104 entitled, "An Ordinance creating and establishing a Division in the Bureau of Engineering under the control and direction of the Director of the Department of Public Works, to be known as the 'Division of Parks and Playgrounds,' providing for and fixing the number of employees and the rate of compensation thereof," approved April 24, 1919.

Also

No. 3595. An Ordinance amending Sections 52, 53, 55, 56, 57 and 58 of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, and as amended by Ordinances Nos. 20, 103, 106 and 189, approved February 6, April 22, April 24, and June 26, 1919, respectively, so as to provide additional employees, in the Bureau of Engineering.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 3596.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, September 30, 1919.

Hon. John S. Herron,

President of Council.

Dear Sir:

I am attaching hereto copy of a let-

ter sent to the Mayor, which explains itself, and which I trust you will submit to your fellow councilmen for their consideration.

Yours very truly,
CHAS. S. HUBBARD,
City Treasurer.

Pittsburgh, September 30, 1919.

Hon. E. V. Babcock,

Mayor.

Dear Sir:

Having gone carefully over the books in this office showing the amount of taxes collected for the current year from the date we were able to start the collection until the delinquent period, I find that, had we started this collection on the date set by law, January 2, instead of February 17, the earliest date we could start owing to the delay in completing the budget and fixing the millage, the City would have saved fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) in interest on bank balances alone, or an amount approximately sufficient to cover the payroll for this entire department for the year.

Aside from this saving to the city by starting the collection of taxes at the proper date, it would save endless confusion and annoyance to the taxpayers, and I therefore, urge upon you the necessity for an early adjustment of the millage for the coming year, so the tax books may be furnished this department in time to start the collection January 2, 1920.

Yours very truly,
CHAS. S. HUBBARD,
City Treasurer.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3597. Communication from J. W. Marsh, President of the Standard Underground Cable Company, endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3598. Communication from Fred R. Kleibacker protesting against the passage of the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3599. Communication from the Business Men's Association of East North Side asking that a comfort station be erected in the eastern part of the North Side.

Also

No. 3600. Communication from

Anna B. Lowrie offering to sell to the City property known as No. 8 Police Station at 133 Steuben street for \$7,500.00.

Also

No. 3601. Communication from F. T. Smith, Lien Clerk, Department of Law, stating that the City does not have title to all the property it proposes to sell to Joseph P. Hildorfer on Wilson avenue, North Side, and returning his check for 10 per cent of the purchase money.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3602. Petition of residents asking that Sickles, Fargo, Karl and Nimick streets, Thirteenth ward, be repaired and that Haverhill street, from Oakwood street to Centervue street, Wilkinsburg, be opened and improved.

Also

No. 3603. Petition of property owners and residents for the improvement of Haverhill street between Oakwood street and the Wilkinsburg Borough Line.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3604. Petition for the vacation of Lily street, in the Thirteenth ward, as laid out in A. W. Mellon's Plan of "Villa Place," from Batavia street to Haverhill street.

Also

No. 3605. An Ordinance vacating Lily street, in the Thirteenth ward, as laid out in A. W. Mellon's Plan of "Villa Place," from Batavia street to Haverhill street.

Also

No. 3606. An Ordinance establishing the grade of Nimick place, from Oakwood street to Allison street.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 3607. Communication from A. J. Kelly, Jr., of the Commonwealth Real Estate Company, regarding the zoning ordinance covering the district in which certain kinds of garages may be erected, and submitting copy of an Act of Assembly in which it gives the City Planning Commission the authority to recommend the boundaries of districts or zones and the regulation therein.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 3608.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY
CONTROLLER.

Pittsburgh, October 4, 1919.

To the Council—

Gentlemen:

I notice on your files for Monday an Ordinance for the appointment of a Deputy Superintendent in the Bureau of City Property. This Ordinance is virtually a duplicate of the one presented and negated by the Finance Committee. This being the case, under the laws governing Council, this Ordinance would be illegal, and therefore should not be considered at this time. When the new Council is organized, it could be introduced and if necessary, passed, but not before that time.

Respectfully,

E. S. MORROW,

City Controller.

Which was read, received and filed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Bill No. 3252. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating position of Deputy Superintendent of the City-County Building, Department of Public Works, at a salary of \$2,400.00 per annum."

In Council, September 29, 1919, Bill read, rule suspended, read a second time and amended in section 1, as shown in red, and bill laid over for reprinting.

Which was read.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, some time ago I was in favor of creating the position of Assistant Superintendent in the Bureau of City Property; but it seems to me that since they have been able to carry on the activities of the bureau without this additional employee for ten months of the year, we should withhold action on this matter until budget time. I don't think it will inconvenience the activities of this bureau to withhold the creation of this new position for the few months remaining until the budget is before us.

Mr. Garland moved

That the bill (together with a copy of the communication from the City Controller) be referred to the Law Department for an opinion as to the legality of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3609. Report of the Com-

mittee on Finance for September 30, 1919, transmitting sundry papers to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3341. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Appropriation No. 1383, Public Wash House and Bath Association.

In Finance Committee, September 30, 1919, read and amended by striking out the words "42, Contingent Fund," and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "52-M, Standardization Fund," and as amended ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second time.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, I am in favor of helping the Bath House Association and believe this would be a worthy bill if the amount desired to be transferred to help this organization was taken from some fund other than that set up for the standardization of salaries of city employees. The fund for the Standardization of salaries was set up for a specific purpose and should not be used to defray the expenses of any bureau or division of the city or for the purpose of purchasing supplies and materials.

I think the money needed for the Bath House Association could be secured from the War Farms Garden fund or some other fund. I am opposed to the money being taken from the standardization fund, but I am not opposed to helping the Bath House Association. I therefore vote No on Bill No. 3341.

And the resolution was read a third time, and upon final passage the yeas and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Rauh
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President)

Noes—Messrs.

English Winters

Ayes—7.
Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3514. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$6,500.00 to Code Account No. 1232, Supplies, Municipal Hospital, from the following codes: \$2,500.00 from Code Account No. 1228, Salaries, Regular Employees; \$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1229, Salaries, Temporary Employees; \$200.00 from Code Account No. 1230, Wages, Regular Employees, Municipal Hospital, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, and \$2,800.00 from Code Account No. 1246, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Smoke Regulation, Department of Public Health.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second time.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, Bill No. 3514 provides for the transfer of \$6,500.00 to the Department of Public Health. I am satisfied to help the Department of Public Health, but I don't think the explanation given Council is sufficient to justify our transferring \$6,500.00. I think some reasonable explanation should be furnished Council to show what they intend to do with the money, and until this explanation is furnished I shall be compelled to vote against transferring the money. I therefore vote No.

And the resolution was read a third time, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Rauh
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—8.
Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3535. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Appropriation No. 52-M, to Appropriation No. 1100-M, Civil Service Commission.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second time.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, Bill No. 3535 is a resolution for the transfer of \$500.00 to the Civil Service Commission. This is ridiculous and I cannot vote for such piffle as that. I vote No.

And the resolution was read a third time, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Rauh
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—8.
Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3370. Owing to increases in salaries and wages of several employees in the Bureau of City Property it will be necessary to transfer funds from various code accounts to others in this bureau to meet expenditures for the balance of the year; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers from various code accounts to others in the Bureau of City Property, as follows:

From	
Code Account No. 1563, Repairs, General Office	\$ 500.00
Code Account No. 1564, Equipment, General Office	75.00
Code Account No. 1565, Decorating	500.00
Code Account No. 1566, Salaries, City-County Building	379.50

Code Account No. 1567, Wages, City-County Building	867.67
Code Account No. 1571, Repairs, City-County Building	500.00
Code Account No. 1572, Equip- ment, City-County Building.....	1,000.00
Code Account No. 1575, Repairs, North Side City Hall.....	550.00
Code Account No. 1576, Salaries, Diamond Market	1,032.80
Code Account No. 1589, Supplies, North Side Market.....	1,500.00
Code Account No. 1592, Equip- ment, North Side Market.....	125.00
Code Account No. 1597, Supplies, South Side Market.....	200.00
Code Account No. 1600, Equip- ment, South Side Market.....	100.00
Code Account No. 1618, Equip- ment, Wharves and Landings.....	200.00
Code Account No. 1623, Equip- ment, Comfort Stations.....	50.00
Code Account No. 1624, Supplies, Foster Home	50.00
	\$7,629.97

To

Code Account No. 1567½, Wages, Temporary Laborer	\$1,032.80
Code Account No. 1573, Salaries, North Side City Hall.....	112.00
Code Account No. 1577, Wages, Diamond Market	4,107.20
Code Account No. 1586, Wages, North Side Market.....	1,713.40
Code Account No. 1595, Wages, South Side Market.....	285.07
Code Account No. 1613, Wages, Wharves and Landings.....	379.50
	\$7,629.97

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-
low the second and third readings and
final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended
the resolution was read a second time.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, this bill provides for a
number of transfers and shifts in the
Bureau of City Property amounting to
\$7,600.00. I wish to say that the ex-
planation furnished to the Committee
on Finance reported on about \$2,500.00
of the \$7,600.00. Why can't we get a re-
port on the balance? For instance, there
is one item of \$4,107.20 for the Diamond
Market; the Superintendent said there
were no new positions created in the
Diamond Market. Therefore, I cannot
see the justification for this transfer. If
there has been an increase in the cost
of the market there should be a suffi-
cient increase in rents to pay it.

In view of the fact that Council has
not received information as to the pur-

poses for which this money is to be
used, and until such information is fur-
nished us, I deem it my duty to vote
against these transfers.

And the resolution was read a third
time, and upon final passage the ayes
and noes were taken, and being taken
were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
Noes—Mr.	
English	

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council
being in the affirmative, the resolution
passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3352. Resolution au-
thorizing and directing the Mayor to ex-
ecute and deliver a deed for lot No. 44
in Marshall & Bell Plan of Lots, on
Meadville street, Twenty-fifth ward, to
Mrs. F. S. Farley for the sum of \$225.00.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-
low the second and third readings and
final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended,
the resolution was read a second and
third times, and upon final passage the
ayes and noes were taken, and being
taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Coun-
cil being in the affirmative, the resolu-
tion passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3451. Resolution au-
thorizing and directing the Mayor to
execute and deliver a deed for lot No. 13
in A. P. Norton's Plan on Windom
street, Seventeenth ward, to Mary Gir-
vin, for the sum of \$198.47.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-
low the second and third readings and
final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended,
the resolution was read a second and

third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3560. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to deliver a deed for lot No. 36 in plan of the Hammer Estate, located between Noschell and Gilchrist streets, in the Twenty-sixth ward, to Mrs. Minnie M. Wehner, for the sum of \$75.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3256. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lot No. 422 in J. M. Gazzam Mt. Deelan Plan, located on Mohawk street, Fourth ward, to Charles F. Doyle, for the sum of \$100.00 to be paid in three (3) quarterly payments.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3531. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$2,400.00 to Code Account No. 1406 A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Accounting:

From 1546 A 1, Salaries, Division of Public Utilities, Bureau of Highways and Sewers \$	600.00
From 1635 A 1, Salaries, Accounting Division, Bureau of Water.....	1,500.00
From 1678 A 1, Salaries, General Office, Bureau of Parks	300.00
	\$2,400.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3527. Resolution authorizing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1642, "Salaries Regular Employees," to Appropriation No. 1648, "Materials," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and

final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3505. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$2,500.00 from Code Account 1318, Salaries, Regular Employee, to Code Account 1321, Materials, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Department of Charities.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3496. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,275.00 from Appropriation No. 1045, War Farm Garden, to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to pay for five Model 90 Overland Touring cars purchased for the Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and

final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3332. Resolution authorizing, directing and empowering the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$300.00 from Code Account No. 1126, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, General Office, to No. 1132, Item D, Materials, General Office, Department of Public Safety.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3332. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Painter-Dunn Company, for five (5) Model 90 Overland Touring Cars, for the sum of \$5,275.00, for use of the Bureau of Police; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No.

In Finance Committee, September 30, 1919. Read and amended by adding at the end of the resolution the words "42. Contingent Fund," and, as amended, ordered returned to council with an af-

Affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. English presented

No. 3610. Report of the Committee on Public Works for October 1, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3503. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk of Kirkpatrick street, from a point about 300 feet south of Ridgway street to the existing sewer on Kirkpatrick street at Ridgway street, and providing that costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3504. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the southeast sidewalk of Jeffers street, from a point about 300 feet northeast of Fadette street to the existing sewer on Fadette street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3523. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Milton street, from a point about 30 feet north of Overton street to the existing sewer crossing Milton street at a point about 385 feet north of Henrietta street, and providing that the

costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3524. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Monmouth street, from a point about 30 feet south of Nicholson street to the existing sewer on Forward avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3519. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of the County of Allegheny to construct, operate and maintain a public highway tunnel, consisting of two tubes, from a point beginning on the southerly side of Brownsville avenue opposite Manor street in the Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, to a point on Warrington avenue at its intersection with West Liberty avenue, in the Eighteenth ward."

In Committee on Public Works, October 1, 1919. Read and returned to council with an affirmative recommendation, subject to a report and approval by the Department of Law and the Department of Public Works.

Which was read.

The Chair presented

No. 3611.

Pittsburgh, October 4, 1919.

President and Members of Council.

Council Chambers.

Gentlemen—Together with our engineering department, I have carefully examined Council Bill No. 3519, which is an ordinance authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of the County of Allegheny, to construct, operate and maintain a public highway tunnel, under certain streets in the City of Pittsburgh, between a point on Brownsville avenue opposite Manor street to a point on Warrington avenue near West Liberty avenue, and I find nothing in the ordinance that is objectionable and therefore recommend the same for passage.

Yours very truly,

JOHN SWAN,
Director.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Pittsburgh, Pa., October 6, 1919.

To the Honorable, the Council of the City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—On Bill No. 3519, an Ordinance granting the consent of the City of Pittsburgh to the County Commissioners of Allegheny County to construct, operate and maintain a public

highway tunnel, etc., I beg to report:

The present ordinance is in proper legal form in all respects, properly describes the termini and route of the tunnel within the City limits, conforms to the Act of Assembly regulating the construction of tunnels, and is ready for your affirmative action.

Respectfully yours,
CHARLES A. O'BRIEN,
City Solicitor.

Which was read, received and filed and ordered printed in full in the Record.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3502. Whereas the rate of wages to be paid roller engineers on June 19, 1919, was increased to ninety (90c) cents per hour; and

Whereas, Official notice of said increased rate was not received until June 26, 1919; consequently, the roller engineers employed at the asphalt plants of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers were not paid the increased rate for the period intervening from June 19, 1919, to June 27, 1919; and

Whereas, It is the decision of the City Controller that he is not authorized to countersign warrants for the amounts due without authority of Council.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons, being amounts due them for services rendered to the City of Pittsburgh, and charge the same to Ap-

propriation 1553, Wages, Temporary Employees, Asphalt Plants:

Michael Borish	\$ 6.30
Wm. J. Crummie	15.90
Grant Kellerman	13.80
Herbert Simon	11.00
Jas. D. Keeley	6.90
	\$53.90

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3515. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of A. G. Spalding & Bros. for 25 dozen baseballs at \$12.00 per dozen, \$300.00, payable from Code Account No. 1808, and a warrant for some athletic equipment in the sum of \$391.80, payable from code account No. 1811.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3532. Resolution authorizing and directing the Director of the Department of Public Works to rent a steam shovel at a rate not to exceed \$75.00 per diem to be used for extinguishing the coal mine fire on Hobart street, between Murray avenue and Wightman street, and authorizing the issuing of warrants drawn on Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, for the payment of the cost thereof.

In Public Works Committee, October 1, 1919. Read and amended by inserting after the words "Wightman street," the words "for a period not exceeding ten (10) days," and as amended ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

That the amendments of the Public Works Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3612. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for October 1, 1919, transmitting several ordinances to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 1906. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance accepting the dedication of certain property in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes for the widening of Blaine street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3521. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway, and establishing and re-establishing the grade of Second avenue, from Liberty avenue to Grant street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3533. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing and re-establishing the grade and fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway of Carson street East, from the south approach to the Smithfield street bridge to South Seventh street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 3613. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for September 30, 1919, transmitting an Ordinance and a Resolution to Council.

Which were read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3500. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for furnishing and installing motor generator set in the Department of Public Safety Building."

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3290. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety, on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh, to release and discharge R. E. Edmonds from any and all liability under the Workmen's Compensation Law, by reason of the accident to W. R. Reynolds, a Lieutenant of Police, and to waive its right of subrogation against said R. E. Edmonds to the extent of the moneys paid to said W. R. Reynolds, and that said W. R. Reynolds execute to the City the proper release from all further liability for compensation under the Workmen's compensation law and the agreement made between him and the City pursuant thereto on account of the injury received by said W. R. Reynolds on September 7, 1918.

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3614. Report of the Committee on Health and Sanitation for September 30, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

Bill No. 3394. Resolution approving the specifications for the collection, removal and disposal of garbage and rubbish as approved by Council on December 5, 1918, for the term of the next ensuing contract to be awarded by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Health.

In Health and Sanitation Committee, September 30, 1919. Read, and amended, by inserting a preamble as shown in red, and as amended, ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

That the amendment of the Health and Sanitation Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters

Mr. Rauh not voting.

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the following members be excused for absence from Council and committee meetings:

Mr. Dailey on July 2, 7 and 9, 1919.

Mr. English on July 14, 15, 17, 21, 22, 23, 28, 29, 30; August, 4, 5, 11 and 12, 1919.

Mr. Garland on July 9, 17, 29, 30; August 12, and September 23, 1919.

Mr. Henderson on July 2 and August 11, 1919.

Mr. Rauh on July 2, 9, 22, 23, 29; August 11, 12; September 24, and October 1, 1919.

Mr. Robertson on June 30; July 9, 23, 29, 30; August 5, 11, and October 1, 1919.

Mr. Winters on July 2, 30; September 24, and October 1, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

And, on motion of Mr. McArdle, Council adjourned.

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COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Tuesday, October 14, 1919.

Council met this day (Tuesday) instead of Monday, October 13, 1919, which was celebrated as Columbus Day.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Absent—Mr.
Robertson

The Chair stated that if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, October 6, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, October 6, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3615. Resolution empowering and ordering the City Solicitor to satisfy the assessment against the property of Charles E. Schuetz for

the grading, paving and curbing of Truro way, from Craig street to Melwood street, Fifth ward, upon the payment of \$258.00.

Also

No. 3616. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety to execute, in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, a release to E. J. Schenck from any and all liability to the City of Pittsburgh, under the Workmen's Compensation Law for injuries received by P. E. Dixon, a policeman in the Bureau of Police by being run down by automobile owned by said E. J. Schenck, upon the payment to the City of Pittsburgh of the sum of \$65.00.

Also

No. 3617. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to make the following transfers of appropriations, to-wit:

\$2,600.00	from Code Account No. 1144,
	to Code Account No. 1147.
4,000.00	from Code Account No. 1144,
	to Code Account No. 1148.
500.00	from Code Account No. 1144,
	to Code Account No. 1149.
4,000.00	from Code Account No. 1144,
	to Code Account No. 1156.
400.00	from Code Account No. 1144,
	to Code Account No. 1159.
250.00	from Code Account No. 1171,
	to Code Account No. 1174.
300.00	from Code Account No. 1171,
	to Code Account No. 1177.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3618.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Allegheny General Hospital	\$ 130.00	1163
Bertram G. Case	178.06	1166
W. H. Champ	75.18	1133
W. H. Champ	32.74	1166
Richard Conley	111.00	1166
Dayton Rubber Mfg. Co.	1.41	1163
Duquesne Light Company	3.00	1163
East End Battery Service Company	1.75	1166
Herman Helmich	56.90	1166
Iron City Electric Company	29.44	1166
Iron City Spring Company	6.00	1166
Goldsmith & Gorfinkel	20.00	1163
Keystone Laundry Company	82.59	1163
William F. Minogue	46.00	1163
Penn Storage Battery Company	44.94	1166
Pullman Taxi Service Company	21.25	1147
Pullman Taxi Service Company	53.40	42
Robbins Electric Company	4.50	1166
George H. Vaux, M. D.	150.00	1163

Also

No. 3619. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for installing additional steam heating lines, and alterations, repairs and improvements to the present steam heating lines, in the Department of Public Safety Building.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 3620. Communication from C. A. Nesbit protesting against the passage of the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3621. Communication from Dr. H. P. Ashe protesting against the passage of the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3622. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John Eichleay, Jr. Company for the sum of \$1,043.14 for extra work done on the contract for making adjustments and repairs to the rocker bearings under the shoes of the river span of the Manchester Bridge, and charging same to Code Account No. 150, North Side Point Bridge (now Manchester Bridge.)

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3623. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the following amounts:

\$2,500.00 from Code Account No. 1348, Wages, Regular Employees.
850.00 from Code Account No. 1348, Wages, Regular Employees.
250.00 from Code Account No. 1353, Equipment.
600.00 from Code Account No. 1348, Wages, Regular Employees.
900.00 from Code Account No. 1348, Wages, Regular Employees.

\$5,100.00

To the following Code Accounts:
\$2,500.00 to Code Account No. 1347, Salaries, Regular Employees.

850.00 to Code Account No. 1354, Salaries, Regular Employees, Woods Run Branch.
250.00 to Code Account No. 1349, Miscellaneous Expense.
600.00 to Code Account No. 1350, Supplies.
900.00 to Code Account No. 1352, Repairs.

Also

No. 3624. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to W. F. Stadlander on behalf of John G. Fell for Lot No. 15 and part of Lot No. 14, located on Brahm street, Twenty-fourth ward, for the sum of \$210.00.

Also

No. 3625. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Walter P. Fraser in the sum of \$212.09, being 50 per cent of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate, for excessive water rent on property at 6200 Penn avenue, Seventh ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Also

No. 3626. Petition of employees of the Voucher Department, Crucible Steel Company, endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3627. Communication from Clarence Milnes Lodge No. 1116 International Association of Machinists of the Pennsylvania Railroad Shops, Twenty-eighth street, endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3628. Petition of residents and property owners of Mt. Washington and Duquesne Heights, Nineteenth ward, asking that the City pur-

chase property adjoining Olympia park for park purposes.

Also

No. 3629. An Ordinance fixing and establishing the salaries for the police telephone operators employed by the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 3630. An Ordinance fixing the salaries of the policemen or patrolmen and sergeants of the police employed by the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 3631. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Harry J. Hoover for Lot. No. 65, located on Estella street, Eighteenth ward, for the sum of \$500.00.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3632. An Ordinance granting to the Brookline Board of Trade the right and privilege to construct a Memorial Tablet on the triangular piece of ground at the intersection of Brookline boulevard, Chelton avenue and Queensboro avenue, owned by the City of Pittsburgh, in commemoration of the boys who have been called into the service of the late World War.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Baugh presented

No. 3633. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to W. G. Jones for Lot No. 5 in Mrs. E. F. Denny's Estate, located on Paulowna street, Sixth ward, upon the payment of \$475.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3634. Resolution providing for the settlement of all claims against Jas. H. McQuaide Company upon the payment of the sum of \$1,000.00 into the City Treasury arising out of the contract for the improvement of Wabash street from Park way to South Main street; South Main street from West Carson street to Alexander street; Neptune street from Wabash street to Mill street, and the streets and alleys affected by the improvement of the same under Ordinance of Councils No. 10, Series 1911-1912, approved April 20, 1911, and also in full settlement of all claims and demands of the City of Pittsburgh against said Company arising out of the work of improving said streets or money expended therefor, and all liability of the said Jas. H. McQuaide Company under said contract, as well as all liability of the surety upon the bond

accompanying same shall thereupon cease and determine absolutely; provided, however, that said sum of \$1,000.00 shall be paid into the City Treasury within fifteen days from date of approval of this resolution.

Also

No. 3635. An Ordinance amending Line 4, Section 87, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Light, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 3636. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John T. Clark, auto truck driver in the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, for \$203.50 for time lost on account of injuries received while in the performance of his duties, and charging same to Appropriation No. —.

Also

No. 3637. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to W. G. Jones for a piece of property located on Quarry street, Seventeenth ward, upon the payment of \$300.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3638. Petition of property owners for the extension and opening of Superior avenue, from Stayton street to Brighton road.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3639. An Ordinance granting unto the Colonial Ice Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a reinforced concrete water well under South Seventeenth street at a point one hundred and seventy-five (175') feet northward on the western side of said street from the northerly building line of Muriel street in the Seventeenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of obtaining sufficient condensing water to supply ice plants.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

The Chair presented

No. 3640. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of William Stone for the sum of \$429.75, in payment of hospital and doctor bills incurred as the result of injuries received while undergoing a physical test for position as patrolman in the

City of Pittsburgh, upon the execution and delivery by said William Stone of a release of all claims for damages against the City by reason of said injuries, and charging same to Appropriation No. —.

Also
No. 3641. Communication from Samuel Kalb, regarding his offer of \$100.00 for lot on Lawn street.

Also
No. 3642. Communication from International Molders Union No. 46 endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also
No. 3643. Communication from Stevenson & Foster Company employees endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also
No. 3644. Communication from the Business Men's Association of the East North Side endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also
No. 3645. Communication from Patrick H. Dixon protesting against the passage of the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also
No. 3646. Communication from F. L. Blair protesting against the passage of the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also
No. 3647. Communication from E. S. Morrow, City Controller, transmitting copy of opinion from Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow regarding leasing of the Exposition Buildings.

Also
No. 3648. Communication from the American Association of Engineers, Pittsburgh, Chapter, regarding the salaries to be paid employees in the Engineering Bureau, Department of Public Works.

Also
No. 3649. Communication from the Chamber of Commerce asking that certain recreational facilities be provided on Sunday for the people of Pittsburgh.

Also
No. 3650. Report of the Department of Public Health showing the removal of garbage and rubbish during the month of September, 1919, and the month of September, 1918.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also
No. 3651. Petition for the resurfacing with asphalt of Frankstown

avenue between Penn avenue and Hamilton avenue.

Also
No. 3652. Communication from the Spring Hill Board of Trade transmitting petition of residents and property owners for the opening and temporary improvement of Yetta avenue.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also
No. 3653. Communication from John C. Innes protesting against the vacation of Lily street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also
No. 3654.
Pittsburgh, Pa., October 13, 1919.
And to the Honorable City Council,
President of the City Council,
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
And to the Honorable City Council,
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Gentlemen—We, the undersigned residents and citizens of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and Allegheny County, on behalf of organized labor and its one hundred thousand and more members and citizens, and by their authority do hereby complain to your honorable body touching and concerning the conduct of police officials, magistrates, deputies and others given authority to arrest and apprehend strikers in your city and confine them to jails and take them to various courts, and set forth the following:

That since September 22, 1919, there has existed in Pittsburgh and vicinity what is known as the steel mill workers' strike;

That since said strike, the various police officials and magistrates have shown a willful disposition of partiality and unfairness against the strikers and all union men, and have exhibited such partiality and unfairness by means of unlawful and illegal arrests and violations of duty and a disregard of every legal right and guarantee; that men and women are arrested at all hours of the night, taken from their beds without opportunity for dressing, or being informed as to the nature of the charge, thrown into jail, abused and mistreated while confined, taken before magistrates, given excessive fines without hearings; held to court without evidence or hearing on excessive bail, all as it seems, with the one purpose of assisting and aiding in the defeat and the breaking of the strike.

That your Mayor, Director of Public Safety, and Chief of Police, have arbitrarily denied organized labor the

holding of meetings in the usual and ordinary places; that same is, in the opinion of your petitioners and complainants, done with the intention of discrimination against organized labor, and not in the interest of law and order;

That regularly constituted business meetings of labor unions duly chartered, are intruded and trespassed upon by police officers directed to and do sit in said meetings, and the compelling of such meetings in their presence;

That the undersigned are ready to submit abundant evidence by witnesses to substantiate each and every charge aforesaid;

That we complain to your honorable body and petition you to give this matter due and speedy hearing, and that you thoroughly consider the charges to be presented in order that you may deal with same in such manner as you may consider proper;

That your petitioners ask for no consideration other than that which should be accorded to every resident of Pittsburgh, regardless of race, color or citizenship, that is, that the authorities uphold the law in the interests of justice to all, and not in the violation for the benefit of some.

Respectfully submitted,

H. K. HOOK,

President, Pittsburgh Central Labor Union.

F. P. HANAWAY,

Secretary, Pittsburgh Central Labor Union.

S. R. TARNER,

Chairmen, Brotherhood Railroad Trainmen, Central Committee.

JOS. H. DUTY,

President, Building Trades Council.

WM. H. LYONS,

Secretary, Building Trades Council.

E. F. WELSH,

President—Chairman of Board of Business Agents for Pittsburgh Building Trades Council.

PHILLIP MURRAY,

President, District 5, United Mine Workers of America.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the communication be referred to the Mayor and the Department of Law.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President, I would like to raise the question under what rule is it to be referred to the Mayor and the Department of Law. Under our rules it should be referred to the Committee on Public Safety, where it would be deter-

mined what action, if any, we would take.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, the members of Council are present and we can take action now. My motion is not without precedent. I made the motion in good faith that it be referred to the Mayor and the Department of Law. This matter properly comes under the jurisdiction of the Mayor and it should be submitted to him for his action.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, I am opposed to the motion for the reason that it is a petition for a hearing. The petition sets forth certain things, the truth of which we know nothing. It has always been the policy of this Council ever since its inception to grant a hearing to any group of citizens or individuals who felt they had a grievance or just cause for complaint. Without regard to the merit or demerit of the complaint, or without any regard for the question involved in the situation, I think when a petition for a hearing is presented to us, it is no more than fair and equitable that the request should be granted.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, it is not a request for a hearing, and I submit that it is absolutely without our jurisdiction to take action on it.

The Chair:

Are there any further remarks? If not, the question is on the motion to refer the communication to the Mayor and the Department of Law.

Upon which motion Mr. Garland demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Henderson
Garland	Rauh

Noes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—4.

Noes—4.

The motion did not prevail.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Upon which motion Mr. Garland demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.
English McArdle
Herron (President) Winters

Noes—Messrs.
Dailey Henderson
Garland Rauh

Ayes—4.

Noes—4.

The motion did not prevail.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, I desire to inquire if any further action can be taken on the matter at this meeting.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, is there anything before us? The gentleman is out of order.

The Chair:

The gentleman is in order until such time as we know what his question will be. Proceed, Mr. Winters.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, I desire to ask you if another motion on this subject would be in order.

The Chair:

The thing to do is to receive the communication and refer it to the committee in the usual way.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, you have already disposed of that question; you cannot refer it to any committee.

Mr. Winters moved

That the request for a hearing be granted and that the time be set for 3.00 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, October 16, 1919, and that the Mayor, the Director of the Department of Public Safety and the Superintendent of Police be invited to attend this hearing.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, on that motion I would like to put something on the record. I will not be here Thursday as I had made arrangements to go away with my wife tomorrow (Wednesday) evening. If I were to be in the city I perhaps would not come to the meeting. I saw an article in this morning's paper that this subject would come up, and I desire to put myself on record as being opposed to this hearing. I am speaking on the motion.

I protest against the suggested hearing for the reason that this Council has no jurisdiction whatsoever.

Should there be any charges against the Department of Public Safety or against Police Magistrates, same should be preferred in writing with specific

charges, showing wherein law and order have not been maintained.

This is no time for the legislative body of the City to lend itself to the propaganda which is being carried on in certain manufacturing districts throughout the country, said propaganda being generally along radical lines tending to Communism and Revolution.

The question of unionism is not involved—The question is rather—Are the industries of our country to be subjected to the rule of radicals and revolutionaries who are doing their utmost to incite trouble among unnaturalized foreigners? As I understand it, the great majority of patriotic Americans are now at work, and have no sympathy with such movements.

The United States Senate has the matter in hand, and the law-making body of the City of Pittsburgh should keep hands off.

I therefore vote No on the motion.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, I have no prepared remarks, but I also want to go on record in a way that this just comes to me at this time without any preparation.

I have full confidence in the Mayor of this city in his ability to handle the situation. He is vested with power by law to handle the situation and I know that there is not one member of Council, at least myself, who wants to in any shape or form usurp the power of the Chief Executive of the City, but I do want to go on record to the effect that when a body of citizens represented by the number of men who signed this petition come to Council and ask for a hearing, I for one will vote for that hearing being granted. I want to say further that as a Councilman and a public official I represent all the people of Pittsburgh and that I represent them as fully as I can according to my light and according to law.

If the United States Senate could send a committee to the City of Pittsburgh to hear these complaints, surely I as a member of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh can also afford to hear their complaints. On the question of the merit or demerit of the complaint, and on the question of the things alleged, they will be developed at the hearing, and I don't want to put myself on record as judging a case before the evidence has been presented, and I hold my mind open to hear the evidence.

I have heard some things said about one of the Police Magistrates who is one of my best friends and during the hearing on these complaints I will see that no injustice is done him, and on the other hand, if he has abused his

power as a Police Magistrate, and it could be proven to me, I surely would not defend such proceeding. I am mindful of the fact, also, that the Police Magistrates are appointed by the Mayor and can be removed only by the Mayor; and if the things as alleged in this petition are true, Council would only have the power of making a recommendation to the Mayor to take such course as he saw fit. That is the stand I take in this matter.

I don't want at this time (having worked with men all my life and living in a district composed almost entirely of workingmen) to put myself on record for the first time of denying a hearing to men who represent the working people of Pittsburgh.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

I want to say, Mr. President, that where the gentleman lives more good American citizens are working today than those out on strike. Let him remember that! There will be more good Americans back at work the first of next week if this Council does not butt in and disturb the situation. This matter does not belong to Council. Why don't these men take the matter up with the Mayor? Didn't you take a delegation to the Mayor the other day?

The Chair:

Yes.

Mr. Garland:

This matter properly comes under the jurisdiction of the Mayor. This is a law-making body, and we have nothing to do with the matter.

The Chair:

The gentlemen, some of whose names appear on this communication, were so informed of that. They said that they had read in the papers where people had been given a hearing before Council regarding rent profiteering, food profiteering and other subjects, and they had a right also to come here and protest. Personally, I am in favor of granting the hearing as requested. That is no more than fair; we should grant their request.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, I want to say further that in my judgment it is unfair to allow a biased body of men to come here when the matter is in the hands of the United States Senate. I don't want Mr. Foster, Mr. Morrison, or the Socialist lawyer from Milwaukee to come here.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, it seems to me we are debating the steel strike. I don't think it is within the province of anyone to

speak for labor exclusively, and on the other hand, I don't think any member of Council should attempt to speak exclusively for the steel manufacturers.

I believe it is my duty as a councilman to vote to give any body of citizens a hearing when same is requested. This has always been the attitude of Council, and I don't believe we should change our policy at this time.

I have not had any interviews with the leaders of organized labor and did not know anything about this petition until it was presented to Council this afternoon. The matter comes to me new and comes to me in the form of a petition in which certain people ask for a hearing.

By granting their request, we are merely following the plan adopted by the United States Senate committee which was in Pittsburgh within the last few days. If this august body could hear these petitioners, we as the representatives of all the people of Pittsburgh should at least listen to them. I don't believe it is the duty of any member of Council to deprive these men a hearing, particularly when these men who signed this petition are citizens of Pittsburgh, and have as much voting power as I do. They are citizens of this country the same as I.

I don't believe it is right for me because I at this moment happen to be a member of Council and these gentlemen members of labor organizations to deprive them of a hearing.

Some of them are sore at me because I did not vote to override the Mayor's veto on the labor ordinance which was before Council a few months ago. They adopted resolutions condemning me but did not condemn other members of Council who happened to be present at the meeting and voted to sustain the Mayor's veto. However, I don't let that worry me. It is my duty to face every matter fairly and squarely and not be influenced by outside matters.

I don't believe those who favor this hearing should be accused of condoning the actions of the Bolsheviks, the I. W. W.'s and Anarchists in this district. Neither should we condemn these men petitioning for this hearing as men belonging to this class of unpatriotic citizens. The merits or demerits of the steel strike are not before us in the request for a hearing. The question is: Shall we give a group of labor leaders a hearing and listen to what they have to say. However, I don't want them to think that I am going to prejudge their case; neither do I want the steel manufacturers to think that I am going to prejudge the case against them.

It seems to me that we must not break the record of Council by refusing to hear any responsible body of citizens who come here with a petition ask-

ing to be heard. We may not be able to do a single thing to relieve their complaint, but at the same time we may be able to do much. I am in favor of giving them a hearing.

Mr. Bauh arose and said:

Mr. President, I am going to vote against granting Mr. Foster a hearing. This is the first time since I have been a member of Council that I have refused to give any person or group of individuals a hearing. My reason is this: I don't propose to have anything to do with men who are headed by William Z. Foster. He has charge of the present campaign to organize the iron and steel workers, and has much to do with the asking of this hearing.

I have in my hand a copy of the pamphlet written by Mr. Foster on "Syndicalism" and would ask that it be put in the record if there are no objections. I will not vote to give a hearing to any man or body of men who will entertain such views as Mr. Foster does. I am too much of an American citizen to entertain such views.

The Chair:

No, no! Don't ask that that pamphlet be made a part of our record. Mr. Foster has nothing to do with this petition, directly or indirectly. It is simply a complaint of representatives of the Iron City Central Trades Council of this vicinity.

Mr. Bauh arose and said:

Mr. President, if the hearing is granted the author of this book will be brought in.

The Chair:

If that is all that is worrying you, Mr. Bauh, we will see that he is not brought in.

Mr. Bauh:

As an American citizen I am going to vote against the motion.

The Chair:

I will show you that I am a better American citizen than you by ruling to keep that pamphlet out of the record.

Mr. Bauh:

Well, I am surely ashamed to have such an un-American document placed on the records of this Council, and I shall withdraw my request to have it placed there.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, I want to say finally that there is no question of Americanism at stake. If there is, I want to say that I am just as good an American as any other member of Council. I don't know anything about Mr. Foster

personally or his radical theories. Mr. Foster has been heard by the Senate of the United States, and no one can say that that is not a patriotic body.

Men are known to change their views. The President of the United States is known to have changed his mind on many great questions. The professor at Princeton who said that Chinese coolie labor was far superior to the American labor, I believe, has changed his mind. That is one of the inherent rights of man to change his mind.

I know also that men 10 or 15 years ago who were called extreme radicals are today accepted as the most liberal minded.

I will not allow any question of Americanism, Socialism, Boishivism or any other kind of ism to enter into this argument to detract me from my duty of granting these men a hearing.

This is a request for a hearing on petition alleging abuse of power on the part of the Police Department and of police magistrates, and is signed by men representing all that we know to be representative of organized labor in this community. My motion is that a hearing be granted.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President, I just want to say that Mr. Winters has knocked down the last man of straw that has been set up in connection with this matter. He said quite truly that this is a very ordinary thing now before Council—a request of men who set out their names and their business upon a petition and ask for a hearing. We find ourselves in this position because some members of Council refuse to follow the ordinary course laid down in our rules, that petitions of this kind should be sent to committee where it may be determined what disposition should be made of the question. They insist upon action being taken today.

I am very glad to be able, as one member of Council, to support this motion to grant a hearing upon a petition from reputable citizens of Pittsburgh who are asking for an opportunity to present certain things that they have complaint against affecting the question of the operation of a certain branch of the municipal government.

The Chair:

Are there any further remarks? If not, the question is on the motion of Mr. Winters, that a hearing be granted the petitioners on Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, and that the Mayor, the Director of the Department of Public Safety and the Superintendent of Police be invited to be present. All in favor of the motion will give their consent by saying Aye; those opposed, No.

Mr. Garland demanded a call of the

ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken, and were.

Ayes—Messrs.

English McArdle
Herron (President) Winters

Noes—Messrs.

Dalley Henderson
Garland Rauh

Ayes—4.

Noes—4.

The motion did not prevail.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President, may I ask the status of the communication?

The Chair:

The petition is now before Council and no action having been taken it lies on the table.

Also

No. 3655. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to execute a lease with the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society for buildings and premises known as the Exposition Buildings, located on Duquesne way, City of Pittsburgh, and fixing the term and rental thereof, for the purpose of a City Garage, for City storage and other lawful purposes.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3656. Arlington Park Terrace laid out by the Pittsburgh-St. Clair Realty Company, Sixteenth ward, Pittsburgh, and St. Clair borough, and the dedication of Arlington avenue, Foley street, Kozell street, Plave street, Pluso street, Zaruba street, Kordecki way and Krakow way shown thereon.

Also

No. 3657. An Ordinance approving the "Arlington Park Terrace" plan of lots, in the Sixteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by Pittsburgh-St. Clair Realty Company, accepting the dedication of Arlington avenue, Foley street, Kozell street, Plave street, Pluso street, Zaruba street, Kordecki way and Krakow way, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3658. Report of the Committee on Finance for October 7, 1919.

transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3593. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 59, Bureau of Deed Registry, Department of Public Works, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley Herron (President)
English McArdle
Garland Rauh
Henderson Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3594. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 2 of an Ordinance No. 104, entitled, 'An Ordinance creating and establishing a Division in the Bureau of Engineering under the control and direction of the Director of the Department of Public Works, to be known as the Division of Parks and Playgrounds, providing for and fixing the number of employees and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved April 24, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3595. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Sections 52, 53, 55, 56, 57 and 58 of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919, and as amended by Ordinances Nos. 20, 103, 106 and 189, approved February 6, April 22, April 24, and June 26, 1919, respectively, so as to provide additional employees in the Bureau of Engineering."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3586. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation

No. 52-M, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 42-7, The Women's Employment Committee of the Council of National Defense, the sum of \$6,000.00, for the purpose of paying current expenses for the balance of the year, payments not to exceed \$2,000.00 per month.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second time.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, I am heartily in accord with the work being done by the Woman's Employment Bureau of the Council of National Defense and believe they should receive some help from the City to carry on their activity; but I am opposed to the Council transferring money from the Standardization Fund for this purpose when there is money available in other funds from which this money could be taken. I don't want my vote on this particular bill to be construed that I am opposed to the Women's Employment Bureau; but inasmuch as the money is to be taken from the Standardization Fund (which I have opposed since the first raid on this fund), I deem it my duty to submit my reasons why I vote no on this resolution. I therefore desire to be recorded as voting No.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, I want to be recorded as voting No for substantially the same reason as advanced by my colleague, Mr. English.

And the resolution was read a third time, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
Garland	McArdle
Henderson	Rauh

Noes—Messrs.

English	Winters
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Ayes—6.

Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3574. Resolution authorizing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$329.74 from the General Fund of Code Account 1592½, Structural and Non-structural Improvements at the North Side Market, to contract No. 827.

Sheet Metal Work at the North Side Market.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3575. Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the aggregate sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) from Code Account No. 1491 General Repaving, Division of Street, Bureau of Engineering, and to credit same to certain other code accounts in the Bureau of Engineering, in the respective amounts set forth, to-wit:

\$ 650.00	to Code Account No. 1415, Supplies, General Office.
600.00	to Code Account No. 1421, Wages, Regular Employees, Division of Surveys.
200.00	to Code Account No. 1430, Supplies, Division of Design.
350.00	to Code Account No. 1448, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Bridges.
200.00	to Code Account No. 1450, Miscellaneous Service, Division of Bridges.
250.00	to Code Account No. 1459, Miscellaneous Services, Bridge Repairs, City Force.
50.00	to Code Account No. 1466, Miscellaneous Services, Bridge Repainting, City Force.
300.00	to Code Account No. 1472, Miscellaneous Services, Division of Sewers.
400.00	to Code Account No. 1484, Miscellaneous Services, Division of Streets.

\$3,000.00—Total.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3589. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Appropriation 1240, Salaries, Regular Employees, to Appropriation 1241, Wages, Temporary Employees, Bureau of Child Welfare, Department of Public Health.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3590. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the following sums, amounting in the aggregate to \$175.00 (\$85.00 from Code Account No. 1801-C, Supplies, and \$90.00 from Code Account No. 1803-E, Repairs) to the following Code Accounts as divided.

\$125.00	to Code Account No. 1800-B, Miscellaneous Services;
50.00	to Code Account No. 1802-D, Materials.

\$175.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3357. Resolution exonerating and discharging the property of W. B. Mason from the benefit assessment of \$616.13 charged against it for sewerage on Piado way, in Viewers' Report at No. 123 July Term, 1919, Docket "C", Court of Common Pleas, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3358. Resolution exonerating and discharging property of Timothy Golden from the benefit assessment of \$230.33 charged against said property for the construction of a sewer on Piado way, in Viewers' Report at No. 123 July Term, 1919, Docket "C" in the Court of Common Pleas, Allegheny County, Pa.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3360. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Patrick McQuillan on property at 16½ Boone way, Third ward, on account of charge for water in the sum of \$20.99, being one-half of the excess of the meter rate over the former flat rate.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3372. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Annie Walosky on property at 224 Lombard street, Third ward, on account of charges for water in the sum of \$120.78, being 50 per cent of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3224. Resolution exonerating and exempting Edwin Miles and Sarah E. Miles from assessment of \$254.10 and interest, for the grading, paving and curbing of Rockledge street, now part of Romanhoff street, and directing the City Solicitor not to file any lien on account thereof.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3335. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for Lots Nos. 149 and 150 in Robert Robb's Plan, located on Corfu street, Twentieth ward, to Louis Stanley, of No. 3 Corfu street, for the sum of \$150.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended,

the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3431. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for Lot No. 32 in Clifford B. Harman's Plan, located on Beltzhoover avenue, Eighteenth ward, to George M. Demorest, for the sum of \$539.44.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3534. Resolution amending Resolution No. 383, approved by the Mayor July 31, 1919, recorded in Resolution Book, vol. 4, page 393, authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to satisfy certain municipal liens filed against property of Sterling Land Company in the Fourteenth ward, relative to Bond in the sum of \$5,000.00 to be filed by said Sterling Land Company conditioned on the erection of certain houses by said company.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and

third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3338. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lot No. 304 in John Runnette Plan of Lincoln Park, Twelfth ward, (same to be cleared of taxes and municipal liens or claims,) to Herman Ross, for the sum of \$275.00.

In Finance Committee, October 7, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the words "same to be cleared of taxes and municipal liens or claims," and by striking out "\$275.00" and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$350.00", and as amended ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3430. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of Anna Stratton in the sum of \$27.49, being the difference be-

tween the meter and flat rates for the six months ending April 17, 1919, on account of leaking hydrant on premises at 336-38 Linoleum street, Sixth ward.

In Finance Committee, October 7, 1919. Read and amended by striking out "\$27.49" and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$11.56," and as amended ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3359. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration for water rent on property of Daniel O'Donnell, located at 1105 Jewel street, for the last quarter of 1918, amounting to \$8.20, being one-half of the amount of the metered rate over the former flat rate on said premises.

In Finance Committee, October 7, 1919, read and amended by striking out "\$8.20," and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$6.40," and as amended ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3588. Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:—

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
W. S. Brown	\$ 329.00	1808
W. W. Lawrence & Company	865.99	1468
W. W. Lawrence & Company	3.25	1656
Pgh. Gage & Supply Co.	763.06	1556
Rosedale Fdry. & Mach. Company	2,442.15	1656
A. G. Spalding & Bro.	331.00	1808
Watson Painter Company	2,240.33	1468

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3591. Resolution au-

thorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Conrad Doench, Registered Plumber of 841 Columbus avenue, for the sum of \$55.03, in payment of claim for extending the sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line at 2212 Holyoke street (extra work being necessary on account of data given to said Doench by the Division of Public Utilities being incorrect), and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. English presented

No. 3659. Report of the Committee on Public Works for October 7, 1919, transmitting several resolutions to council.

Which were read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3570. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of E. M. Hill for \$6,708.80, and the Bruckman Lumber Company for \$1,706.70, in payment of lumber furnished for making emergency repairs to boardwalks and steps; the said amounts to be payable from Appropriation No. 1540-D. Materials, Boardwalks and Steps.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3571. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of M. O'Herron Co. for \$100.00, for extra work done on the Ethel street sewer contract, and charging the same to Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, item, "Ethel street sewer, Contract No. 830."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3592. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Morgan Bros. in the amount of \$749.74, in payment for extra work in installation of sheet metal work in connection with the new heating system at the North Side Market, and charging same to Code Account 1592½. Structural and Non-structural Improvements to the North Side Market.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3660. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for October 7, 1919, transmitting two ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3516. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a switch siding across an unnamed street located between the B. & O. right-of-way and Preble avenue south of Ontario street, Twenty-seventh ward, City of Pittsburgh, said track to be located at a point approximately eighty-five (85') feet and four (4") inches south of Ontario street, for the purpose of conveying material etc., to the property of the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3606. An Ordinance

entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade of Nimick Place, from Oakwood street to Allison street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 3661. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for October 7, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3569. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charging the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$ 878.33	1160
John D. Singley	15.00	1147

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3662. Report of the Committee on Health and Sanitation for October 7, 1919, transmitting several Ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3582. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Health for the collection, removal and disposal of rubbish and garbage within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh for a period of one, two, three or four years from January 1, 1920."

In Health and Sanitation Committee, October 7, 1919, read and amended by inserting in the blank space in section one the words "October 7, 1919," and as amended ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

That the amendment of the Health and Sanitation Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. Rauh arose and said:

Mr. President, I am in favor of this ordinance because it affords an opportunity for competitive bidding for the collection, removal and disposal of rubbish and garbage from the residences in Pittsburgh. Under the provisions of this ordinance outside contractors are given an opportunity to bid for this work because of the long term for which they can collect the rubbish and garbage. Under a one-year contract no outside

contractors would want to accept the contract.

Because this ordinance allows competitive bidding for the work I am going to vote for it. I wish to be so recorded.

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3583. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the enclosing of all the porches at the Tuberculosis Hospital, Leech Farm, Twelfth ward, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third reading; and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time, and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3584. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance prohibiting the

placing and accumulating of rubbish, ashes, fallen trees or parts thereof, old vehicles and offensive material of any character in dwellings, buildings, streets, lanes, alleys, yards or vacant ground in the City of Pittsburgh, and providing penalties for the violation hereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3663. Resolved, That the Bureau of Investigation furnish Council with a tabulated alphabetical statement showing names of organizations and individuals who have informed Council as to their attitude regarding the Daylight Saving Ordinance now in Council, showing approximately how many men are for and against.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3664. Whereas, The North Side Board of Trade holds an option on a certain piece of land in the Twenty-first ward of the City of Pittsburgh, between Western avenue and Page street, containing about 90,000 square feet, and said option was procured and taken by the said North Side Board of Trade entirely for the benefit of the public and in the public interest; it being the opinion of the officers and members of the said body that the piece

of ground covered by the option is the best adapted and cheapest piece of ground that can be obtained on the North Side for recreation purposes, and that it is in the public interest that the municipality secure said land for public use; and

Whereas, The said Board of Trade have appeared before a committee of Council and explained the status of the case, among other things the fact that the said option expires on the 25th day of October, 1919, and it is doubtful whether the present owners will renew the option to the officers of the North Side Board, and from the fact that it will be necessary for the city to hold a survey of all the various locations submitted to Council for recreation purposes and to proceed in a legal and me-

thodical manner, which cannot be done prior to the expiration of the said option, to-wit: on the 25th day of October, 1919; Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to enter into an agreement in the nature of an option with the owners of the said tract of land for a period of ninety (90) days, beginning on the 25th day of October, 1919.

Which was read.

Mr Henderson moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And there being no further business before the meeting, the Chair declared

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, October 20, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

The **Chair** stated that as there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Tuesday, October 14, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the minutes of Council for Tuesday, October 14, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 3665. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Harry Feldman for \$682.00, being amount of fees due him as Vehicle License Collector on amount of fees collected by him during the month of March, 1918, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3666. An Ordinance authorizing the employment of one (1) additional clerk at the Tuberculosis Hospital, Leech Farm, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, Department of Public Health, and fixing the compensation of same.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. English presented

No. 3667. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$6 250.00 from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to other code accounts in the Bureau of Engineering, as follows:

\$ 350.00	to Code Account No. 1449, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Bridges.
1,900.00	to Code Account No. 1471, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Sewers.
4,000.00	to Code Account No. 1483, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Streets.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3668. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Henry P. Haas Agency in the sum of \$129.57 for earned premiums on certain fire insurance policies covering buildings leased by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers on Tunnel street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1522, Miscellaneous Services, Cleaning Highways, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Also

No. 3669. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Sutherland street, from points about 20 feet east of Huxley street and 20 feet west of Universal street to the existing sewer on Sutherland street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed again and collected

from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3670. Communication from Grote & Grote asking that an alley be opened extending from Wightman street to Negley avenue, parallel with Wilkins avenue, along the rear of the lots fronting on Wilkins avenue.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3671. Petition of property owners of Shalerville and Lower Mt. Washington, Twentieth ward, asking that the transfer service line known as No. 33 be made permanent by the Pittsburgh Railways Company.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3672. An Ordinance fixing the salaries of the Sanitary Policemen and Supervisors of Sanitation employed by the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 3673. An Ordinance amending Line 1, Section 46, Department of Charities, City Home and Hospital, Mayview, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 3674. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Carnegie Steel Company for \$1,000.00 for supplies contracted for by the Department of Supplies, and charging same to Code Account No. 1461.

Also

No. 3675. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of Joseph P. Reed for \$76.93, Joseph Wagman, Fannie Sakon and Mary Robins for \$71.80, being a refund of one-third of the 1919 City Taxes paid by them respectively on properties in the Fifth ward, purchased from them by the City of Pittsburgh, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3676. Communication from Geo. J. Kipper endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3677. Communication from the Langwood Club endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3678. Communication from

Heeren Bros. & Co. endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3679. Communication from the Electric League of Pittsburgh endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3680. Petition for the resurfacing of Cypress street, Eighth ward.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3681. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the W. N. Sauer Plumbing Company for the sum of \$153.54, for extending the sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line at 1526 Valmont street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3682. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Wadsworth Stone & Paving Company in the sum of \$3.00, being for return of fee paid to the Treasurer of the City of Pittsburgh, July 21, 1919, for permit for alterations to building at No. 5864 Baum boulevard, the intent and purpose of which was to convert the same into a public garage; and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3683. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company in the sum of \$4,157.98, refunding overpayment of water rent on property located at River avenue, Isabella street, Second avenue and Elizabeth street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes and Water Rents.

Also

No. 3684. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuade & Sons for the sum of \$5,991.92, plus interest for nine months at six (6) per cent., or a total of \$6,261.56, for furnishing labor and material in laying water line to supply water to the Mesta Machine Company and other plants in the City (this being at the request of the Munitions Department of the United States Government), and charging same to Appropriation No. 190, Water Loan Bonds.

Also

No. 3685. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer

\$4,000.00 from Code Account No. 1662, "Miscellaneous Services," to Code Account No. 1664, "Materials," Distribution Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Also
No. 3686. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$560.00 from Appropriation No. 41, Refunds of Taxes and Water Rents, to Appropriation No. 1066, Equipment, Department of the City Treasurer.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also
No. 3687. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of S. R. Carse, Public Works Inspector in the Bureau of Engineering, for the sum of \$31.97, for expense incurred in the inspection of lumber before and during process of creosoting at the plant of the Ohio Wood Preserving Company at Orrville, Ohio, which material was required for use in carrying out Contract No. 2, for the reflooring of the California Avenue Bridge over Woods Run, and charging same to Code Account No. 1459-B, Miscellaneous Services, Bridge Repairs, Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 3688. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to John M. Fanning for a triangular lot in the Twenty-seventh ward for the sum of \$75.00.

Also

No. 3689. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$6,500.00 to Code Account No. 1224, Supplies, Tuberculosis Hospital, from the following Codes: \$1,800.00 from Code Account No. 1219, Salaries, Regular Employees, Tuberculosis Hospital; \$700.00 from Code Account 1262, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Plumbing and House Drainage, and \$4,000.00 from Code Account No. 1269, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Housing and Sanitary Inspection, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health.

Also

No. 3690. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Dravo-Doyle Company for \$526.00 and charging same to Appropriation No. 1656; and a warrant in favor of Speck-Marshall Company for \$515.20, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1655, for supplies con-

tracted for by the Department of Supplies.

Also

No. 3691. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of W. S. Brown for \$1,191.49, in payment of claim for supplies contracted for by the Department of Supplies, and charging same to Code Account No. 1156.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3692. An Ordinance authorizing the purchase from Stewart H. Clapp and Walter F. Hawkins, Executors of the Estate of Mary S. R. Clapp, deceased, of certain lots or pieces of ground, situate in the Twenty-first ward, City of Pittsburgh, formerly Fifth ward of City of Allegheny, for the sum of seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000.00), and making appropriation therefor.

Also

No. 3693. An Ordinance authorizing the purchase from Mary E. Thuerer of forty-five lots, or pieces of land, situate in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, providing for the consideration therefore and making an appropriation for the payment therefor.

Also

No. 3694. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Park Roadway Improvement Bonds, 1919, the sum of \$50,000.00 for the purpose of improving the roadways in Riverview Park.

Also

No. 3695. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for enlarging, repairing and improving Lake Elizabeth and otherwise improving West Park, and authorizing the setting aside of \$94,000.00 from the proceeds of West Park Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 200, for the payment of the costs thereof.

Also

No. 3696. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of West Park Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 200, the sum of \$5,000.00 for the payment of Engineering, Expenses, including salaries supplies, materials and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3697. Petition for the vacation of a strip of land or street 9.96 feet wide lying aside the northwesterly side of Wapello street, in the Twenty-seventh ward, at its intersection with Goe avenue.

Also

No. 3698. An Ordinance vacating a portion of Wapello street at its intersection with Goe avenue, in the Twenty-seventh ward.

Also

No. 3699. An Ordinance accepting the dedication of certain property in the Twenty-seventh ward for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same Complete street and establishing the grade thereof.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3700. An Ordinance fixing the salary of laborers, drivers, repairmen, truckmen and stablemen in the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 3701. An Ordinance fixing the salaries or wages of bridge patrolmen in the Bureau of Police, Department of Public Safety.

Also

No. 3702. An Ordinance providing for the making of a contract or contracts for the laying of water pipe lines for the betterment of the water supply service in various sections of the City.

Also

No. 3703. Resolution authorizing the City Solicitor to satisfy and discontinue the lien filed at M. L. D. No. 18, January Term, 1913, for \$66.10 against the Pittsburgh Realty Company for the grading, paving and curbing of Sherwood street (which property has been conveyed to Katy Bell Davidson, Trustee for the Woman's Club of Sheridan), and charging the cost to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3704. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John Eichleay Jr. Company for the sum of \$2,470.69 for emergency work done in underpinning, shoring and bracing Alexis street and houses in the immediate vicinity thereof, and also for wrecking one house, all of which were affected by a landslip caused by the grading of Alexis street, and

charging same to Code Account No. 1491-B, General Repaving, Division of Street, Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The Chair presented

No. 3705. An Ordinance authorizing the purchase by the City of Pittsburgh from the Methodist Episcopal Church Union of Pittsburgh, a corporation, of a tract or piece of land situate in the Second Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and making an appropriation for the payment therefor.

Also

No. 3706. Communication from the Federation of Civic Bodies of the North Side asking that a shelter house and comfort station be erected at the corner of Chestnut and Ohio streets, and indorsing the proposition to purchase the property known as the old Salt Works for playground purposes, and endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3707. Petition of Animal Keepers in the Highland Park Zoo, Bureau of Parks, for an increase in salary.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3708. Communication from the American Legion of Allegheny County asking that the triangular piece of property bounded by Brighton Road, Davis and Shadeland avenues, be named "Legion Park."

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

WAR CAMP COMMUNITY SERVICE.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

October 14, 1919.

Honoral John S. Herron, President,
and Members of City Council,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen—I am instructed by the Pittsburgh Board of War Camp Community Service to advise Council that upon October 31 next, W. C. C. S. will withdraw from the operation of the Pittsburgh Soldiers and Sailors Club. Arrangements have been made to turn over to the Pittsburgh Committee appointed by the Mayor the property and organization of the Club upon that date.

This action is in accordance with the decision of the National authorities of War Camp Community Service to ter-

minate at that time the functions of the service throughout the country except in some minor instances and in certain special localities.

In bringing to a close the operations here, our Board desires to express to Council its appreciation of the spirit of co-operation manifested in various ways by the members in assisting in our work of caring for, and entertaining the soldiers, sailors and marines to whose welfare War Camp Community Service was devoted. The creation and equipment of the Pittsburgh Soldiers and Sailors Club was an especially important instance of this and its establishment through Council's initiative resulted in our having in Pittsburgh one of the best of these Clubs in the entire country. It met a great need and since its opening Christmas Day, 1918, it has dispensed good cheer to over 210,000 boys of whom 21,000 also occupied the dormitory.

The activities of the W. C. C. S. in Pittsburgh have been effective in all departments and our City and its citizens have cordially and energetically supported them. Because of this patriotic assistance and loyal co-operation, the work has come to a most successful conclusion—the necessity of its continuance being happily past—and the Board is glad to record that Pittsburgh in War Camp Community Service as in all other war time activities, stands among the leaders.

Yours very truly,

J. D. HAILMAN,

Chairman, W. C. C. S. Board.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3710. Communication from the Women's Employment Service Bureau of the United States Employment Service, submitting a statement of the work accomplished by it since its financial support was assumed by the City of Pittsburgh on March 22, 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3711. Communication from Fred Bleicke, 3354 Ajax street, complaining of a portable garage obstructing an alley located on the north side of Ridgeway street between Herron avenue and Hancock street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3712. Report of the Committee on Finance for October 15, 1919, transmitting an Ordinance and several resolutions to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3403. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending line 4, Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3616. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety to execute in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, a release to E. J. Schenck from any and all liability to the City of Pittsburgh under the Workmen's Compensation Law, on account of injuries to Policeman P. E. Dixon, who was struck by an automobile owned by said E. J. Schenck on June 4, 1919, upon payment to the City of Pittsburgh of the sum of \$65.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.
Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3623. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the following amounts:

\$2,500.00	from Code Account No. 1348, Wages, Regular Employees.
850.00	from Code Account No. 1348, Wages, Regular Employees.
250.00	from Code Account No. 1353, Equipment.
600.00	from Code Account No. 1348, Wages, Regular Employees.
900.00	from Code Account No. 1348, Wages, Regular Employees.

\$5,100.00

To the	following Code Accounts:
\$2,500.00	to Code Account No. 1347, Salaries, Regular Employees.
850.00	to Code Account No. 1354, Salaries, Regular Employees, Woods Run Branch.
250.00	to Code Account No. 1349, Miscellaneous Expense.
600.00	to Code Account No. 1350, Supplies.
900.00	to Code Account No. 1352, Repairs.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2210. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to John Hovan for piece of property located on the southeast side of Lecky avenue. Twenty-seventh ward, for the sum of \$600.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3364. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lot on Lawn street, Fourth ward, to Samuel Halle for the sum of \$100.00.

In Finance Committee, October 15, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the name "Halle" and by inserting in lieu thereof the name "Kalb." and as amended ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. English presented

No. 3713. Report of the Committee on Public Works for October 15, 1919, transmitting two Ordinances and two Resolutions to Council.

Which were read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3097. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, regrading, paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving, to the re-established lines and grades, of Webster avenue, from Fullerton street to Roberts street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against, and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 3632. An Ordinance

entitled, "An Ordinance granting to the Brookline Board of Trade the right and privilege to construct a memorial tablet on the triangular piece of ground at the intersection of Brookline boulevard, Chelton avenue and Queensboro avenue, owned by the City of Pittsburgh, in commemoration of the boys who have been called into the service of the late World War."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3100. Resolution giving the consent of the City of Pittsburgh to the Nineteenth Ward Memorial Association for the erection of a memorial to the men of the Fifteenth Zone who served their country in the World's war, on park property abutting on Grandview avenue.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3622. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Jno. Eichleay, Jr. Company for the sum of \$1043.14, for extra work done on the contract for making adjustments and repairs to the rocker bearings under the shoes of the river span of the Manchester bridge, and charging same to Code Account No. 150, North Side Point Bridge (now Manchester Bridge.)

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3714. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for October 7, 1919, transmitting an Ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3605. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance vacating Lily street, in the Thirteenth ward, as laid out in A. W. Mellon's Plan of 'Villa Place,' from Batavia street to Haverhill street."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the bill be recommended to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle Also presented

No. 3715. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for October 15, 1919, transmitting two Ordinances and a lot plan to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3656. Arlington Park Terrace Plan, laid out by Pittsburgh-St. Clair Realty Company, Sixteenth ward, Pittsburgh, and St. Clair Borough, and the dedication of the avenue, streets and ways shown therein.

Which was read, accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Rauh
English	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

Also

Bill No. 3657. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance approving the 'Arlington Park Terrace' Plan of Lots, in the Sixteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by Pittsburgh-St. Clair Realty Company, accepting the dedication of Arlington avenue. Foley street, Kozell street, Piave street, Pluso street, Zaruba street, Kordecki way and Krakow way, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3639. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Colonial Ice Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a reinforced concrete

water well under South Seventeenth street, at a point one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet northward on the western side of said street, from the northerly building line of Muriel street, in the Seventeenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of obtaining sufficient condensing water to supply ice plants."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 3716. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for October 15, 1919, transmitting a resolution and an Ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3618. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Allegheny General Hospital	\$ 130.00	1163
Bertram G. Case	178.06	1166
W. H. Champ	75.18	1133
W. H. Champ	32.74	1166
Richard Conley	111.00	1166

Dayton Rubber Mfg. Co.	1.41	1163
Duquesne Light Company	3.00	1163
East End Battery Service Company	1.75	1166
Herman Helmich	56.90	1166
Iron City Electric Company	29.44	1166
Iron City Spring Company	6.00	1166
Goldsmith & Gorfinkell	20.00	1163
Keystone Laundry Company	82.59	1163
William F. Minogue	46.00	1163
Penn Storage Battery Company	44.94	1166
Pullman Taxi Service Company	21.25	1147
Pullman Taxi Service Company	53.40	42
Robbins Electric Company	4.50	1166
George H. Vaux, M. D.	150.00	1163

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3619. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for installing additional steam heating lines, and alterations, repairs and improvements to the present steam heating lines in the Department of Public Safety Building."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

The Chair presented

No. 3717. Communication from

the Director of the Department of Supplies stating that he was unable to purchase any sugar, and that the Chamber of Commerce had adopted a resolution protesting against the distribution of sugar except through the regular channels.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3718. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lots Nos. 27 and 28 in William E. Stewart's Plan, located on Venture street, Twenty-sixth ward, to Matthew Sutter, for the sum of \$500.00, and providing that the property cannot be used for the erection of public garages or sign boards.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

And on motion of Mr. McArdle, Council adjourned.

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COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, October 27, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

The Chair stated that if there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, October 20, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, October 20, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3719. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Diamond Street Improvement Bonds, Series 2, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 195, the sum of \$1,800.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, sup-

plies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 3720. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Center Avenue Bridge Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 204, the sum of \$7,500.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, equipment, materials and miscellaneous services in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 3721. Whereas, owing to the high prices of various materials needed, and

Whereas, it will require additional money for the purchasing of these materials, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums to-wit:

- \$ 200.00 from Code Account 1681, Wages, temporary employees, Schenley Park, to Code Account 1683, Supplies, same division.
- 200.00 from Code Account 1681, Wages, temporary employees, Schenley Park, to Code Account 1684, Materials, same division.
- 100.00 from Code Account 1681, Wages, temporary employees, Schenley Park, to Code Account 1694, Materials, Golf Grounds.
- 100.00 from Code Account 1712, Salaries, regular employees, North Side Conservatory, to Code Account 1699, Supplies, Schenley Stables.
- 100.00 from Code Account 1742, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Zoo, to Code Account 1700, Materials, Schenley Park Stables.
- 150.00 from Code Account 1703, Salaries, regular employees, Schenley Conservatory, to Code Account 1693, Supplies, Golf Grounds.

150.00 from Code Account 1703, Salaries, regular employees, Schenley Conservatory, to Code Account 1708, Materials, same division.

1,600.00 from Code Account 1704, Wages, regular employees, Schenley Conservatory, to Code Account 1707, Supplies, same division.

1,000.00 from Code Account 1721, wages, temporary employees, Small Parks, to Code Account 1707, Supplies, Schenley Conservatory.

1,100.00 from Code Account 1764, Wages, regular employees, Riverview Stables, to Code Account 1707, Supplies, Schenley Conservatory.

100.00 from Code Account 1742, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Zoo, to Code Account 1717, Materials, North Side Conservatory.

1,400.00 from Code Account 1736, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Stables, to Code Account 1756, Wages, regular employees, Riverview Park.

700.00 from Code Account 1742, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Zoo, to Code Account 1770, Wages, regular employees, West Park.

100.00 from Code Account, 1742, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Zoo, to Code Account 1773, Supplies, West Park.

150.00 from Code Account 1712, Salaries, regular employees, North Side Conservatory, to Code Account 1774, Materials, West Park.

Also

No. 3722. Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, aggregating eleven hundred eighty-four dollars and seventy-two cents (\$1,184.72) to Code Account No. 1173 B Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Electricity, Department of Public Safety, to-wit:

From—

1402 B. Miscellaneous Services, General Office, Department of Public Works	\$ 10.66
1414 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.....	46.21
1498 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Deed Registry, Department of Public Works.....	2.37
1522 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works	293.81
1569 C. Supplies, Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works	39.10

1662 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.....	626.72
1673 D. Materials, Bureau of Light, Department of Public Works	30.80
1679 B. Insurance, Bureau of Parks, Department of Public Works	90.25
1682 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Parks, Department of Public Works.....	14.00
1801 C. Supplies, Bureau of Tests, Department of Public Works	18.96
1807 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works.....	11.84
	\$1,184.72

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. English presented

No. 3723. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Joseph H. Cohen in the sum of \$81.38, being one-half of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate for five quarters on property located at 67 Hofers way, Third ward.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3724. An ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of retaining wall, and repairing street, on the easterly line of Mansfield avenue at the first angle south of South Main street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Also

No. 3725. Petition of property owners for the opening of Elba street from Junilla street to Francis street.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3726. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Bigelow Boulevard Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 198 the sum of \$6,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 3727. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Playground Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 201, the sum of \$15,000.00 for the

payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 3728. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile truck for the Department of Supplies.

Also

No. 3729. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for furnishing alterations and additions to the heating apparatus at Municipal Hospital, Bedford avenue and Francis street.

Also

No. 3730. Resolution authorizing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$250.00 from Code Account C-1329 (Supplies) to Code Account F-1332 (Equipment.)

Also

No. 3731. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the American Lumber & Manufacturing Company for \$371.75 for lumber furnished the Bureau of Bridges, and charging same to Code Account No. 1461.

Also

No. 3732. Communication from the Edgewood Country Club endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3733. Communication from the Enameled Metals Company endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3734. Communication from Arthur A. Hamerschlag, President of the Carnegie Institute of Technology, stating that said Institution favors the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3735. Communication from Jos. Horne Company endorsing the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3736. Communication from the Pittsburgh Can Co. favoring the daylight saving ordinance.

Also

No. 3737. Communication from the Pittsburgh Pipe Coil & Bending Company endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3738. Communication from the Rieseck Iron Works endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3739. Communication from the J. G. Marshall Company endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3740. Communication from the Pittsburgh Athletic Association endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3741. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of North and Irwin Avenue Bridge Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 205, the sum of \$4,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, equipment, materials and miscellaneous services in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3742. An Ordinance cancelling and annulling Contract No. 4509, Mayor's Office, File No. 230, which is a contract entered into between the City of Pittsburgh and Allegheny Heating Company for the furnishing of gas to the North Side Light Plant, Brocket street, North Side, City, for a term of nine months from and after April 1, 1916.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3743. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,413.32 from Appropriation No. 1556, Materials, Asphalt Plant, to Appropriation No. 1540, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Also

No. 3744. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$3,850.00 from Code Account No. 1673, Materials, to Code Account No. 1669, Wages, Regular Employees, Bureau of Light, Department of Public Works.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3745. An Ordinance providing for the settlement of damages to property on Greenfield avenue in the Fifteenth ward of Pittsburgh caused by hillside slip due to the grading of Alexis street, and making appropriation in the sum of \$13,400.00 therefor.

Also

No. 3746. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the purchase of

certain real estate in the Eighth ward bounded by Penn avenue, South Atlantic avenue, Coral street and South Pacific avenue, being the property of the Farmers Deposit National Bank, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the United States of America at a price of \$..... and providing for the payment thereof.

Also
No. 3747. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John E. Byrnes, for use of Sophia Byrnes, his wife, in the sum of \$830.67, being one-half of the salary of said John E. Byrnes who is employed as a rodman in the Bureau of Engineering which is payable to his wife as dependent during the period of his absence from his employment while in the military service of the United States during the late world war, and charging same to Code Account No. 50-M.

Also
No. 3748. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,000.00 from Appropriation No. 41, Refunds of Taxes and Water Rents, to Appropriation No. 156, City Hall Bond Fund.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also
No. 3749. An Ordinance repealing and ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of a retaining wall on Leander street, between Rust way and the westerly terminus thereof, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," approved July 11, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30, page 372.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also
No. 3750. An Ordinance setting aside and dedicating certain property in the Tenth ward for public use for highway purposes for the widening of Stanton avenue.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also
No. 3751.
Pittsburgh,
October 16, 1919.
To the President and Members of
Council:

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Joint Committee on City Hall-Court House

Building, held this day, the following changes were recommended:

MCS. NO. Addition
702 Baker, Smith & Co.—Inv. \$180.00
9/29/19

It is understood that one-half of the amount stipulated above will be paid by the County and the other half by the City.

The Joint Committee asks your approval of this action.

Respectfully submitted,
P. J. McArdle,
Chairman, pro tem.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the report be accepted and approved.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 3752. Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, aggregating eleven hundred dollars (\$1,100.00), to wit:

FROM—	
Code Account 1402 B. Miscellaneous Services, General Office, D. P. W.	\$ 100.00
Code Account 1687 A1, Salaries, Schenley Nursery, Bureau of Parks	200.00
Code Account 1697 A3, Wages, Schenley Stables, Bureau of Parks	200.00
Code Account 1703 A1, Salaries, Schenley Conservatory, Bureau of Parks	300.00
Code Account 1721 A4, Wages, Small Parks, Bureau of Parks.	300.00
	\$1,100.00

TO—	
Code Account 1406B C Supplies, Division of Accounting, Department of Public Works	\$ 238.18
Code Account 1412 F Equipment, Photographic Division, Department of Public Works	25.00
Code Account 1409 C Supplies, Photographic Division, Department of Public Works	75.00
Code Account 1798 A1, Salaries, Bureau of Tests Department of Public Works	761.82
	\$1,100.00

Also
No. 3753. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer
\$300.00 from Code Account No. 1019 Salaries, Regular Employees, Police Magistrates, to Code Account No. 1015, Miscellaneous Services, Mayor's Office;

125.00 from Code Account No. 1019, Salaries, Regular Employees, Police Magistrates, to Code Account No. 1020, Miscellaneous Services; Police Magistrates.

122.96 from Code Account No. 1019, Salaries, Regular Employees, Police Magistrates, to Code Account No. 1026, Equipment, Morals Court.

126.73 from Code Account No. 1023, Salaries, Regular Employees, Morals Court, to Code Account No. 1026, Equipment, Morals Court.

150.00 from Code Account No. 1023, Salaries, Regular Employees, Morals Court, to Code Account No. 1021, Supplies, Police Magistrates.

100.00 from Code Account No. 1023, Salaries, Regular Employees, Morals Court, to Code Account No. 1024, Miscellaneous Services, Morals Court.

967.93 from Code Account No. 1018B, Unpaid Bills, Bureau of Housing, Mayor's Office, to Code Account No. 1016, Supplies, Mayor's Office.

Also

No. 3754. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$109.30 from Appropriation No. 1161, Salaries, Bureau of Fire, to Appropriation No. 1169 A, Equalization Fund, Bureau of Fire.

Also

No. 3755. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$150.00 from Code Account No. 1043, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1044, Supplies, Transit Commissioner.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3756. An Ordinance establishing the opening grades on Bills way, Elder way, Ludwick street, Shady avenue and Victory way, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened highways by Mrs. Magdalena C. Howley's plan of lots.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3757. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of East Ohio Street Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 196, the sum of \$20,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 3758. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Dr. Wm. W. Blair, for the sum of \$100.00 for professional services rendered Robert Pringle, a uniformed member of the Bureau of Police, who was struck in the eye by a thrown baseball while on duty at a baseball game played on the North Side Board of Trade grounds, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3759. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into arrangements with the officers of the American Legion whereby said association may use for their headquarters the club rooms of the Soldiers' and Sailors' club in the Public Safety Building, under proper supervision, until such time as the City of Pittsburgh needs the building for some other purpose.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3760. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the widening, regrading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of East Ohio street from Heinz street to the City Line at Millvale Borough, and providing for the payment of the cost of same.

Also

No. 3761. Resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works and the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Engineering to attend the Annual Convention of the American Society for Municipal Improvements to be held in New Orleans, La., November 11 to 14, inclusive, and authorizing the issuing of a warrant in payment of their expenses, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1414-B, Miscellaneous Service.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3762. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of William G. Doel for the sum of \$295.00, being salary for the months of January and February, 1919, which time he lost on account of sickness contracted while on duty, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1680 A-3, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Parks, Schenley Park.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Parks and Libraries.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3763. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Mount Oliver Street Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Ap-

propriation No. 197, the sum of \$3,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 3764. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Street Improvement Bonds, Series A, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 194, the sum of \$20,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 3765. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Park Roadway Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 199, the sum of \$20,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 3766. An Ordinance creating the Bureau of Zoning and Districting in the Department of City Planning, prescribing the powers and duties of said Bureau, and fixing the number and compensation of employees therein.

Also

No. 3767. Communication from Rieseck Iron Works endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3768. Communication from clerks employed in the office of the Western Lines, Pennsylvania Railroad, protesting against the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3769. Communication from employees in the office of the Superintendent of Car Service of the Pennsylvania Lines West protesting against the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3770. Report of the Division of Investigation together with tabulation of the endorsements for and protests against the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3771. Communication from Asphalt Workers Local Union No. 70, submitting scale of wages for 1920.

Also

No. 3772. Petition of District Foremen and Street Foremen in the Bureau of Highways and Sewers asking for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3773. Communication from W. H. Stevenson, Chairman, Mississippi to Atlantic Internal Waterways Committee, asking the City to be represented at the convention of said organization in Washington on December 8, 1919.

Also

No. 3774. Communication from Agostino Cacolice asking to be reimbursed for injury to horse by falling into sewer in Our way.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3775. Remonstrance against the grading and paving of Liedertafel way, Twenty-fourth ward.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3776. Communication from Arthur P. Stahl asking that the unnamed street running between Olive and Montiford streets, Twenty-third ward, be named Stahl street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 3777.
Two East Ninety-first street,
New York,
October 16, 1919.

My Dear Mr. Herron—May I ask you to convey to the Council of the City of Pittsburgh my very warm thanks for the beautiful framed copy of the resolutions passed by them and to tell them how much I value this evidence of their appreciation of my husband.

Believe me,

Sincerely yours,

LOUISE W. CARNEGIE

John S. Herron, Esq.,
President.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3778.
City of Pittsburgh, Penna.,
October 24, 1919.

To the Pittsburgh Council—

I herewith return, without my approval, Bill No. 3586, a Resolution au-

thorizing the transfer of \$6,000.00 from Appropriation No. 52-M, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 42-7, the Women's Employment Committee of the Council of National Defense, for the purpose of paying current expenses for the balance of the year.

The City Solicitor, in passing on this bill, says that the legality of this appropriation to the Women's Employment Committee is doubtful at best; that it appears the method of conducting its affairs and the direction of its work are not in the line of municipal welfare activities; further, that it does not appear the disbursements from funds previously appropriated by the City were made in the manner required by law for the expenditure of municipal funds.

It is my impression that this work was started as a war activity to increase production and to assist women seeking employment to find it. The State of Pennsylvania maintains, in the City of Pittsburgh, a well organized and efficient employment bureau, hence I cannot see the necessity for providing this additional and duplicate function at city expense.

Investigation I have made discloses that records of the Committee show a total of 3 828 placements from March 24 to September 30, approximately one-half of them being temporary. These were made at a total cost of \$10,000 or an average cost of \$2.61 for each placement, certainly an expensive administration. They had applications for 6,520 positions and filled slightly more than half of them. Many applicants for positions and many placed in positions did not live in the city; many positions filled by the Committee were filled for persons, firms or corporations outside the city. Further, the new payroll proposes for this activity shows an increase of more than fifty per cent above where it was when the first appropriations were made for its work in March and the salaries do not correspond with those in strictly municipal activities.

While I appreciate the fact that this work is sponsored by a large number of our best women who are intensely interested in it, and appreciate also that their efforts, in a general way, are highly commendable, yet, under all the circumstances, I do not feel that I can approve this bill.

Very respectfully yours,
E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

Which was read.

Also

Bill No. 3586. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 52-M, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 42-7, the Women's Em-

ployment Committee of the Council of National Defense, the sum of \$6,000.00, for the purpose of paying current expenses for the balance of the year, payments against said sum not to exceed \$2,000 per month.

In Council, October 14, 1919. Rule suspended, read three times and finally passed.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That a copy of the Mayor's communication be furnished each member of Council, and that further action on the resolution be postponed for one week.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3779. Report of the Committee on Finance for October, 21, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3635. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending line 4, Section 37, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Light, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3673. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending line 1, section 46, Department of Charities, City Home and Hospital, Mayview, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3693. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the purchase from Mary E. Thuerer of forty-five lots or piece of land, situate in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, providing for the consideration therefor, and making an appropriation for the payment therefor."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3694. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Park Roadway Improvement bonds, 1919, the sum of \$50,000.00 for the purpose of improving the roadways in Riverview Park."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3695. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for enlarging, repairing and improving Lake Elizabeth and otherwise improving West Park, and authorizing the setting aside of \$94,000.00 from the proceeds of West Park Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 200, for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3696. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of West Park Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 200, the sum of \$5,000.00 for the payment of Engineering Expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3702. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the making of a contract or contracts for the laying of water pipe lines for the betterment of the water supply service in various sections of the City."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3573. Whereas, There will be insufficient funds in several of the code accounts of the Bureau of Recreation to meet the bill rolls for the balance of the year, and there will be balances remaining in other code accounts of the same bureau; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, aggregating \$4,608.19:

From

Code Account 1805, Salaries, Regular Employees, General Office	\$ 800.00
Code Account 1813, Salaries, Regular Employees, Washington Park	400.00
Code Account 1814, Salaries, Regular Employees, Ormsby Park	900.00
Code Account 1816, Salaries, Regular Employees, Warrington Park	300.00

Code Account 1818, Salaries, Regular Employees, Arsenal Park	500.00
Code Account 1822, Salaries, Regular Employees, Lewis Park	700.00
Code Account 1824, Wages, Temporary Employees, Brushton Park	140.60
Code Account 1826, Wages, Temporary Employees, Lawrence Pool	40.65
Code Account 1827 Wages, Temporary Employees, Ar- lington Park	54.37
Code Account 1828, Wages, Temporary Employees, Beechview Playground	47.67
Code Account 1829 Wages, Temporary Employees, Armstrong Playground	16.62
Code Account 1830, Wages, Temporary Employees, Burgwin Playground	37.12
Code Account 1831, Wages Temporary Employees, Cuthbertson Playground	93.08
Code Account 1832, Wages, Temporary Employees, Morningside Playground	39.45
Code Account 1833, Wages, Temporary Employees, O'Hara School	65.93
Code Account 1834, Wages, Temporary Employees, Rose School	23.97
Code Account 1835, Wages, Temporary Employees, Sheri- dan Playground	98.20
Code Account 1836, Wages, Temporary Employees, Soho Playground	79.70
Code Account 1837, Wages, Temporary Employees, Flinn Playground	179.40
Code Account 1838 Wages, Temporary Employees, Gar- field Playground	15.58
Code Account 1839, Wages Temporary Employees, Green- field Playground	11.75
Code Account 1840, Wages, Temporary Employees, Homewood Playground	9.30
Code Account 1841, Wages, Temporary Employees, Mc- Kelvey School	19.18
Code Account 1843, Wages, Temporary Employees, Wabash Playground	30.15
Code Account 1844, Wages, Temporary Employees, Watt School	1.72
Code Account 1845, Wages, Temporary Employees, Penn Avenue	3.75
	\$4,608.19

	To
Code Account 1806, Wages, Temporary Employees.....	\$3,600.00
Code Account 1809, Materials.....	1,008.19
	\$4,608.19

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-
low the second and third readings and
final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended,
the resolution was read a second
and third times, and upon final passage the
ayes and noes were taken, and being
taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Coun-
cil being in the affirmative, the resolu-
tion passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3617. Resolution au-
thorizing, empowering and directing the
City Controller to make the following
transfers of appropriations, to-wit:

\$2,600.00 from Code Account No. 1144, to Code Account No. 1147.
4,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, to Code Account No. 1148
500.00 from Code Account No. 1144, to Code Account No. 1149.
4,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, to Code Account No. 1156.
400.00 from Code Account No. 1144, to Code Account No. 1153.
250.00 from Code Account No. 1171, to Code Account No. 1174.
300.00 from Code Account No. 1171, to Code Account No. 1177.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-
low the second and third readings and
final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended,
the resolution was read a second
and third times, and upon final passage the
ayes and noes were taken, and being
taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3667. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the aggregate sum of \$6,250.00 from Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, and to credit same to certain other code accounts in the Bureau of Engineering, to-wit:

\$ 350.00 to Code Account 1449, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Bridges;
1,900.00 to Code Account 1471, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Sewers;
4,000.00 to Code Account 1483, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Streets,

\$6,250 total.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3685. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer \$4,000.00 from Account No. 1662, "Miscellaneous Services" to Account No. 1664, "Materials," Distribution Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3686. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$560.00 from Appropriation No. 41, Refunds of Taxes and Water Rents, to Appropriation No. 1066, Equipment, Department of the City Treasurer.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3689. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$8,500.00 to Code Account No. 1224, Supplies, Tuberculosis Hospital, from the following Codes: \$1,800.00 from Code Account No. 1219, Salaries, Regular Employees, Tuberculosis Hospital, \$700.00 from Code Account 1262, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Plumbing and House Drainage, and \$4,000.00 from Code Account No. 1269, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Housing and Sanitary Inspection, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3624. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to W. F. Stadtlander, on behalf of John G. Feil, for property on east side of Brahm street, Twenty-fourth ward, for the sum of \$210.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3625. Resolution exonerating Walter P. Fraser from payment of \$212.09, being 50 per cent of the excess meter rate for water over the former flat rate, on premises at 6200 Penn avenue, Seventh ward.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and

third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Rauh
English	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3674. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Carnegie Steel Company in the sum of \$1,000.00, in payment of claim for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies, payable from Code Account No. 1461.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3681. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the W. N. Sauer Plumbing Company, Registered Plumbers, of 804-806 Chestnut street, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., for the sum of \$153.54, in payment of claim for extending the sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line at 1526 Valmont street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and

third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3683. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company in the sum of \$4,157.98, on account of adjustment of water rates at River avenue, Isabella street, Second avenue and Elizabeth street, and charging to Appropriation No. 41. Refunding Taxes and Water Rents.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3684. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuaide & Sons for the sum of \$5,991.92, plus interest for nine months at 6 per cent, or a total of \$6,261.56, for labor work necessary to lay water lines to the works of the Mesta Machine Co. while engaged in munition work for the United States Government, and charging same to Appropriation No. 190, Water Loan Bonds.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and

third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3690. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies, and charging the amounts to the appropriation to the items as shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Dravo-Doyle Company.....	\$526.00	1656
Speck-Marshall Company	515.20	1655

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3691. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of W. S. Brown in payment of claim for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies, in the sum of \$1,191.49, payable from Code Account No. 1156.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3585. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John H. Schnur, William S. Seibert and John W. Govier, in the sum of \$....., in payment of dependents' claims by reason of their services in the War with Germany, and on account of the provisions of Ordinance No. 229, approved July 23, 1919, granting half increases to city employees while in the services of the United States, and charging same to Code Account No. —.

In Finance Committee, October 22, 1919, read and amended by inserting in the blank spaces respectively "\$1,697.38" and "50," and as amended ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Noes—Mr.
Robertson

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And there being two-thirds of the

votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3666. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the employment of one (1) additional clerk at the Tuberculosis Hospital, Leech Farm, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, Department of Public Health, and fixing the compensation of same."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. English presented

No. 3780. Report of the Committee on Public Works for October 22, 1919, transmitting an ordinance and several resolutions to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3669. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Sutherland street, from points about 20 feet east of Huxley street and 20 feet west of Universal street to the existing sewer on Sutherland street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2668. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Henry P. Mass Agency in the sum of \$129.57, for earned premiums on certain policies of insurance on garage on Tunnel street (which were cancelled) the same to be chargeable to and payable from Appropriation No. 1522, Miscellaneous Services, Cleaning Highways, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3687. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of S. R. Carse, Public Works Inspector in the Bureau of Engineering, in the sum of \$31.97, for expense incurred in the inspection of lumber before and during process of creosoting at the plant of the Ohio Wood Preserving Company at Orrville, Ohio, which material was required for use in carry-

ing out contract No. 2, for re-flooring of the California Avenue Bridge over Woods Run, and charging same to Code Account 1459-B, Miscellaneous Services, Bridge Repairs, Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3704. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Jno. Elchleay, Jr. Company for the sum of \$2,470.69, for emergency work done in underpinning, shoring and bracing Alexis street and houses in the immediate vicinity thereof, and also for wrecking one house, all of which were affected by a landslide caused by the grading of Alexis street, and charging same to Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3781. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for October 22, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3699. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance accepting the dedication of certain property in the Twenty-seventh ward for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same Complete street, and establishing the grade thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3782. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for October 27, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3238. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto Frank & Seder, their successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use an overhead passageway across Diamond street between the Frank & Seder building on the north side of Diamond street to the former Solomon building on the south side of Diamond street, subject to the terms and conditions herein set forth."

In Public Service and Surveys Committee, October 22, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1 by striking out

the words "either with the third or fourth" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "with the fifth," and as amended ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

In Public Service and Surveys Committee, October 24, 1919. Vote reconsidered by which the bill was returned to council with an affirmative recommendation, and bill amended in section 6, by inserting in the blank space the words "one hundred (\$100.00)", and as amended, ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the amendments of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys, of October 22, 1919, and October 24, 1919, be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by council, was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3783. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for October 22, 1919, transmitting two ordinances and a resolution to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 2309. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the licensing and regulating of second

hand dealers in the City of Pittsburgh, and providing penalties for violation thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3138. Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	No.
Auto Service and Taxicab Co.....	\$ 18.00	1147
Otho J. Blerly.....	17.50	1159
Mrs. Anna Bousonville..	85.00	1159
D. A. Butler.....	36.00	1147
Bertram G. Case.....	60.50	1133
Bertram G. Case.....	59.18	1166
Dixon Motor Co.....	5.60	1166
Walter L. Dixon.....	55.00	1159
Joseph H. Dye.....	20.00	1158-M
Philip Eckert.....	22.95	1159
A. H. Johnson.....	38.13	1150
A. H. Johnson.....	268.63	1166
H. W. Johns-Manville Co.....	6.00	1166
Frank Kafka.....	116.00	1150
Keystone Laundry Co..	89.36	1147
Keystone Laundry Co..	211.01	1163
James McCormick.....	15.95	1151
Penn Storage Battery Co.....	43.05	1166
William E. Pottmeyer..	42.50	1159
South Side Hospital....	14.00	1147
John J. Stadlerman.....	55.00	1159

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative the resolution passed finally.

Also, with a negative recommendation.

Bill No. 1960. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the licensing and regulating of second hand dealers in the City of Pittsburgh, and providing penalties for violation thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That further action on the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3784. Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to prepare an estimate of the cost of building concrete steps from the right-of-way of the Panhandle Railroad to a point near the intersection of Hallock street and Grandview avenue on Duquesne Heights, and to present the same to the Committee on Public Works as early as possible.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And on motion of Mr. English,

Council adjourned.

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COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Monday, November 3, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

English
Herron (President) McArdle

Absent—Messrs.

Dailey
Garland
Henderson
Rauh
Robertson
Winters

And there not being a quorum of the
members present,

Council adjourned.

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Municipal Record

NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Monday, November 10, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

The Cha'r stated that as there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, October 27, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Dalley moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, October 27, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 3785. On Ordinance fixing salaries of the Detectives, Bureau of Police, Department of Public Safety.

Also

No. 3786. An Ordinance creating one new position in the Department of Public Safety, General Office, to be

known as Multigraph Operator, and fixing the salary thereof.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3787. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at No. 5 Police Station, on Forty-third street.

Also

No. 3788. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at No. 7 Police Station, on South Thirteenth street.

Also

No. 3789. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Joseph H. Dye, District Commissioner of the Bureau of Police, for the sum of \$19.00, covering money spent by him in securing evidence against persons for keeping disorderly houses, and charging same to Code Account No. 1158-M, Local Secret Service Fund, Bureau of Police.

Also

No. 3790. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh for \$832.43 for service performed for the Department of Public Safety, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1160.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 3791. An Ordinance fixing the salary of all employees in the Bureau of Electricity, Department of Public Safety.

Also

No. 3792. On Ordinance fixing the salary of certain employees in the Bureau of Fire, Department of Public Safety.

Also

No. 3793. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1013, Item M, Council's Investigation Fund, to Code Account No. 1158, Item M, Bureau of Police.

Also

No. 3794. Resolution directing the Superintendent of the Bureau of Water to remove the meters on the properties of Mrs. Rachel McQuillen located on Pride and Fullerton streets, and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration on the rates already assessed for the quarter, and to put said houses on the flat rate.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3795. Agreement between Chas. J. Holleman of the Borough of Brentwood, Allegheny County, and the City of Pittsburgh, relative to the opening of West Penn place, in the Eighth ward, between Harriet street and Evaline street.

Also

No. 3796. An Ordinance opening West Penn place, in the Eighth ward, from Harriet street to South Evaline street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3797. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to expend a sum not exceeding \$1,000.00, in the matter of seeking information and obtaining evidence as to the methods pursued by Agents or Brokers engaged in the business of selling stock of corporations of various kinds, in the City of Pittsburgh, and authorizing the issuing of warrants for the payment of claims incurred in seeking said information and obtaining evidence, not to exceed \$1,000.00, upon payrolls duly approved by the Director of the Department of Public Safety, and charging the cost thereof to Code Account No. 1158, Item M, Bureau of Police.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3798. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Mrs. Minnie M. Wehner for a parcel of ground located on Moschell street for the sum of \$75.00.

Also

No. 3799. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following for expenses incurred in connection with the entertainment of the Royal Belgian Party, and charging same to Code Account No. 1027—Celebrations, Civic and War Committee:

Liberty Flag & Decorating Co.....	\$ 17.25
McMahon Bros.	3.84
Pittsburgh Press Club.....	193.25
South Hills Publishing Co.....	14.50
Western Penn'a Exposition Society	48.00
William Penn Hotel.....	368.70
	\$665.54

Also

No. 3800. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Shepherd Engineering Company for the sum of \$1,041.71 for machinery parts furnished the Aspinwall Pumping Station, and charging same to Code Account No. 146, Bonds.

Also

No. 3801. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the American Lumber & Manufacturing Company for \$1,062.81 for lumber for the Bureau of Bridges, and charging same to Code Account No. 1461.

Also

No. 3802. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Burroughs Adding Machine Company for \$539.00, in payment of a Burroughs Electric Duplex Machine with shuttle carriage for use in the City Controller's Office, and charging same to Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund.

Also

No. 3803. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to the various code account numbers in the Department of City Planning as follows:

\$3,675.00	to Code Account No. 1107, Salaries;
200.00	to Code Account No. 1109, Supplies;
1,125.00	to Code Account No. 1112, Equipment.

Also

No. 3804. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer

\$5,000.00 from Code Account No. 1074, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1075, Witness Fees, Department of Law;

500.00 from Code Account No. 1074, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1076, Supplies, Department of Law;

100.00 from Code Account No. 1074, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1078, Equipment, Department of Law;

500.00 from Code Account No. 1087, Purchase of Land, to Code Account No. 1086, Equipment—Division of Municipal Improvements, Department of Law.

Also
No. 3805. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer

\$100.00 from Code Account No. 1424, Materials, to Code Account No. 1423, Supplies, Division of Surveys;

300.00 from Code Account No. 1424, Materials, to Code Account No. 1426, Equipment, Division of Surveys;

200.00 from Code Account No. 1461, Materials, Bridge Repairs, City Force, to Code Account No. 1463, Equipment, Bridge Repairs, City Force, all in the Bureau of Engineering.

Also
No. 3806. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$300.00 from Code Account No. 1089, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1090, Supplies, Bureau of Public Improvements, Department of Law.

Also
No. 3807. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Emma Curry for the sum of \$742.95, being one-half of the wages of Haine C. Curry employed by the City of Pittsburgh as a Physical Director in the Bureau of Recreation during the time he was in the service of the United States Army, and charging the same to Code Account No. 50.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3808. An Ordinance amending Section 49, Allegheny Carnegie Free Library, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, as amended by an Ordinance approved March 6, 1919.

Also
No. 3809. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute

and deliver a deed to Fred E. Steel of the City of Montpelier, Vermont for property located in the Twenty-fifth ward, being lot No. 38 in the Richard Ashworth Plan, known as No. 30 Lane way, upon the payment by the said Fred E. Steel to the City of all claims and demands that the said City of Pittsburgh may have against the said lot of ground.

Also

No. 3810. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to R. M. Daubenspeck for a plot of ground located on Belmont street, Twenty-first ward, for the sum of \$500.00.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3811. An Ordinance establishing the opening grade on Pemberton street, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as a legally opened highway by Webster Hinnau, in a Plan of Lots of his property, named "Cooper Square," in the Twenty-seventh ward.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 3812. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Dr. C. R. McKinniss for the sum of \$32.12 for advertisement and express charges, and charging same to Code Account No. 1319, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Department of Charities.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Charities and Correction.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3813. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to satisfy the assessment of \$140.00 assessed against the property of J. D. Counahan on Edith street for the grading, paving and curbing of said street, upon the payment of \$50.00 by said J. D. Counahan.

Also

No. 3814. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Anna Scheider in the sum of \$200.00, being in full settlement of all claims and demands against the City of Pittsburgh for injuries received on boardwalk on Amanda street, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3815. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Benjamin F. Ellison for Lot No. 74 in Maple Plan of Maplevale located on Estella street, Eighteenth ward, for the sum of \$250.00.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3816. An Ordinance granting unto the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use an industrial track on and across Twenty-sixth street located three hundred and fifteen (315') feet north from the northerly building line of Railroad street in the Second ward, City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., from and to buildings of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company.

Also

No. 3817. An Ordinance granting unto the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use switch sidings on and across Railroad street, Second ward, City of Pittsburgh; Switch Siding No. 1 located at the intersection of Twenty-sixth street and Switch Siding No. 2 located 148.2' west of the westerly building line of Twenty-sixth street, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., to the buildings of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company.

Also

No. 3818. An Ordinance granting unto the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use an 8" steam pipe, a 3" water pipe and a 16" insulated tile conduit for the purpose of conveying steam heat and compressed air from the Power Plant under and across Twenty-sixth street to the Pipe Shop, property of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, Second ward, City of Pittsburgh, located 254' from the northerly building line of Railroad street northwardly to the center of proposed pipe lines.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 3819. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Howard Neely for a plot of ground known as the Montrose Pumping Station, for the sum of \$60,000.00.

Also

No. 3820. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of A. W. McCloy Company for \$531.00 for twelve (12) special desks, and charging same to Code Account No. 1066.

Also

No. 3821. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Dominick Sculll for the sum of \$110.00, in full settlement of all claims against the City on account of sewer on Boundary street clogging up and flooding his premises, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3822. Resolution directing the Division of Investigation to secure from the several large cities of the country statements showing the amount of revenue derived by said municipalities from public bill boards erected in their corporate limits, and to report the same to Council at the earliest possible date.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3823. An Ordinance amending lines 2 and 3, Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 3824. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for levelling off city property at the intersection of Davis avenue, Shadeland avenue and Brighton road, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Also

No. 3825. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer \$500.00 from Code Account No. 1642, "Salaries Regular Employees," to Code Account No. 1646, "Miscellaneous Services," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3826. An Ordinance repealing an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the opening of Superior avenue, from angle of said avenue, on properties of Messrs. Seibert and Seifert, to New Brighton road," approved November 16, 1889.

Also

No. 3827. Petition of property owners and residents for the erection of a boardwalk on Bayonne avenue from Rutherford avenue to Napoleon avenue, Nineteenth ward.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3828. Petition of Foreman in the Bureau of Parks asking for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3829. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Basilio Cugliari, for use of Michael Cugliari and Guona Cugliari, his parents, in the sum of \$546.00, being payment in full of one-half of his wages payable to his parents as dependents, during the period of his absence from his employment as laborer in the Bureau of Water, while in the Military Service of the United States during the war with the Imperial Government of Germany, and charging same to Code Account No.

Also

No. 3830. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Concetta Costa Di Loici Griffo, in the sum of \$713.37, in full payment of one-half of the wages of Giuseppe Griffo, a laborer in the Bureau of Water, as his dependent during his absence in the service of the United States Army in accordance with the Act of 1917, and charging same to Code Account No.

Also

No. 3831. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Louis De Riggi for use of Aenello and Carminella De Riggi, in the sum of \$555.75, being payment in full of one-half of his wages payable to his parents, as dependents, during the period of his absence from his employment as a laborer in the Bureau of Water. While in the Military Service of the United States during the War with the Imperial Government of Germany, and charging same to Code Account No.

Also

No. 3832. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$700.00 from Appropriation No. 1226, Repairs, Tuberculosis Hospital, to Appropriation No. 1198, Equipment and Machinery, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, Department of Public Health.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 3833. Communication from the Soho Bath House Association asking for an appropriation of \$10,000.00 for the year 1920.

Also

No. 3834. Petition of Auto Truck Drivers at the City Asphalt Plants, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, asking for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3835. Petition of laborers in the Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, asking for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3836. Petition of Inspectors, Chief Inspector and Assistant Chief Inspectors, Division of Inspection in the Bureau of Engineering, asking for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3837. Petition of Inspectors in the Division of Public Utilities, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, asking for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3838. Communication from Pittsburgh Chapter, American Association of Engineers, transmitting copy of letter sent to the Standardization Committee regarding salary of engineers in the employ of the City.

Also

No. 3839. Communication from H. M. Meixner, Executor of the Estate of Elizabeth Meixner, asking to be exonerated from payment of water rent on property at 1639 Tustin street for the year 1918.

Also

No. 3840. Communication from the Lawrenceville Board of Trade asking that the fine of \$10.00 imposed upon A. E. Wells of 3512 Butler street for displaying wares on the sidewalk be refunded to him, and that Butler street be repaved from Forty-eighth street to Sixty-second street, and Liberty avenue from Thirty-fourth street to Main street.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3841. Communication from International Union of Steam and Operating Engineers, Local No. 66, repudiating the statements made by Robt. Richardson before Council regarding the ordinance for the examination and licensing of stationary engineers.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also
No. 3842. Communication from International Union of Steam and Operating Engineers, Local No. 95, repudiating the statements made by Robt. Richardson before Council regarding the ordinance for the examination and licensing of stationary engineers.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also
No. 3843. Communication from the Homestead District Chamber of Commerce endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also
No. 3844. Communication from John L. Nelson protesting against the passage of the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also
No. 3845. Report of the Division of Investigation showing tabulation of petitions for and protests against the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also
No. 3846. Communication from Dalzell, Fisher & Dalzell, regarding ordinance granting permission to Chatfield & Woods Company to erect a loading and unloading platform on Short street to connect with the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also
No. 3847. Communication from the Chamber of Commerce asking that the ordinance relating to sidewalks be enforced so as to prevent uncleanness.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Health and Sanitation.

Also
No. 3848. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$250.00 from Code Account C, Supplies, 1329, to Code Account F, Equipment, 1332, Department of Supplies.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. English presented

No. 3849. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Street Improvement Bonds, Series A-1919, Bond Fund, Code Account No. 194, the sum of Fifty-three thousand

two hundred dollars (\$53,200.00) for the payment of resurfacing, repairing and otherwise improving streets, including wages, miscellaneous service, supplies and materials in the Asphalt Division, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 3850.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

November 10, 1919.

To the Council of the City of Pittsburgh:

Gentlemen—I enclose you original copy of letter received today from the Employers' Association of Pittsburgh, which sheds further light on your Resolution transferring money to the Women's Employment Committee, which met with my disapproval.

At the time that the veto message was written I did not know that the Employer's Association was carrying on the same line of work and that there was further duplication from that source.

I submit for the information of Council the communication that you may have it for what it is worth and ask that it be returned to the Mayor's Office when you are through with it.

I fully realize that there is a large number of good women interested in the Women's Employment Committee but believe it is your duty and my duty as public officials to always courageously safeguard the City's finances when necessary.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

THE EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATION OF
PITTSBURGH.

November 10, 1919.

Hon. E. V. Babcock, Mayor.

City of Pittsburgh.

City-County Building.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—It was with a great deal of satisfaction that we noted your veto of the resolution to provide \$6,000 to carry on for the rest of the year the Women's Employment Committee.

The Committee, it seems to us, is wholly unnecessary. It duplicates the very splendid work which we are doing along similar lines without cost to either the applicant for work or to the community. Without troubling you with details, we can say that our Employment Department covers practically the same ground as the Committee, such as seeing that applicants are given positions which they are best fit-

ted to fill, that their surroundings are the best, etc., and we are doing this at a cost of only 41 cents per placement as against the Women's Committee cost of \$2.61; and let me say that our cost of 41 cents includes every expense, without any exception, which could possibly be charged against our Employment Department. We enclose copy of a recent bulletin which we sent to our members on the subject and, which we believe, contains facts which will be of interest to you.

At the time it was proposed to open the office of the Women's Employment Committee, and at various times since then, we have drawn the attention of Mrs. James, Miss Smith and Miss Jamison, who operate that office, to the fact that we were equipped to take care of such work and that they were simply duplicating our efforts, but they showed no inclination to consider any offer, which we might make to handle matters for them.

The whole scheme of Government Employment Offices, of which this Women's Committee, I believe, is a part, was a costly failure even in war time, in the opinion of the heads of our Pittsburgh Industries and certainly no good reason exists for its continuance now.

Yours respectfully,

THE EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATION
OF PITTSBURGH,
WM. FREW LONG,
Vice Pres. and Gen. Mgr.

BULLETIN TO MEMBERS
THE EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATION
OF PITTSBURGH
OLIVER BUILDING.

November 6, 1919.

To the Members of the Employers' Association of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—

REPORT OF OUR FREE EMPLOYMENT DEPARTMENT FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1919.

During the past month we interviewed and sent to our members 1,286 applicants for work in the Trades and as Day Laborers. In addition to the foregoing, during this period, we filled requisitions for 118 Office Positions including Executive and Technical places.

In the above totals were apprentices and women and girls in light factory work and in the printing trades as well as 213 ex-service men.

We filled 96 per cent of the requisitions filed with us at a cost of 41c per placement.

This was done without charge to the applicant but solely at the expense of the Employers' Association of Pittsburgh.

We call especial attention to the public announcement in the newspapers that the cost per placement by the U. S. Employment Service, Women's Division, was \$2.61 (against our cost of 41c.)

This latter service which has been maintained at the expense of the public treasury, is a burden upon the taxpayer for which there is no demand or good reason given for its existence. Recently the interested office holders jammed through City Council an Ordinance calling for an additional appropriation for this service but Mayor Babcock courageously vetoed it. An attempt will be made soon to pass this Ordinance over the Mayor's veto.

Should not this expense be borne by the employers interested in securing help and not by the applicant or the taxpayer?

Notify us of your labor requirements either for office help (all classes) or for workmen in the trades—skilled, semi-skilled and common labor. Call telephone Grant 4960.

Yours very truly,

THE EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATION
OF PITTSBURGH,
Wm. FREW LONG,
Vice Pres. & Gen. Mgr.

Which was read, received and filed.

Mr. McArdle arose and said

"Mr. President—I would like to have printed alongside the communication from the general manager of this organization the statement submitted to the Council, or which may be submitted if it is not on file, transmitting endorsements from the very group of men that is presumably spoken for by Mr. Long. These men have endorsed the activities of this committee. If it is not before Council, I would move that it be printed alongside the communication just presented by the Mayor."

And there being no objections, the

Chair presented.

No. 3851

EXTRACTS FROM LETTERS OF
PROMINENT BUSINESS MEN IN-
DORSING WOMEN'S EMPLOY-
MENT SERVICE.

Aluminum Company of America—

Harold D. Sill, Manager of General
Sales Office:

"At that time this company was 100 per cent a war industry and those of us who were responsible for the personnel of our respective departments found the cheerful and efficient co-operation of the U. S. Employment Service, Women's Division, a very timely aid. In practically every instance, the

women thus employed have long since proved their efficiency and have remained with us as permanent employees. I am sure in expressing the hope that it will not be necessary for the Pittsburgh office to disband, I am but voicing the sentiment that a great many other Pittsburgh companies, who have profited by the efforts of your office, undoubtedly feel."

Armstrong Cork Company.

C. D. Armstrong, President.

"Quite apart from the courteous and efficient service that the Women's Division of the United States Employment Service has rendered certain of our departments, we believe that the continuance of the bureau is highly desirable from the standpoint of the general welfare of the public—particularly during the crucial period of readjustment through which we are now passing. We hope that the principle of centralized employment bureaus may be established on a permanent basis."

The Associated Charities of Pittsburgh.

Eleanor Hanson, Associate Secretary.

"I want you to know how greatly social workers appreciate the services you are rendering to the girls they are attempting to befriend, and to express the hope that Pittsburgh will never be compelled to go back to the old decentralized way of handling the employment problem. The phenomenal success of the service is due largely, I believe, to the fact that the entire staff from the superintendent down, are educated women of exceptional ability, who have definitely fitted themselves for specialized employment work. Social workers know that when they refer a woman or girl for a position each one receives sympathetic, intelligent, individual attention."

Bank of Pittsburgh.

Alex. Dunbar:

"It gives me great pleasure . . . to testify as to the highly efficient and capable handling of your plan of centralized employment by you and your associates. I feel that Pittsburgh owes a debt of gratitude to the practical day by day value of this scheme which has been so thoroughly demonstrated by your organization in this 'After-War' period, as well as during war activities . . . It would be a keen loss to our community in the event that your activities were discontinued, especially during this all-important period of re-construction."

Carnegie Institute of Technology.

S. E. Haddon:

"I understand that it is proposed to make permanent the organization of the Women's Division of the Service as a peace time continuation of the War

Emergency work. I sincerely hope that this may be done, as the many instances of the need and the value both to employers and employees which have come to my personal attention during the past six months certainly indicate the desirability of its continuance."

City of Pittsburgh.

Tensard DeWolfe, Magistrate, Morals Court:

"We find it absolutely essential to provide work for boys and young men if they are to be kept out of trouble. I estimate that we will find positions annually for several thousand persons. Unless there is a centralized agency to perform this service for us, it will be necessary for the various organizations represented in the Morals Court to do the work themselves. They can never perform it with the same efficiency as a properly organized agency could."

Civic Club of Allegheny County.

H. M. Dermitt, Secretary:

"The fact that under one roof and under one management, all of the various agencies dealing with the employment of women in every line of work are grouped, has proven, in my opinion, one of the most efficient and effective means of public service that has been performed in this city for some time . . . May I ask you, Mrs. Iams, that you do everything in your power to retain the efficient service which has been organized by you and your co-workers . . . ?"

R. G. Dun Company.

J. L. Arnold, Chief Clerk:

"Our experience with your organization . . . has been so prolific of very gratifying surprises that we cannot refrain from an expression of the obligations that we feel that we owe you. The good results we have so far had from applications for help, placed in your hands, has led us to abandon all of the old sources of supply. We thank you for the great good that you have so far accomplished in our individual behalf and trust that a commensurate portion of satisfaction for a good work performed will fall to your lot."

The Equitable Life Assurance Society

Edward A. Woods, Manager:

" . . . We might add further that during the past year your department has been of very material service to our agency and of very material assistance in securing trained and competent women on whose services we have depended so largely recently and whose services will no doubt continue to be in future demand . . . It is a pleasure to add this brief word

of commendation of the invariably courteous and exceedingly valuable assistance rendered by your department." Farmers Deposit National Bank.

D. W. Parry, Vice President:

"We are pleased to state that service received through your office has been entirely satisfactory, and we trust your work may be continued, as we believe it meets a real need."

Gulf Refining Company.

G. B. Ellis:

"I have had several occasions to call up your division and found it to be beneficial not only to myself but to the business interests of Pittsburgh and would be more than pleased to see this Centralized Employment Bureau continued and am sure that those seeking employment through this Bureau have been much benefited."

Harblison-Walker Refractories Co.

Kenneth Seaver, Assistant General Sales Manager:

"Prior to our use of your services there was, of course, a normal amount of lost motion in getting in touch through the usual sources with those who were seeking positions of this kind. There was also the expense of more or less advertising. A very large proportion of such employees as we have secured from you have been satisfactory, and for our own convenience we hope that this department may be continued."

Consumers League of Western Pennsylvania.

Hale Hill:

"I am treasurer of the Consumers' League of Western Pennsylvania, and as a consequence have come in contact more or less with conditions surrounding the employment of men and women. By virtue of this experience I wish to endorse the theoretical and practical value of a centralized employment system."

I hope that either the State or Federal Government will be able to work out such plans as may result in the perpetuation of this bureau."

Joseph Horne Company.

H. N. Phifer, Superintendent:

"It is our belief that the placement department of the various non-commercial employment services for women should be co-ordinated and that the splendid service rendered this district during the war by the Women's U. S. Employment Office be thereby maintained permanently."

The National Association of Corporation Schools—Pittsburgh Chapter.

I. B. Shoup, Chairman Trades Apprentice Section:

"I am thoroughly convinced that the Women's Division of the U. S. Employment Service, which was instituted and carried on in Pittsburgh as a war measure, has been an excellent thing—a real service—both to individuals needing employment and to concerns needing employees. It has been a real clearing house in regard to women's employment. I believe it would be desirable to urge the importance of this upon the proper authorities with a view to having this organization made permanent."

Western Pennsylvania League of Women Workers.

Marguerite Spillman, Executive Secretary:

"I wish to express to you my appreciation of the courtesy and efficiency which my organization has received from the employment service. . . . I sincerely trust that the post-war period will not necessitate the discontinuing of so fine a public institution."

William McConway.

"I wish to compliment you and your colleagues of the Women's Division, Department of Labor on the highly efficient service which you are able to, and do, render in the special line of duty assigned to you. I am moved to this by the prompt service which I recently secured from your department in bringing me into contact with candidates for high-grade secretarial service. I wish you all success in your future work."

Oil Well Supply Company.

S. Clarke Reed, Assistant General Manager:

"I understand that there is a movement on foot . . . to perpetuate the splendid and effective work which has been done by the co-ordinating employment services for the past year or so under your direction. This is a step in the right direction for if any proof were needed to establish the fact that a centralized employment service was absolutely the most effective and desirable method of handling this problem, all you would have to do would be to investigate the work of your department."

Rodney Pierce Optical Company.

C. J. Torongo, Manager:

" . . . We are very well pleased with the type of help which has been sent us and the care which was exercised by your department in their efforts to place each applicant in the position best suited for them. The percentage of help which has stayed with us has been very high and those who have stayed have shown themselves exceedingly capable indeed. The institution of the centralized Women's

Employment Bureau, wherein this service can be obtained without charge, has certainly been an innovation to Pittsburgh and one which we would not like to see discontinued."

South Side Hospital.

Jeanette L. Jones, Superintendent.

"I am sure it will be of interest to you to know how much we have been assisted by the Federal Employment agency during the great shortage of help. . . . In my opinion this has placed the Employment Bureau on a higher plan than it has ever been and we would urge the continuation of it."

Spang Chalfant & Company, Incorporated.

Grace F. Preston, Secretary of Welfare Work:

"We feel that such a high type of centralized non-commercial agency as yours is a progressive measure from the employer's point of view. . . . We believe, too, that the working out of your plan will result in the saving of time, a better understanding between employer and employee and will also be a factor in the standardization of wages."

United States Steel and Carnegie Pension Fund.

J. B. Erskine, Manager:

"I am informed that there is a possibility of the discontinuance of the Women's Division of the U. S. Employment Service. This is rather disquieting, as it would mean a distinct loss to this community. . . . I sincerely trust that your earnest efforts in the past will be rewarded by a decision to continue the Women's Division permanently."

United Mine Workers of America.

Phillip Murray, President:

"Being interested in the work of the Women's Division of the U. S. Employment Service, because of the splendid service Pittsburgh Division has rendered our country and its people during the war, I am at this time writing you a letter of commendation for the splendid service you and your associates have rendered. . . ."

Universal Portland Cement Company.

L. H. Whittaker, Office Manager:

"We are hearty believers in centralized employment and can testify to the efficiency of your office and trust that Pittsburgh may be permitted to retain the service indefinitely. . . . This service has been a great help to industry during war-time condition and we hope that the benefits derived will not be lost in times of peace. . . ."

University of Pittsburgh.

Francis Tyson, Professor of Social Economics:

"In giving my opinion of a Woman's Division of Employment Service for Pittsburgh may I (1) express my belief that a very definite need exists for this service; and (2) give my approval of the methods and activities of the Women's Division which was organized here about last September. . . . It is my opinion, therefore, that the Woman's Division of the employment service has found a place for itself in Pittsburgh and that the commonwealth of Pennsylvania would make no mistake in securing for this service adequate backing and support looking to the continuance and expansion of its work."

Urban League of Pittsburgh.

John T. Clark, Executive Secretary:

" . . . We believe thoroughly in a central control of employment work for by this method one can eliminate the possible waste in time and wages in the kind of co-operation established between agencies before the war. From all sources I have heard nothing but complimentary remarks of which the Women's Division was highly appraised."

Vanadium Alloys Steel Company.

H. N. Surrey, General Sales Manager:

" . . . We have used your service several times to good advantage, finding it very satisfactory indeed. We hope that this central employment bureau will continue, becoming a permanent fixture."

Central Y. W. C. A.

Miss Edith Grier Long, General Secretary:

" . . . Last summer when the Government arranged to combine the various placement departments of the seven non-commercial employments here we were able to offer to this district an efficient means of securing women for every kind of position. War time conditions made this centralization possible and showed its value. It is to be hoped that the benefits derived by the war will not be lost in times of peace and we would therefore have you know that Pittsburghers appreciate the service and . . . are seeking to continue the plan which has justified itself by the results accomplished in the months since the centralized employment office for women was established. . . ."

Which was read, received and filed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Bill No. 3778. Communication from the Mayor, returning, without his approval. Bill No. 3586, resolution

transferring \$6,000.00 from Appropriation No. 52-M, Standardization Fund, to No. 42-7, Women's Employment Committee of the Council of National Defense.

In Council, October 27, 1919. Read and laid over for one week, and a copy to be furnished each member.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

Bill No. 3586. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 52-M, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 42-7, the Women's Employment Committee of the Council of National Defense, the sum of \$6,000.00 for the purpose of paying current expenses for the balance of the year, payments against said sum not to exceed \$2,000.00 per month.

In Council, October 27, 1919. Returned by the Mayor without his approval, read and laid over for one week.

Which was read.

And on the question, "Shall the resolution become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?"

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, I regret that I cannot agree with His Honor, the Mayor, in the matter of vetoing the appropriation for the Women's Employment Bureau. I didn't vote for this bill when it was passed originally, although I was heartily in favor of it, but was opposed to the fund from which it was taken, namely, the Standardization Fund for Salaries. I still think it was a mistake to transfer the money from the fund which was set up to standardize the salary of all city employees. However, since practically all of that fund has been used up in other items and my attitude at this time will not bring back the money to the Standardization Fund, I feel that it is my duty to support this bill for the Women's Employment Bureau notwithstanding the veto of the Mayor.

This organization has done a great work and even now, when we may technically say that the war is not yet over and our Government has not yet declared that we are at peace with Germany, this activity can still be considered a war measure. However, there is a higher and more important thought which causes me to favor this ordinance today, and that is, that a great number of the best people of our city are interested in continuing this activity; at least for the balance of this year.

Different organizations of various kinds and creeds have been consolidated into this Woman's Employment Bureau, and they have done a wonderful

work in taking care of the unemployed women of this vicinity. It is a very worthy cause, particularly at this time in view of the fact that the Council unanimously agreed to continue this activity for the balance of the year.

Whether the Mayor was agreeable to that continuance should not affect our attitude today. It is a matter of fact, however, that we gave a hearing to these people and it was unanimously agreed at that time on the part of Council, at least, to go ahead with this work and provide \$6,000.00 which would finance the project until January 1, 1920. It seems to me that regardless of the position the Mayor has taken the Council is in duty bound to respect its own agreement made in public and go through with this proposition.

We had the opinion of former City Solicitor Stone that it was alright before we gave them any money in the early part of the year, and even today the present City Solicitor, Mr. O'Brien does not condemn it as being illegal. On the contrary Mr. O'Brien distinctly says that it is a matter up to the judgment of the Council and that there is no legal obstacle against this appropriation being made.

I therefore deem it my duty to vote to make this a law notwithstanding the veto of the Mayor.

Mr. Rauh arose and said:

Mr. President, I have asked the City Solicitor to come here and give us his opinion regarding this appropriation, and if there are no objections I would ask that action on the Mayor's veto be held in abeyance until Mr. O'Brien appears and gives us his opinion.

Mr. Robertson arose and said:

Mr. President, I talked with the City Controller last Saturday morning and he advised me that he would not pay this money and that he had the backing of the Law Department. Therefore, it would seem useless to pass this resolution in view of the attitude taken by the City Controller. He further said the war was at an end and this being a war measure he would not pay it.

The Chair:

The City Controller refers to appropriations for 1920, and includes the associations managing bathhouses, war farm gardens association and organizations managing social settlements.

Mr. Rauh arose and said:

Mr. President, I have a clipping here taken from the Sunday newspaper regarding the stand taken by the City Controller in this matter.

The Chair:

Mr. Rauh, every member of Council is familiar with the statement given out by the Controller.

Mr. Rauh:

Mr. President, for the benefit of those members who may not have read it I will read it. I don't want it to become part of the minutes of today's meeting. (He then read the Controller's statement).

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, I would like to clear one point objected to by the Controller. The position stated by Mr. Rauh applies to new appropriations and matters which may come up in the budget. The Controller has agreed to pass this appropriation, so I am advised by Miss Smith who is at the head of this Women's Employment Bureau. I am given permission to quote her for this statement. We owe them something for the month of October and the month of November; as it is no fault of the people working in the office that this matter has been held up; and it seems to me that some portion of the \$6,000 asked for should be granted them. If the full amount cannot be granted, I hope Council will pass legislation to pay their expenses up to and including November 11.

The Chair:

The City Solicitor, Mr. O'Brien, is here and will be glad to give you any information you desire as to the legality of the resolution.

Mr. Rauh arose and said:

Mr. O'Brien furnished us his written opinion, but it is not as concise as he would make it if given verbally to Council. For that reason I have asked him to come here.

The Chair said:

We understand the position taken by the City Controller and if he sticks to that position it will be up to the Law Department to take the matter into court for a strict interpretation of the law. According to the statement given out by the City Controller it not only affects the appropriation now under discussion, but those for the Soho Bath, the North Side Playgrounds and similar appropriations.

Mr. Rauh said:

Mr. O'Brien, may I ask you to give us your opinion on the bill now before us?

Mr. Charles A. O'Brien, City Solicitor, arose and said:

Mr. President, this bill as it stands was not vetoed upon the question of its legality, but upon the merits or demerits of the appropriation which the

Mayor points out in the various reason given in his veto message. It appears in his judgment that there was too much overhead expense and other matters of that kind. It appears Mr. Stone under his solicitorship advised that the original appropriation was valid within the meaning of the Welfare Clause of the Charter Act; and I presume it was practically upon the basis of a war measure that that opinion was given. I was not consulted at the time; and this, like other measures, was passed over as an exigency, being justifiable under the conditions existing at the time. This appropriation was started in that way, and the reasons given by the Mayor are on the merits of the bill.

The Chair:

It is really a matter of judgment then?

Mr. O'Brien:

Yes, I would say this, that the City in ordinary times cannot conduct an employment agency. This matter is covered by an Act of Assembly in which the City is given power to license and regulate employment agencies. Therefore, it is illegal for the city to set up an appropriation from year to year for this purpose.

The Chair:

Mr. O'Brien, do you remember the opinion furnished by the Law Department under Mayor Armstrong's administration that it was legal for the City to attach the Employment Bureau to the Bureau of Investigation, and that during the first year of its operation it placed 2,000 people?

Mr. O'Brien:

It was a war measure.

The Chair:

We were not in the war then. If it was legal then, it is legal now.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President, this thing has been brought back to its real status, and Council must dispose of it, whether they think it is the meritorious thing to do or not. They have not had any new light since it was laid over a week ago. It seems that the statement read into the meeting today from the Employers' Association is purely extraneous matter. It is another one of those absurdities and is only for the purpose of beclouding the issue.

We know as practical men that the Employers' Association, while they may run an employment agency, it is hardly to be presumed to be running it as an activity on behalf of the public interest. Certain of our citizens may profit by this activity, but it is not run for the general good of all our citizens. It is not a substitute for the service

rendered by the Women's Employment Service. It seems to me that whatever reasons may impel us to vote the way we finally do that the reasons advanced by the Employers' Association ought not to have any weight. It ought not to be opposed because the Employers' Association is running an employment activity.

The Women's Employment Service Bureau is one to which any one coming under the scope of the organization can appeal for any kind of employment, and it is ridiculous to believe that the Employers' Association is going to take upon itself the job of finding for you or for me a wash woman, or find employment for a wash woman seeking employment, except, possibly, in a laundry, the owners of which may be members of the Association.

We know full well, because of the discussions we have had from time to time, what the activities are of the Women's Employment Bureau and the service it is trying to render, and know that there are no substitutes in Pittsburgh. There may be other agencies duplicating some part of the work this organization is performing, but it is not duplicating the work of any other organization, and there is nothing else to take its place; and if we are going to allow ourselves to be influenced by statements, whether they originated in the Mayor's office or the Controller's office, it seems to me we don't want to meet the issue fairly in this matter.

We have passed claims for thousands of dollars which have no semblance of the legal status that this claim has, and we know that the Mayor will either authorize or condone the expenditure of thousands of dollars that hasn't anything like the reasonableness of this claim or get anything like the service that will come as the result of the expenditure of these few thousand dollars. Then, again, it seems to me that as a matter of common decency we could do little less than pass this in order to clear up the obligation that has been assumed by continuing this activity up until the present time; so whatever action we may take, I think the only thing involved is the difference between \$6,000 and the obligations already assumed by this organization, which amounts to nearly half that sum; and getting down to the opinion of the Mayor or the Controller as well as getting down to the basis of its legality, it will be no trouble to help both of them to find opportunities for an immeasurable greater service to the City than this furnishes.

And the question recurring, "Shall the resolution become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Winters
Herron (President)	

Noes—Messrs.

Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson

Ayes—5.

Noes—4.

And there not being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution failed to become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3852. Report of the Committee on Finance for October 24, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3705. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the purchase by the City of Pittsburgh, from the Methodist Episcopal Church Union of Pittsburgh, a corporation, of a tract or piece of land situate in the Second ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and making an appropriation for the payment thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second reading of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. McArdle moved

To amend the bill in the preamble and in the title by striking out the words "Second ward" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "Fifth ward."

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and amended was agreed to.

And the bill was laid over for reprinting.

Mr. Garland also presented.

No. 3853. Report of the Committee on Finance for October 28, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3719. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Diamond Street Improvement Bonds, Series 2, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation 195, the sum of \$1,800.00 for the

payment of Engineering Expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, I am not quite satisfied with the ordinances setting aside certain sums of money from the bond funds for engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous service. We should go slow in the matter of appropriating this money until it is ascertained that the amounts will be actually required on the work for which it is proposed to spend the money.

In the matter of improving the roadways in parks, it is proposed to take from the bond funds \$20,000.00 to pay for engineering expenses, etc. As you all know these roads will be resurfaced by the asphalt gangs, and from my experience in this matter it is not necessary to spend any money for engineering services. Then, again, take the street repaving schedule, for which it is proposed to set aside \$20,000.00 for engineering expenses. As in the case of the park roadways, no engineering is necessary to repave streets. Therefore, I am opposed to spending this money until I am furnished information as to how it will require \$20,000.00 worth of engineering work.

It seems to me we should recommit these ordinances to the committee and get further information. We should ask the department to come in with an itemized list showing how they propose to apportion this money.

By this action, I don't want to be understood as being opposed to spending any bond money for engineering work, but I am opposed to spending money for engineering services if we have an organization in the Department of Public Works to do this work. I urge Council to be careful regarding any and all bond money required for engineering expenses, because the taxpayers of Pittsburgh will then be compelled to pay interest and sinking fund charges for 30 years, which means two dollars for every one.

I think it is perfectly proper to apportion some bond money on work for which expert engineering advice is needed; but we should be very careful of such items.

But if we give our approval to these ordinances without complete information, we are going against every principle of spending bond money. We have been warned by many people that thirty year bonds should not be issued for an improvement that is going to last for only probably five or six years. Yet we propose that very thing right now, by allowing \$97,000.00 of bond funds to be appropriated by these ordinances without sufficient information on the subject. The right thing is to allow the department to put men on the payroll and have the Director make affidavit thereto, setting forth the services rendered and the amount paid each. If the members of Council don't want to send these ordinances back to committee, I want to be recorded as being opposed to them.

The Chair:

The motion is, that these ordinances be recommitted to the committee.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

The gentleman in his remarks did not make a motion. There is nothing before us.

Mr. English arose and said:

I thought I made that clear, Mr. President. I offer the motion that these ordinances be recommitted to the committee.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President, this money must be taken out of this bond money and made available before they can purchase supplies or do anything that go into these improvements provided for in the bond issued. Now, as to the number of employees that are to be employed to do the work, we fix the number that are to be employed, and we appropriate the necessary money with which to pay the employees engaged in this work. We fix the number of engineering corps to be employed, but we don't know anything more than John Smith as to what work these particular corps do. It is a general proposition that we may get cheated on some of it, but we must safeguard the city against being cheated. The engineering work must be done, whether it is much or little; and if it is done it must be paid for out of the bond money or the current tax levy.

There is always a disposition and, perhaps, a danger that ought to be watched to make undue charges against bond issues, because of the fact that it is there and you are not constantly being on the budget it cannot be taken from the tax levy. Therefore, a constant watch must be kept on it if you want to protect the city.

And the question recurring on the motion of Mr. English, that the ordinances be recommitted to the committee.

The motion did not prevail.

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.
English

Ayes—8.
Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3720. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Center Avenue Bridge Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 204, the sum of \$7,500.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, equipment, materials and miscellaneous services in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.
English

Ayes—8.
Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3726. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Bigelow Boulevard Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 198, the sum of \$6,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.
English

Ayes—8.
Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3727. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Playground Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 201, the sum of \$15,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.
English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3741. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of North and Irwin Avenue Bridge Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 205, the sum of \$4,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, equipment, materials and miscellaneous services in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.
English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3757. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating

and setting aside from the proceeds of East Ohio Street Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 196, the sum of \$20,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.
English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3763. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Mount Oliver Street Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 197, the sum of \$3,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.
English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3764. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Street Improvement Bonds, Series A, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 194, the sum of \$20,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.
English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3765. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Park Roadway Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 199, the sum of \$20,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment

and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.
English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3721. Whereas, owing to the high prices of various materials needed, and

Whereas, it will require additional money for the purchasing of these materials, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums to-wit:

\$ 200.00 from Code Account 1681, Wages, temporary employees, Schenley Park, to Code Account 1683, Supplies, same division.

200.00 from Code Account 1681, Wages, temporary employees, Schenley Park, to Code Account 1684, Materials, same division.

100.00 from Code Account 1681, Wages, temporary employees, Schenley Park, to Code Account 1694, Materials, Golf Grounds.

100.00 from Code Account 1712, Salaries, regular employees, North Side Conservatory, to Code Account 1699, Supplies, Schenley Stables.

100.00 from Code Account 1742, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Zoo, to Code Account 1700, Materials, Schenley Park Stables.

150.00 from Code Account 1703, Salaries, regular employees, Schenley Conservatory, to Code Account 1693, Supplies, Golf Grounds.

150.00 from Code Account 1703, Salaries, regular employees, Schenley Conservatory, to Code Account 1708, Materials, same division.

1,600.00 from Code Account 1704, Wages, regular employees, Schenley Conservatory, to Code Account 1707, Supplies, same division.

1,000.00 from Code Account 1721, wages, temporary employees, Small Parks, to Code Account 1707, Supplies, Schenley Conservatory.

1,100.00 from Code Account 1764, Wages, regular employees, Riverview Stables, to Code Account 1707, Supplies, Schenley Conservatory.

100.00 from Code Account 1742, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Zoo, to Code Account 1717, Materials, North Side Conservatory.

1,400.00 from Code Account 1734, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Stables, to Code Account 1756, Wages, regular employees, Riverview Park.

700.00 from Code Account 1742, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Zoo, to Code Account 1770, Wages, regular employees, West Park.

100.00 from Code Account, 1742, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Zoo, to Code Account 1773, Supplies, West Park.

150.00 from Code Account 1712, Salaries, regular employees, North Side Conservatory, to Code Account 1774, Materials, West Park.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.

English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3728. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile truck for the Department of Supplies."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3729. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for furnishing alterations and additions to the heating apparatus at Municipal Hospital, Bedford avenue and Francis street."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3766. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating the Bureau of Zoning and Districting in the Department of City Planning, prescribing the powers and duties of said Bureau and fixing the number and compensation of employees therein."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3526. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Ottilie H. Kohler, 204 Waldorf street, Twenty-sixth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa., for the sum of \$99.96, in payment of claim for repairs of basement cellar and connecting branch of main sewer in front of her property, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3731. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the American Lumber and Manufacturing Company, for lumber for the Bureau of Bridges, in the sum of \$971.75, payable from Code Account No. 1461.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3747. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John E. Byrnes, for use of Sophia Byrnes, in the sum of \$830.67, being payment in full of one-half of his salary payable to his wife as dependent, during the period of his absence from his employment in the City of Pittsburgh, while in military service of the United States during the war with Germany, and charging same to Code Account No. 50-M.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3637. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to W. G. Jones for a piece of property on Quarry street, Seventeenth ward, upon the payment of \$300.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3759. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into arrangements with the officers of the American Legion, whereby the American Legion may use the rooms formerly occupied by the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club in the Public Safety building, for headquarters, under proper supervision, until such time as the City needs same for other purposes.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3753. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer

\$300.00 from Code Account No. 1019. Salaries, Regular Employees, Police Magistrates, to Code Account No. 1015, Miscellaneous Services, Mayor's Office;

125.00 from Code Account No. 1019. Salaries, Regular Employees, Police Magistrates, to Code Account No. 1020, Miscellaneous Services; Police Magistrates;

122.96 from Code Account No. 1019. Salaries, Regular Employees, Police Magistrates, to Code Account No. 1026, Equipment, Morals Court;

126.73 from Code Account No. 1023. Salaries, Regular Employees, Morals Court, to Code Account No. 1026, Equipment, Morals Court;

150.00 from Code Account No. 1023. Salaries, Regular Employees, Morals Court, to Code Account No. 1021, Supplies, Police Magistrates;

100.00 from Code Account No. 1023. Salaries, Regular Employees, Morals Court, to Code Account No. 1024, Miscellaneous Services, Morals Court;

967.93 from Code Account No. 1018B. Unpaid Bills, Bureau of Housing, Mayor's Office, to Code Account No. 1016, Supplies, Mayor's Office.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3722. Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, aggregating eleven hundred eighty-four dollars and seventy-two cents (\$1,184.72) to Code Account No. 1173 B Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Electricity, Department of Public Safety, to-wit:

From—	
1402 B. Miscellaneous Services, General Office, Department of Public Works.....	\$ 10.66
1414 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.....	46.21
1498 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Deed Registry, Department of Public Works.....	2.37
1522 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works.....	293.81
1569 C. Supplies, Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works.....	39.10
1662 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.....	626.72
1673 D. Materials, Bureau of Light, Department of Public Works.....	30.80
1679 B. Insurance, Bureau of Parks, Department of Public Works.....	90.25
1682 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Parks, Department of Public Works.....	14.00
1801 C. Supplies, Bureau of Tests, Department of Public Works.....	18.96
1807 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works.....	11.84
	\$1,184.72

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3743. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,413.32 from Appropriation No. 1556, Materials, Asphalt Plant, to Appropriation No. 1540, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps, to provide for the payment of the lumber used in reviewing stands erected for parade of returned soldiers.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3744. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$3,850.00 from Code Account No. 1673, Materials, to Code Account No. 1669, Wages of Regular Employees, Bureau of Light.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.
 Dailey McArdle
 English Rauh
 Garland Robertson
 Henderson Winters
 Herron (President)

Ayes—9.
 Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also
 Bill No. 3748. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,000.00 from Appropriation No. 41, Refunds of Taxes and Water Rents, to Appropriation No. 156, City Hall Bond Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.
 Dailey McArdle
 English Rauh
 Garland Robertson
 Henderson Winters
 Herron (President)

Ayes—9.
 Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also
 Bill No. 3752. Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, aggregating eleven hundred dollars (\$1,100.00), to wit:

FROM—	
Code Account 1402 B, Miscellaneous Services, General Office, D. P. W.	\$ 100.00
Code Account 1687 A1, Salaries, Schenley Nursery, Bureau of Parks	200.00
Code Account 1697 A3, Wages, Schenley Stables, Bureau of Parks	200.00
Code Account 1703 A1, Salaries, Schenley Conservatory, Bureau of Parks	300.00
Code Account 1721 A4, Wages, Small Parks, Bureau of Parks ..	300.00
	\$1,100.00

TO—
 Code Account 1406B C Supplies, Division of Accounting,

Department of Public Works.....	\$ 238.18
Code Account 1412 F, Equipment, Photographic Division, Department of Public Works.....	25.00
Code Account 1409 C, Supplies, Photographic Division, Department of Public Works.....	75.00
Code Account 1798 A1, Salaries, Bureau of Tests, Department of Public Works.....	761.82
	\$1,100.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.
 Dailey McArdle
 English Rauh
 Garland Robertson
 Henderson Winters
 Herron (President)

Ayes—9.
 Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3754. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$109.30 from Appropriation No. 1161, Salaries, Bureau of Fire, to Appropriation No. 1169 A, Equalization Fund, Bureau of Fire.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.
 Dailey McArdle
 English Rauh
 Garland Robertson
 Henderson Winters
 Herron (President)

Ayes—9.
 Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3755. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$150.00 from Code Account No. 1043, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1044, Supplies, Transit Commissioner.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3730. Resolution authorizing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$250.00 from Code Account c-1329 (supplies) to Code Account F-1332 (Equipment.)

Which was read, and on motion of Mr. Garland, laid over.

Mr. English presented

No. 3854. Report of the Committee on Public Works for October 28, 1919, transmitting two ordinances and a resolution to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3742. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance cancelling and annulling Contract No. 4509, Mayor's Office File No. 230, which is a contract entered into between the City of Pittsburgh and Allegheny Heating Company for the furnishing of gas to the North Side Light Plant, Brocket street, North Side, City, for a term of nine months from and after April 1, 1916."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3760. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the widening, regrading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of East Ohio street, from Heinz street to the City line at Millvale Borough, and providing for the payment of the cost of same."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3761. Resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works and the Chief

Engineer of the Bureau of Engineering to attend the annual convention of the American Society for Municipal Improvements at New Orleans, La., November 11th to 14th, inclusive, and authorizing the issuing of warrants in payment of the expenses incurred thereby charging same to Appropriation Code Account No. 1414-B, Miscellaneous Service.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3855. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for October 28, 1919, transmitting two ordinances to council.

Which were read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3750. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance setting aside and dedicating certain property in the Tenth ward for public use for highway purposes for the widening of Stanton avenue.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 3756. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the opening grades on Bills way, Elder way, Ludwick street, Shady avenue and Victory way, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened highways by Mrs. Magdalena C. Howley's Plan of Lots."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

The Chair at this time stated

That the Flood Commission had requested Council to appoint a committee to attend the Convention in St. Louis.

Mr. Rauh moved

That President Herron and Mr. Robertson be appointed as a committee to represent the City at said convention.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3856. Resolved. That it be the sense of this Council, the Controller concurring, that the expens-

es up to this date of the Women's Employment Service be approved by the Finance Committee, the bills to be referred to Finance Committee for action thereon.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3857. Whereas, During the Winter months, the lakes in the various Public Parks are frozen over but a comparatively short time; and

Whereas, During the past Winter there were but about two weeks' outside ice skating in this section, and the general public was forbidden the use of the lakes on Sundays; Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to grant the use of the lakes in the various public parks for ice skating on Sundays.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Upon which motion, Mr. English demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Noes—Mr.
English

Ayes—8.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of council being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

The Chair stated

That Tuesday, November 11, 1919, having been declared a half-holiday (Armistice Day), the committees would meet on Wednesday, November 12, 1919.

And there being no further business before the meeting the Chair declared Council adjourned.

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ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, November 17, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Kauh
Henderson	Winters

Absent—Mr. Robertson.

The Chair stated

That as there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, November 10, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, November 10, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3858. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of W. R. Reynolds, a Lieutenant in the Bureau of Police, for the sum of \$333.33, for lost time from March 9, 1919, to October 9, 1919, by reason of

injuries received while in the performance of his duties in Schenley Park on September 7, 1918, when he was struck by an automobile, and charging same to Code Account No. 44-M, Workmen's Compensation.

Also

No. 3859. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to satisfy the assessment against the property of Mary Wall for the grading and paving of Springer way upon the payment of \$217.00.

Also

No. 3860. An Ordinance amending Section 65, Department of Public Works, City-County Building, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 3861. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the following sums of money, to-wit:

\$160.00 from Code Account No. 1149 to Code Account No. 1142;
144.70 from Code Account No. 1014, to Code Account No. 1173;
235.14 from Code Account No. 1283, to Code Account No. 1173;
1,300.00 from Code Account No. 1180, to Code Account No. 1173;
2,500.00 from Code Account No. 1180, to Code Account No. 1173.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3862. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract for sixteen (16) motorcycles, more or less, for the Bureau of Police.

Also

No. 3863. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for electric wiring in the De-

partment of Public Safety Building, Sixth avenue and Cherry way.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 3864. An Ordinance widening Second avenue, in the First ward, from Liberty avenue to Short street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3865. Resolution approving the lease between the heirs of Edwin Bindley, deceased, and the City of Pittsburgh for a tenancy-at-will for all those lots of ground numbered 125, 126, 127, 128 and 129 in the plan of lots in the Bindley Estate situate on the corner of Vickroy and Magee streets in the First ward, from September 1, 1919, at a monthly rental of \$25.00; said rent to be payable from Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Services, Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Also

No. 3866. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Clarence Crissman for \$61.25 for two weeks' vacation as Chauffeur in the General office of the Department of Public Works, and charging same to Code Account No. 1401-A, Salaries.

Also

No. 3867. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Pittsburgh Paint Supply Company for \$1,749.07 for the furnishing of pure raw linseed oil to the Bureau of Engineering, Division of Bridges, and charging same to Code Account No. 1468.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3868. Communication from Men's Brotherhood of East Bellevue M. E. Church endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also

No. 3869. An Ordinance fixing the salaries of the Sergeants in the Bureau of Police, Department of Public Safety.

Also

No. 3870. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,671.93 from Appropriation No. 52-M, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 42-7, Women's Employment Service, Council of National Defense.

Also

No. 3871. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in payment of the salary and expense roll presented by the Women's Employment Service amounting in the aggregate to \$2,671.93, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42-7.

Also

No. 3872. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Masonic Fund Society of the County of Allegheny for \$323.39 on account of adjustment of water rates on property located on Fifth avenue, Fourth ward, and charging same to Code Account No. _____.

Also

No. 3873. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of E. J. DuPont de Nemours and Company for \$15.05 in place of warrant No. 31377 which was lost or destroyed, and charging same to Appropriation No. 185A.

Also

No. 3874. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Bruckman Lumber Company for \$2,168.38, for lumber used in the erection of reviewing stands for homecoming troops, and charging same to Code Account No. 1027—Special Reservations. Mayor's Civic and War Committee.

Also

No. 3875. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of F. G. Kelsey for \$23.00 to reimburse him for premium on a fire and theft policy on a Ford automobile, and charging same to Code Account No. 1045, War Garden Commission.

Also

No. 3876. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of The Jewish Criterion for \$200.00; Rocereto's Band and Orchestra for \$154.00 and the Tribune Publishing Company for \$120.00 for expenses incurred in connection with the "Special Bond Election," and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Bond Election, Contingent Fund.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3877. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$3,500.00 from Appropriation No. 1553, Wages, Temporary Employees, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1555, Supplies, Asphalt Plants, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Also

No. 3878. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of J. H. McElroy for \$184.74 for expenses entailed in the transportation of the old fire engine "Vigilant" from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh, and charging same to Appropriation No. —.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3879. An Ordinance designating Stahl way, as the name for an unnamed 20-foot way, from Olive street to Mountford avenue, in the Twenty-fifth ward.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3880. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Mathilda Staab in the sum of \$292.50, being one-half of the salary as dependent of her son, William G. Staab, a sub-hoseman in the Bureau of Fire, during the period of his absence from the City Service in the service of the United States Army, and charging same to Code Account No. 50; also a warrant in favor of William G. Staab in the sum to which he would be entitled to in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 229, approved July 23, 1919, granting half increase to city employees while in the service of the United States, and charging same to Code Account No. 50.

Also

No. 3881. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration in favor of Morris Caplan for \$25.00, being excessive charge for water rent on his premises at No. 4 Overhill street, Third ward, for the quarter ending September 6, 1919.

Also

No. 3882. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Theodore Betts for Lot No. 328 Rutherford avenue, Nineteenth ward, for the sum of \$500.00.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3883. An Ordinance establishing the opening grades on Antoinette street, Alcock way, Camella street, Downlook avenue, Drive street, Drive way, Fence way, Garage way, Ogleshorpe avenue, Oldani street, Premire street and Woodbine street, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened highways by the Pittsburgh City Garden Company in a plan of lots of theirs in the Tenth

ward of the City of Pittsburgh to be called Plan of City Garden.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Bauh presented

No. 3884. An Ordinance increasing the salaries of Lieutenants of Police of the Department of Public Safety of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing for payment thereof.

Also

No. 3885. An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series "A", 1919, the sum of \$18,000.00 for the payment of supplies and materials, etc., furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 3886. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer \$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1642, "Regular Salaries," to Code Account No. 1648, "Materials," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 3887. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mark M. Grobstein, for use of Noah Grobstein, in the sum of \$1,049.38, being payment in full of one-half of his salary as Stenographer-Clerk in the Bureau of Tests, payable to his father as dependent during the period of his absence from his employment in the City of Pittsburgh while in the Military Service of the United States during the war with the Imperial Government of Germany, and charging same to Code Account No. 50-M.

Also

No. 3888. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Julian L. Converse, for use of Marion Elizabeth Converse, in the sum of \$468.63, being payment in full of one-half of his salary as Chemist in the Bureau of Tests, payable to his wife as dependent during the period of his absence from his employment in the City of Pittsburgh while in the Military Service of the United States during the war with the Imperial Government of Germany, and charging same to Code Account No. 50-M.

Also

No. 3889. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Henry P. Haas Agency for \$38.75 covering fire insurance in the sum of \$10,000.00 on the brick warehouse and contents and the bins of the Department of Supplies at No. 9 Fancourt street, and charging same to Code Account No. 42.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3890. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Chas. G. Hanny & Company for \$199.20 for installing new screen and grating doors at the South Side Market, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1601-G, Structural and Non-structural Improvements to the South Side Market.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The Chair presented

No. 3891. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Ellen C. Monahan for \$33.00 for damages to household goods by detectives breaking into her home at 225 Sheridan avenue in search of evaders of the law, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3892. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of David Davies in the sum of \$75.00 for services as Stenographer-Clerk for the Mayor's Welcome Committee for the first half of the month of November, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1027, Mayor's Welcome Committee.

Also

No. 3893. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of William Kane in the sum of \$200.00 for services rendered the Mayor's Welcome Committee in tabulating the number of men who entered the service of the United States Government as soldiers and sailors from the City of Pittsburgh, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1027, Mayor's Welcome Committee.

Also

No. 3894. Petition of Telephone Operators in the Bureau of Electricity for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3895. Communication from Gate Mechanics, Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, asking for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3896. Communication from Filter Attendants, Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, asking for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3897. Communication from Local Union No. 6, International Union of Elevator Constructors, asking that the City Elevators Inspectors' salary be

fixed at \$7.50 per day of 44 hours per week.

Also

No. 3898. Communication from Edward Anderson asking to be reimbursed for 8 days' lost time in August as laborer in the Bureau of Highways and Sewers on account of injuries received while on duty.

Also

No. 3899. Communication from the United States Realty Company offering property known as Bethany Home, at the corner of Center avenue and Overhill street, Third ward, for playground purposes.

Also

No. 3900. Communication from the Oakland Board of Trade asking the City to purchase the Sullivan property on Frazier street at the foot of Dawson street, Fourth ward, for playground purposes.

Also

No. 3901. Communication from W. S. Horner asking the City to acquire the property at the corner of Center avenue, Liberty avenue, Rebecca street and Baum boulevard, for park purposes.

Also

No. 3902. Communication from J. H. Lyons asking the City to acquire the property at the corner of Center avenue, Liberty avenue, Rebecca street and Baum boulevard, for park purposes.

Also

No. 3903. Communication from Lee S. Smith asking the City to acquire the property at the corner of Center avenue, Liberty avenue, Rebecca street and Baum boulevard, for park purposes.

Also

No. 3904. Communications from E. H. Utley, Francis K. Howell, E. L. Neff and Fred L. Homer asking the City to acquire the property at the corner of Center avenue, Liberty avenue, Rebecca street and Baum boulevard, for park purposes.

Also

No. 3905. Report of the Department of Public Health showing the removal of garbage and rubbish during the month of October, 1919, and the month of October, 1918.

Also

No. 3906. Communication from C. K. Robinson, Special Assistant City Solicitor, asking for a meeting with Council and the Receivers of the Pittsburgh Railways Company in regard to the matter of street improvements.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3907. Communication from the Spring Hill Board of Trade asking that the sharp curve at the corner of Ilen and Concord streets, Twenty-fourth ward, be eliminated.

Also

No. 3908. Communication from J. J. Dunlevy asking that Hodgkiss street between Bartold street and Superior avenue be closed to vehicle traffic on account of the condition of the street.

Also

No. 3909. Communication from the Mens' Victory Bible Class, Fourth M. P. Church, complaining of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers not compelling property owners to lay sidewalks.

Also

No. 3910. Communication from property owners asking that Superior avenue be opened between Brighton road and Stayton street.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3911. An Ordinance classifying and regulating the use of fire resistive building materials, systems, units and forms of construction for fire resistive purposes; authorizing the Superintendent of the Bureau of Building Inspection to issue approvals and disapprovals of fire resistive building materials, systems, units and forms of construction; extending the right to any manufacturer, agent or legal representative to conduct tests to prove the suitability of his fire resistive building material, system, unit or form of construction for the purpose for which it is intended to be used; providing regulations and standards for conducting tests upon fire resistive building materials, systems, units and forms of construction; providing specifications for fire resistive building materials, systems, units and forms of construction for the purposes of fire protection according to said test standards; providing the authority to accept the results of tests as a basis for classification of building materials, systems, units and forms of construction; and providing penalties for the violations of the provisions hereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3912. Report of the Committee on Finance for November 12, 1919, transmitting sundry resolutions and ordinances to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3655. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to execute a lease with the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society for buildings and premises known as the Exposition buildings located on Duquesne way, City of Pittsburgh, and fixing the term and rental thereof, for the purpose of a city garage, for city storage and other lawful purposes."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3745. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the settlement of damages to property on Greenfield avenue, in the Fifteenth ward of Pittsburgh, caused by hillside slip due to the grading of Alexis street, and making appropriation in the sum of \$13,400.00 therefor."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3808. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 49, Allegheny Carnegie Free Library, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919, as amended by an ordinance approved March 6, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

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Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
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Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3636. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of John T. Clark in the sum of \$203.50, for time lost as a result of injuries sustained in the performance of his duty as an auto truck driver in the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, and charging same to Appropriation No. 44.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and

final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3758. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Dr. Wm. W. Blair for the sum of \$100.00 for professional services rendered Robert Pringle, a uniformed member of the Bureau of Police, who was struck in the eye by a thrown baseball while on duty at a baseball game played on the North Side Board of Trade grounds, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3799. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following for expenses incurred in connection with the entertainment of the Royal Belgian Party, and charging same to Code Account No. 1027—Celebrations, Civic and War Committee:

Liberty Flag & Decorating Co.	\$ 17.35
McMahon Bros.	3.34
Pittsburgh Press Club	192.25
South Hills Publishing Co.	14.50

Western Penna. Exposition Society	48.00
William Penn Hotel	388.70
	\$665.54

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3801. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the American Lumber and Manufacturing Company for lumber for the Bureau of Bridges, in the sum of \$1,062.81, payable from Code Account No. 1461.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3802. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Burroughs Adding Machine Company in the sum of \$539.00, in payment of a Burroughs Electric Duplex Machine with shuttle carriage for use of the City Controller's Office, and

charging the same to Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3820. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of A. W. McCloy Company in the sum of \$531.00, for the purchase of twelve (12) special desks, the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1066.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3675. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of Joseph P. Reed in the sum of \$76.93, and in favor of Joseph Wagman, Fannie Sakon and Mary Robins, in the sum of \$71.80, being a refund of one-third of the 1919 City Taxes paid by them respectively on properties purchased from them by the City of Pittsburgh, and charging the same to Code Account No. 42 (Contingent Fund.)

In Finance Committee, November 12, 1919, read and amended by striking out the words "42 Contingent Fund)", and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "41, Refunding Taxes," and as amended ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3615. Resolution empowering the City Solicitor to satisfy assessment on property of Charles E. Scheutz, for the improvement of Truru way, upon the payment of one-half of the assessment, to-wit: \$258.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3634. Resolution authorizing the acceptance of the sum of \$1,000.00 from James H. McQuade Company in full satisfaction of all claims and demands of the City of Pittsburgh against said James H. McQuade Company arising out of the contract for the grading, regrading, repaving and otherwise improving Wabash street, from Park way to South Main street; South Main street, from West Carson street to Alexander street; Neptune street, from Wabash street to Mill street, and the streets and alleys affected by the improvement of the same.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3723. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Joseph H. Cohen on account of charge for water, in the sum of \$81.98, being one-half of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate, on property at 67 Hoffers way, Third ward.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3798. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to deliver a deed for parcel of ground on the easterly line of Moschell street to Mrs. Minnie M. Wehner for the sum of \$75.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3803. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Salaries Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to the various code accounts in the Department of City Planning, as follows:

Code Account, No. 1107,	
Salaries	\$3,675.00
Code Account No. 1109,	
Supplies	200.00
Code Account No. 1112,	
Equipment	1,125.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3804. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer

\$5,000.00 from Code Account No. 1074, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1075, Witness Fees, Department of Law;

500.00 from Code Account No. 1074, Miscellaneous Services; to Code Account No. 1076, Department of Law;

100.00 from Code Account No. 1074, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1078, Equipment, Department of Law.

500.00 from Code Account No. 1087, Purchase of Land, to Code Account No. 1086, Equipment, Division of Municipal Improvements, Department of Law.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3805. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the following sums, to-wit:

From Code Account No. 1424, Materials, Division of Surveys, to Code Account No. 1423, Supplies, Division of Surveys

\$ 100.00

From Code Account No. 1424, Materials, Division of Surveys, to Code Account No. 1426, Equipment, Division of Surveys

300.00

From Code Account No. 1461, Materials, Bridge Repairs,

City Force, to Code Account
No. 1463, Equipment, Bridge
Repairs, City Force..... 200.00
Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3806. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$300.00 from Code Account No. 1089, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1090, Supplies, Bureau of Public Improvements, Department of Law.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3825. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer \$500.00 from Account No. 1642, Salaries, Regular Employees, to Account No. 1646, Miscellaneous Services, Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-

low the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3832. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$700.00 from Appropriation No. 1226, Repairs, Tuberculosis Hospital, to No. 1198, Equipment and Machinery, Bureau of Infectious Diseases.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3848. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$250.00 from Code Account C—Supplies 1329, to Code Account F—Equipment 1332, Department of Supplies.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and

third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. English presented

No. 3913. Report of the Committee on Public Works for November 12, 1919, transmitting several ordinances to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3826. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance authorizing the opening of Superior avenue, from angle of said avenue on properties of Messrs. Seibert and Seifert, to New Brighton Road,' approved November 16, 1889."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2531. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance opening and naming Tulsa street in the Third ward

of the City of Pittsburgh, from Bedford avenue to White street, establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 3008. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance opening Enfield street, in the Eighth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Center avenue to Baum boulevard, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3914. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for November 12, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3520. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance changing the lines of Allison street, in the Thirteenth ward, from a point 140 feet south of Inglenook Place to a point 140 feet north of Inglenook Place, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 3587. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Chatfield & Woods Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a reinforced concrete platform over and across the northwestern sidewalk of Short street, from First avenue to Second avenue, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., between the building of the Chatfield & Woods Company's warehouse and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's overhead track on Short street, subject to the terms and conditions of this ordinance."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3816. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use an industrial track on and across Twenty-sixth street located three hundred and fifteen (315') feet north from the northerly building line of Railroad street, in the Second ward, City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., from and to buildings of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3817. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use switch sidings on and across Railroad street, Second ward, City of Pittsburgh, switch siding No. 1, located at the intersection of Twenty-sixth street and switch siding No. 2 located 148.2' west of the westerly building line of Twenty-sixth street, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc. to the building of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3818. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use an 8" steam pipe, a 3" water pipe and a 16" insulated tile conduit for the purpose of conveying steam heat and compressed air from the Power Plant under and across Twenty-sixth street to the pipe shop, property of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, Second ward, City of Pittsburgh, located 254' from the northerly building line of Railroad street northwardly to the center of proposed pipe lines.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3811. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the opening grade on Pemberton street, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as a legally opened highway by Webster Hinnau, in a Plan of Lots of his property, named 'Cooper Square,' in the Twenty-seventh ward."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2941. An ordinance, entitled, "An Ordinance vacating Ridgeway street, in the Fifth and Sixth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, between the Bloomfield bridge and Melwood avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3915. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for November 12, 1919, transmitting two ordinances and two resolutions to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3787. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at No. 5 Police Station, on Forty-third street.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3788. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at No. 7 Police Station, on South Thirteenth street."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3789. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in

favor of Joseph H. Dye, District Commissioner of the Bureau of Police, for the sum of \$19.00, covering money spent by him in securing evidence against persons for keeping disorderly houses, and charging the same to Code Account No. 1158-M, Local Secret Service Fund, Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3790. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh for \$332.43, in payment of claim contracted by the Department of Public Safety, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1160.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 3916. Report of the Committee on Charities and Correction for November 12, 1919, transmitting a resolution to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3812. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Dr. C. R. McKinniss for the sum of \$32.12, for advertisement and express charges, and charging same to Code Account 1319, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Department of Charities.

Which was read.

Mr. Rauh moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Mr. McArdle called up

Bill No. 2664. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mary Smith and Hubert Smith, her husband, in the sum of \$700.00, in payment of damages sustained to their property on Windsor street by reason of the City constructing a sewer through the same, and charging same to Code Account No. ———.

In Council, June 16, 1919. Read and laid on the table.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the resolution be recommended to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair took up

Bill No. 3705. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the purchase by the City of Pittsburgh from the Methodist Episcopal Church Union of Pittsburgh, a corporation, of a tract or piece of land situate in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and making an appropriation for the payment therefor."

In Council, Nov. 10, 1919. Bill read a first time, rule suspended, read a second

time and amended in the preamble and in the title as shown in red, and as amended, agreed to on second reading, and laid over for re-printing.

Which was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
Garland	McArdle
English	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

The Chair presented

No. 3917.

City of Pittsburgh, Pa.,
November 17, 1919.

To the Council of the City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—Early this year you authorized a Committee known as the Standardization Committee to investigate and report on the standardization of salaries and wages of employees of the City of Pittsburgh.

Please be advised that it is necessary for us to have the report of this Committee before we can submit the budget that we are now working on. If we get the report of this Committee at once we can submit the budget immediately. Failure to get the report is delaying submission of the budget to Council and we would be pleased if you could give us the report of the Committee at once.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President, are we going to accept the reasons given by the Mayor as proper ones for his failure to submit the budget in time to fix the tax levy by December 1, as required by law? Are we going to accept his statements as the real reasons why the budget has not been submitted to us? I for one am not.

When the Committee on Standardization was appointed it was not understood that the budget carrying the salary items was to be in accordance with the report of that committee, or that the Mayor or his department heads were to make a budget based upon that

report. The committee is to report to Council, and not the Mayor. Therefore, I emphasize again that the Mayor should not give this as a reason for his failure to submit the budget.

The law, and not the Council or the Mayor, fixes the times at which the budget must be submitted and the tax levy fixed. He does not need the information that would be given in the report of the Committee on Standardization to submit the budget estimates. These estimates should have been submitted to us long ago.

We don't know when the report of the Committee on Standardization will be submitted to Council; and if we leave the statement of the Mayor go on the record of today's meeting without challenge we accept the responsibility for the budget not being here. I for one don't want it understood that the responsibility belongs to Council.

The Chair:

Gentlemen, it seems to me that we can accept the communication. As every one knows we have absolutely nothing to do with the preparation and submission of the budget to Council. We are not liable for this delay. We should, however, call the Mayor's attention to the fact that the City Treasurer stated that the delay last year cost the city \$50,000.00 and hoped it would not occur again this year. For this reason he should be requested to make haste in presenting the budget. However, his communication comes to us in the regular way and we can dispose of it by receiving and filing it.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, there are various reasons why the report of the Committee on Standardization has not made its report; however, those reasons might be explained later.

The Committee on Standardization was appointed largely upon the request of the Mayor, and at the time the committee was appointed it was set forth in the law creating it that the Mayor or the President of Council could set with the committee or that either of them could call a meeting of the committee at any time. So far as I know, neither has participated in the deliberations of the committee or has either of them requested the committee to submit its report or a portion of it.

The deliberations of the Standardization Committee should not interfere with the Mayor submitting his departmental estimates. However, should it be necessary that the Mayor have the committee's report before he submit his departmental estimates for salaries, he could sub-divide the estimates and submit those for supplies, equipment and material at once, and submit those for salaries when they are ready. If

this course were followed there would be no delay at all.

The Chair:

In answer to Mr. Winters, I want it understood that so far as the President of Council was concerned, he did not want to interfere with the committee's work; hence no suggestions or criticisms were submitted by him to the committee.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, I didn't intend to cast any reflection on either you or the Mayor. If either one were dissatisfied with the progress of deliberations of the Standardization Committee it was prescribed that either could call a meeting of that committee and state his purpose and the committee would have carefully considered their suggestions and acted on them promptly.

The Chair:

So far as I am concerned, I have no complaint to make. The only complaint I have is that the Mayor as the Executive of the City is to prepare and submit to Council a budget and then it is up to Council to pass its judgment on the same.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, before we dispose of it, would it be the intention of the Council that the Mayor submit a partial budget, that is, the items for equipment, machinery and supplies, and leave out all wage recommendations? If that could be done it would facilitate the consideration of the budget.

The Chair:

Personally, I don't think we could very well do that.

Mr. Garland:

Mr. President, I made that suggestion in order to facilitate matters.

The Chair:

We as members of Council have a duty to perform. In fixing the salary of all city employees, and the matter of standardization has been referred to this committee for its study and report. The Council has one member on this committee and the remainder of the committee is composed of City employees. Therefore the Mayor could without much trouble get action by this committee, as three-fourths of the members are working under him.

It seems to me it would be a good suggestion to again notify the Mayor that his dilatory action may cause the City to lose \$50,000.00 as stated by the Treasurer in his communication to Council, a copy of which was sent to the Mayor.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

It is well known by the Mayor that the law prescribes that the tax levy should be fixed by December 1, and I made my suggestion for the purpose of facilitating the presentation of the budget to Council, a portion of it if not the complete budget. We should find out whether the Council wants the budget without the salary recommendations. Mr. Winters made the suggestion that it could be brought in that way. I don't want to be understood as recommending that it be done that way. It may be a quick way of doing it.

The Chair:

The Mayor ought to submit his budget. The recommendations of the Standardization Committee could follow later, and Council then fix the salaries accordingly.

Mr. Rauh arose and said:

Mr. President, I don't think it would be out of order to notify the Mayor that we are ready to receive the budget and that Council do as it has heretofore, leave the consideration of the salaries until the last. I therefore move that the Mayor be notified that Council is ready to receive the budget; that the question of salaries will not be entertained until we finish the other parts of the budget first. I think it is the only solution to the problem now facing Council. It should be understood among ourselves that the question of salaries will not be considered until the report of the Committee on Standardization is received. While we are awaiting this report we could probably finish the other items, such as supplies, equipment and material.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, I don't think it is within our province to tell the Mayor that we are ready to receive the budget now. As a matter of fact we have been ready since September. If we pass this resolution we would be admitting and acknowledging that we have not been ready. I am not willing to make any such statement.

I think we ought to go on record that the matter of the Standardization Committee's report, in our opinion, has no connection whatever with the budget at this time. The Mayor may send in a budget estimate with or without salary provisions. It is his problem at this time, not ours, and we should not accept the responsibility for the unusual delay this year. If the Mayor desires to use the report on standardization as an excuse for further delay he has the right and privilege to do so. We should not accept such an excuse or be a party to it.

The time for submitting the budget to the Council is passed, and the failure for its submission to Council is upon the Mayor.

For us to get the report of the Committee on Standardization and send it to the Mayor, as ours, would be a very serious error on our part. Council does not make or submit the budget. We act on it after the Mayor sends it to Council.

I don't think we ought to take the position of telling the Mayor what his job is. We may criticize his acts, but it is not up to us to assume his responsibility in this matter.

The Chair:

The question is on the motion of Mr. Rauh.

Mr. Rauh arose and said:

Mr. President, I don't wish it understood that we are telling the Mayor what his duty is. I merely wish to have the Mayor notified that we are ready to receive the budget.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President, I will not support Mr. Rauh's motion. It is not obligatory upon Council to instruct the Mayor as to his official duties or inform him in advance what action Council intends to take in regard to the budget. Failure to receive the Standardization Committee's report is an insufficient reason for the Mayor's failure to submit his budget to Council.

Mr. Rauh arose and said.

Mr. President, I am perfectly willing to withdraw my motion.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President, I am opposed to the motion in that it delays consideration of salaries until the Mayor's estimates are in.

Mr. Rauh arose and said.

Mr. President, if there are no objections, I withdraw my motion and substitute this: That the Mayor be notified that Council is ready to receive the portion of the budget estimates now printed, without the salaries.

Upon which motion Mr. English demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Noes—Mr.

English

When the name of Mr. English was called, he arose and said:

Mr. President, I vote No, because I don't think we have any business to tell the Mayor what he should know.

Ayes—7.

Noes—1.

And the motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3918.

City of Pittsburgh, Penna.

November 17, 1919.

To the Council of the City of Pittsburgh:

Gentlemen—I regret to advise you officially of the death on November 2, 1919, of Mr. John G. Hastings, member of the Board of Assessors. I take this occasion to say that Mr. Hastings was one of the most popular and efficient men in the city service. His demise is a great loss to the City.

I hereby submit for your consideration the name of Mr. George H. Douglass, 421 Tripoli street, North Side, to fill the vacancy as member of the Board of Assessors caused by the death of Mr. Hastings. Mr. Douglass is a comparatively young man, now holding an important position in the Department of Public Health. He is a clean, high type of man, an inveterate worker, has been loyal to the City's interests while in its service, and, in my judgment, in every way merits this promotion. I am of the opinion that he will fill this position with credit to himself and the City.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

That the communication be received and filed and the appointment of the Mayor confirmed.

Upon which motion, the ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of council being in the affirmative, the appointment of the Mayor, was confirmed.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3919. Resolved, That the City Solicitor be requested to furnish Council with an opinion as to whether

the affiliation of the employees of the Fire Department of the City of Pittsburgh with the American Federation of Labor is legal.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, it seems to me that before we act on this matter we should have something definite that all the firemen in the employ of the City of Pittsburgh are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Do you dispute it?

Mr. English:

Yes.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, I do, because I have no information officially that they are.

Mr. English:

If the firemen are not all members of the American Federation of Labor it should be so stated in the resolution.

The Chair:

I concur in what Mr. English says; that if all the members of the Bureau of Fire are not affiliated with the American Federation of Labor it should not be so stated in the resolution.

Mr. Garland:

It does not say so in the resolution.

Mr. English:

Well, I understood from the reading of the resolution that you say all the firemen are members of this organization.

Mr. Garland:

Do you dispute they are?

Mr. English:

I am not disputing anything. Are all of them, I ask? I want to know if all of them are affiliated with a labor organization.

Mr. Garland:

I am willing to change my motion to read, whether it is legal for any of them to belong to the American Federation of Labor. I think it is only begging the question.

Mr. English:

Well, I would just like to ask then if any other employees of the City of Pittsburgh are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor?

Mr. Garland:

My motion has nothing to do with any other employees, and the gentleman's interrogation is entirely out of order. I will not answer any questions not germane to the subject under discussion.

Mr. Winters:

I just wanted to ask the gentleman if he can inform us whether all of the firemen are members of the American Federation of Labor.

Mr. Garland:

I am merely asking for information. I am asking for information from the Law Department on a specific point, and to bring in other stuff not germane to it is out of order.

The Chair:

The gentleman has asked a question and if you have no objection you might answer it.

Mr. McArdle:

I want to ask what Council wants this information for? Why does Council want this opinion from the Law Department?

The Chair:

I don't know. You might direct your question to Mr. Garland, the author of the resolution.

Mr. Garland:

I will ask the gentleman if he objects to a legal opinion being handed down to this Council on any question? The question is, are we to know the law or go unguided,

Mr. McArdle:

That is just why I asked him the question, to find out whether there was anything before this body which required the asking of this opinion. I don't see anything before the body that involves the necessity of this body asking the information from the Law Department. There may be splendid reasons, and that is what prompted me to ask the question as to the reasons, and to hear those reasons if they exist. I have no hesitancy to say that I will vote against the resolution.

Mr. Garland:

I can see the design in this opposition. The discussion of this comes later and you will find me back of this after we get the information asked for in the resolution. Does any gentleman of this Council desire to disobey his oath of office by refusing me light on any question? This is a four-line resolution. I am not going to get into an argument over it. I say every member should vote for a resolution in which

a member asks for information on a specific question. When the opinion comes in next week or the week after, you will find me giving my reasons. The gentleman no doubt knows my reason. I am not going to get into any argument, and the gentleman's duty is to vote for it.

Mr. McArdle:

If the gentleman means me, I will decide myself what my duties are and I will decide, too, in what manner I can best fulfill the obligations and duties of my office, and have them compared with his before the public as to who has fulfilled them to the best interests of the public. I will not apologize for any course I take.

The gentleman has said we know the reasons. Perhaps we do; but if we do, we did not get them in this body where this action is to be taken, and if there are reasons why it should be taken here they ought to be advanced here, and if we disagree with these reasons we will have an opportunity of placing them here as a matter of public record.

Mr. Garland:

I again submit that when we get the opinion the matter is up for argument.

Mr. Winters:

I don't want Mr. Garland to think that I desire to have a long-drawn out discussion of this matter, as he states; nor do I want him to think that I am opposed to the resolution because I asked him the question. I was prompted to ask the question because of a story appearing in the newspaper with Mr. Garland's name attached to it; and I think, like Mr. McArdle, if the reasons for the adoption of the resolution could be given out in a newspaper interview, surely the same reasons and the same story could be given to the members of Council so that they would have some reason for Council requesting this legal opinion. That was my reason for asking the question. I am not going to oppose Mr. Garland or any other member on any subject that pertains to city business.

Mr. English:

I would like to offer this suggestion. That Council pass a resolution to the effect that the City Solicitor be requested to give any member of Council any information on any subject relating to city business.

Mr. Garland:

My motion is before the body.

The Chair:

Do you offer your motion as a substitute, Mr. English?

And the question recurring on the adoption of the resolution offered by Mr. Garland.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, I want to say right now that I am opposed to this pettifoggery, piffle and bunk.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, I am vigorously opposed to terming this resolution pettifoggery, piffle or bunk, and I hope the Chairman will not allow this kind of language:

The Chair:

The gentleman must confine himself to the motion and refrain from casting aspersions on any person or his motives.

Mr. English:

Mr. President, I am going to prove my assertion. Did these men belong to the American Federation of Labor before the election?

The Chair:

The question before you is on a resolution asking for information as to whether it is legal for firemen to belong to a labor organization.

Mr. English:

I say it is piffle and bunk to ask for information that he already knows.

Mr. Garland:

I want this information in the hands of Council and I want it written on the records of Council.

Mr. English:

There is nothing before us that requires this opinion. It is pettifoggery and bunk, worse than piffle, and a newspaper attempt to capitalize Governor Coolidge and the recent Boston strike. That is all it is, pure and simple. It is an attempt to use Council as a vehicle for getting someone newspaper notoriety. Nobody is clamoring for this kind of information. The Law Department never denied information to any member of Council, and in this case it would not deny the information to the gentleman who so anxiously desires it.

I can well remember when a member of Council went outside to get an attorney's opinion in addition to the City Solicitor's opinion on a subject that was before Council. This was done in face of the fact that our own City Solicitor had already rendered an opinion on the matter. This was on the resolution appropriating \$10,000.00 to the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie Ship Canal Fund a few years ago. On another

question certain members of Council had information in advance from the City Solicitor before the Mayor's veto was submitted to Council. I might also call attention to the manner in which the budget was handled and man-handled when certain members had information on it before coming into Council.

I believe the firemen ought to get out of this labor organization, and I believe word to that effect was issued from headquarters in Washington advising them to get out, as the American Federation of Labor did not want to lose the many good things obtained for labor by reason of a few radicals getting the whole organization into trouble.

The passage of this resolution by Council is purely an attempt to secure for some member a lot of publicity, and I am not going to be used as a vehicle for this purpose. I would rather see a blanket resolution passed in which any member of Council could go to the City Solicitor and secure his opinion on any subject relating to city business.

I concur in the opinion of the previous speaker. What is the object of asking for this kind of information at this particular time? What is the object? Has the author a reason to think that the firemen by belonging to this organization are not performing their duty and living up to their oath of office? Until some good reasons can be given for asking this opinion I shall be compelled to vote against it.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President, I don't propose to support this motion in the face of the fact that no reasons are being advanced here as to why it should be supported. The absence of those reasons forces one to reach his own conclusion as to why they are not here. In the first place, whether the status of this affiliation is legal or illegal, is not a matter of Council's concern at this particular time. And if I were looking for a precedent, it seems to me, that I would not have to go farther back than two or three weeks when the author of this resolution said that the administration of the affairs of the Department of Public Safety was not a matter of Council's concern, but was a matter of administrative judgment and discretion and responsibility and if there is any circumstance, under which that is true, it seems to me that this is one of them.

I have no doubt in my mind that this resolution comes before us for two reasons. One is to picture the American Federation of Labor as an organization that is subversive to public interest to have anybody belong to it,

much less city firemen, and at the same time to raise the question in some roundabout way of the responsibilities that existed for the strike here in the Bureau of Fire last year.

Now, I want to go squarely on record that the affiliation or non-affiliation with the American Federation of Labor or any National Labor Organization, in my judgment, had nothing to do with the strike of the firemen in the Bureau of Fire in the City of Pittsburgh last year, and the American Federation of Labor, of all other people, had no responsibility for that condition. Anybody who knows a single thing about the constitution and laws of the American Federation of Labor, if there was a direct affiliation between the members of the Bureau of Fire and that organization, that that action would have been absolutely opposed to those laws just as fully as they could have been opposed to the laws of Pittsburgh or the State of Pennsylvania.

I emphasize it is a question of administration of the Department of Public Safety; and if there is one man more than all other men put together who was responsible for that condition, it was the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh.

It is my judgment that if the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh during that trouble had as much bone in his back as he had in his head there would not have been a strike of the firemen in the City of Pittsburgh.

Anybody who knew the attitude of the American Federation of Labor upon the question of strikes generally knew they were opposed to strikes, and knew they received the plaudits of the Nation because of that policy. The American Federation of Labor at that time was absolutely opposed to strikes of any kind, its hostility to strike movements being emblazoned in its official organ as a warning to all laboring men that they must not do anything that they could not justify in the eyes of the boys who were fighting for them on the other side; and the American Federation of Labor from its highest officer to its humblest member adhered to that action.

That was the action and policy of the American Federation of Labor during the war.

If the condition upon which information is sought in this resolution existed and if an affirmative answer, or an answer to the effect that this affiliation is illegal comes, what does it mean? Does it mean that Council will then pass a resolution or an ordinance requiring the Department of Public Safety officials and the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh to enforce the law? We are admonished here to do those things which will keep us within the

provisions of our oath of office and our obligation as public officials, and if that is good advice here, it is certainly good advice to the Director of the Department of Public Safety, and it certainly is good advice to the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh, and the gentleman who wants this information and believes that he is going to contribute something to the welfare of the City of Pittsburgh ought to hasten to the Mayor's office and to the Director of the Department of Public Safety's office and get those two gentlemen to go to the legal department and let them get the information and let them take action in accordance with the advice they will get there.

That is not the purpose at all. Perhaps an opinion will be rendered that this affiliation is illegal, and then Council will be asked to take some steps which will have placed upon its shoulders the responsibility of upsetting a condition when that responsibility does not belong here, when the obligation rests as fully upon the Mayor and his department heads as any laws that could be passed could put it there.

We know that condition was not the outgrowth of the existence of a labor organization. It is the outgrowth of a policy by which the Department of Public Safety, in either of its main branches, is not looked upon as a great arm of the government instituted for the protection of the public, but as an effective agency to express the political will of the Mayor.

We read of men talking of the American Federation of Labor being in the hands of radicals and we face this condition even after the condition that was brought before the people of Pittsburgh when the members of the Fire Bureau abandoned their posts. We find the man who led the firemen in that strike with a record of dismissals or appearances before the Trial Board of the Bureau of Fire on eight or ten different occasions because of misconduct or some other charge and the dismissal of this man by those who were charged with the direct responsibility of that office and who, I believe, are honestly trying to maintain discipline, we find them confronted with two separate efforts to have that man put back upon the Bureau of Fire against their wishes after they had voted to convict him, and they thought, evidently, so seriously about it that the first attempt to reinstate him failed; but it was a matter apparently of so much importance to the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh that he could present himself personally before that Board, of which he is not a constituent part, and by his presence evidently overawe the members of it sufficiently to subjugate them to override their own desires to serve the in-

terest of the public and reinstate that man to a place in the Bureau of Fire.

And under those conditions, which may be multiplied almost without number, we are to use this case and such conditions as a means to join in what seems to have become a popular pastime of scourging the American Federation of Labor and every other labor organization in the land.

To set up an indictment against four or five million men because from among that number one or two, or a dozen, or a thousand, who are not measuring up to the proper ideals of Americanism, or who may perchance deserve hanging ought I know is not justified, and as far as I am concerned this condition does not warrant this action and will not receive my support in having this Council used for the purpose of furthering such methods as that.

As Mr. English has quite well said and the author knows as well as or better than any one in the Council that he could get this information from the City Solicitor himself, and I hazard the guess that he has already received it, and therefore, in the face of all these facts, there is no reason in the world why a resolution like this should be passed by Council after having been exploited in the daily papers and no reason advanced for the Council which is asked to pass it.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, I want to say a great many things have been impugned here. No man knows what is in my mind and I am not going to give what is in my mind. It is not germane to the question at this time. This is simply to ascertain the truth. If any member of the Council does not want light as to the law, that is his responsibility. I want this in the hands of Council and I want it written on the records of Council.

I don't have the opinion as the gentleman says. I want it and want it put on record.

I am putting this motion in good faith to find out whether, in appropriating money to the Fire Bureau we are appropriating to an illegally constituted body. No man will go further in paying a living wage to firemen than me, but, by George, they got to be independent firemen and not subject to labor strikes, either sympathetic or direct. I want them to exercise their rights as free American citizens. For that reason I want this put into legal shape. I want to meet the fire fighters and give them what they are entitled to. I am only asking for the law and want it to come into the hands of Council, because we are the appropriating body.

There has been a lot said about piffle and bunk. It is nonsensical to talk that

way. It is kindergarten talk. I want the information to come into Council because it belongs here.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, I am not an attorney, but I know that the City Solicitor will reply and say that a man who takes an oath of office to the public owes his allegiance to that office first. If a city employee belongs to a labor organization such membership should not affect his oath of allegiance to the people.

I don't think after he gets the information it will be effective in this case. I repeat again that I don't propose to allow this Council to be used as a vehicle by some member to gain newspaper notoriety. If there is nothing political about this why wasn't it brought up before the election?

Mr. Garland:

Mr. President, no fireman can say that I went into the fire engine houses before the primary or general election and solicited their votes. I am not using this resolution as a vehicle to gain notoriety either for myself or anybody else. The gentleman is entirely mistaken about that.

At the time the firemen's committee came before our committee. I informed them that the firemen's strike was unpatriotic and un-American, and I say it again. There was no justification for them to abandon their post. It was desertion and mutiny, and I say it again. I would not have brought this into the discussion, but am only doing so as an answer to the previous speaker.

This is a four-line resolution simply asking for information for Council. If the gentleman wants to have it done, it will be alright.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, I think we should confine ourselves to the subject. The subject before us is a resolution presented by Mr. Garland in which he asks for information from the City Solicitor on a specific question. I would no more deny a member of Council the right to an opinion from the Law Department than I would a body of citizens a hearing before the Council.

I think if the facts on which the resolution are predicated were given to Council, as they were to the newspaper, it would then have given us an opportunity to discuss it thoroughly. I know something about the American Federation of Labor, but it is not necessary to go into that question. The only

thing before us is, do we want this opinion from the Law Department and take up the facts behind it some other time?

Mr. Garland:

I will give them at the proper time.

Mr. McArdle:

Mr. Garland said something about appropriating to an illegally constituted body. I want to say in answer to him that we don't appropriate to the firemen's union. We appropriate to the Bureau of Fire a sufficient amount to pay the salaries of all employees, and every individual in that bureau is employed according to certain rules and regulations that are controlled by law; and whether the law in any respect is being violated is entirely in the hands of the Department of Public Safety and, above all, the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh to determine and correct any evil if it exists. Every member of this Council knows that you cannot withhold an appropriation to a bureau because some individuals in it happen to belong to an organization to which he should not belong. If there is anything that affects his standing as an employee, that condition could be quickly handled by the responsible officers of the department.

The Chair.

I am quite satisfied that the Mayor is the Chief Executive of the City and as such is at the head of our police and fire departments and is responsible for any conditions that exists in those departments. However, I don't believe we should deny a member of Council information when he asks for it.

And the question recurring on the adoption of the resolution, Mr. English demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
Garland	Rauh
Henderson	Winters

Noes—Messrs.

English	McArdle
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Ayes—6.

Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

And on motion of Mr. Garland,
Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, November 24, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

The Chair stated

That as there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, November 17, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Garland moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, November 17, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 3920. Petition for the vacation of Forge way, in the Twenty-seventh ward, as laid out in "James Verner's Plan of 71 lots at Verner station," from the easterly line of said Plan to the line dividing Lots 38 and 40 in said Plan.

Also

No. 3921. An Ordinance vacating Forge way, in the Twenty-seventh ward, as laid out in "James Verner's Plan of 71 Lots at Verner Station," from the easterly line of said Plan to the line dividing lots 38 and 40 in said Plan.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 3922. An Ordinance repealing an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at the Woods Run Police Station, Bureau of Police," approved April 9, A. D., 1919, and recorded, in O. B. Volume 30, Page 248.

Also

No. 3923. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for repairing cells for the Bureau of Police, at Central Police Station, corner of Sixth avenue and Cherry way.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 3924. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Greenfield avenue, from a point about 20 feet north of Winterburn avenue to the existing sewer on Greenfield avenue at Hoosac street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3925. An Ordinance granting unto the Vitro Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a two inch (2") steel oil supply pipe for the purpose of conveying fuel oil from their warehouse located on the northern

side of Chartiers avenue to their property on the southeastern side of Oliffe street, said pipe line to run from the northern side of Chartiers avenue under and across Chartiers avenue to Oliffe street, along the twelve foot (12' line on the eastern side of Oliffe street to the Vitro Manufacturing Company's factories for a total distance of three hundred and four feet (304') located in the Twentieth ward, City of Pittsburgh.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3926. An Ordinance amending item "Six Police Magistrates," Section 6, Mayor's Office, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1913.

Also

No. 3927. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the American Legion Band and Orchestra for \$135.00 and Rising and Radcliffe for \$40.00, for expenses incurred by reason of the Celebration of Armistice Day, November 11, 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 43, Finance Fund.

Also

No. 3928. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1672, "Supplies," Bureau of Light, to Code Account No. 1572, "Equipment and Machinery," Bureau of City Property.

Also

No. 3929. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$7.70 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, to Code Account No. 1146, Item A, Wages, Temporary Employees, Bureau of Police.

Also

No. 3930. Whereas, It was necessary to make certain repairs at the Diamond Market for which no appropriation had been made and various other code accounts are exhausted in which funds for the proper operation during the remainder of the year are necessary; Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfers from one code account to others in the Bureau of City Property.

FROM:

Code Account 1560—Salaries, General Office	\$ 50.60
Code Account 1563 — Repairs, General Office	300.00
Code Account 1565 — Decorations	300.00
Code Account 1569—Supplies, City County Building	9,000.00
Code Account 1575—Repairs, North Side City Hall	800.00
Code Account 1576—Salaries, Regular Employees, Diamond Market	1,100.00
Code Account 1589—Supplies, North Side Market	1,000.00
Code Account 1619—Salaries, Regular Employees, Comfort Stations	270.00
Code Account 1624—Supplies, Foster Homestead	172.00
	\$12,992.60

TO—

Code Account 1567—Wages, Regular Employees, City-County Building	\$ 850.00
Code Account 1567½—Wages, Temporary Employees, City-County Building	4,377.60
Code Account 1577—Wages, Regular Employees, Diamond Market	240.00
Code Account 1586—Wages Regular Employees, North Side Market	780.00
Code Account 1595 — Wages, Regular Employees, South Side Market	540.00
Code Account 1613—Wages, Regular Employees, Wharves and Landings	595.00
Code Account 1583—Repairs, Diamond Market	1,000.00
Code Account 1580—Supplies, Diamond Market	2,900.00
Code Account 1588—Miscellaneous Services, North Side Market	1,380.00
Code Account 1597—Supplies, South Side Market	330.00
	\$12,992.60

Also

No. 3931. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,500.00 from Appropriation No. 1069, Miscellaneous Services (Advertising Delinquent Taxes) to the following appropriations:

\$1,000.00 to Appropriation No. 1072, Equipment, Department Collector of Delinquent Taxes;
500.00 to Appropriation No. 1070, Supplies, Department Collector of Delinquent Taxes.

Also

No. 3932. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Hawkins, Delafield and Longfellow of New York City for \$5,000.00, as retainer for services rendered in assisting in and supervising the preparation of all ordinances and all other proceedings relating to the election for the increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, in the sum of \$21,000,000.00, and to pay said firm a further compensation, from time to time, of seventy-five (75c) cents per thousand for all bonds actually sold under said authorized issue, and charging same to Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 3933. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Mrs. Mary Christe in the sum of \$188.86, refunding excessive charge for water rent on her premises at 2423 Westmar street, Twenty-seventh ward.

Also

No. 3934. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$160.00 from Code Account No. 1800-B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Tests, to the following Code Accounts:

\$ 35.00 to Code Account No. 1801-C, Supplies.
5.00 to Code Account No. 1802-D, Materials.
120.00 to Code Account No. 1804-F, Equipment and Machinery.

Also

No. 3935. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,500.00 to Code Account No. 1206, Supplies, Division of Transmissible Diseases, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, from the following Code Accounts: \$300.00 from Code Account No. 1194, Salaries, Regular Employees, \$1,200.00 from Code Account 1204, Wages, Temporary Employees, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, and \$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1281, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Dairy Inspection, Bureau of Food Inspection.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3936. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer

\$600.00 from Appropriation No. 1526, Equipment, Cleaning Highways, to Appropriation No. 1523, Supplies, Cleaning Highways.

350.00 from Appropriation No. 1526, Equipment, Cleaning Highways, to Appropriation No. 1520, Repairs, Buildings, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3937. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on El Paso street, from the property line southwest of Martha street to the existing sewer on El Paso street at Martha street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 3938. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to allow all hospitals of the City of Pittsburgh, supported by public charity to receive free of charge two hundred and fifty (250) gallons of water per person per day, and providing for exoneration to that extent and the method of determining the same.

Also

No. 3939. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to W. G. Jones for Lot No. 5 in the Mrs. E. F. Denny Estate Plan located on Bigelow boulevard, Sixth ward, for the sum of \$1,250.00 (Commonwealth Real Estate Company, representatives.)

Also

No. 3940. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Samuel Kalb for a plot of ground located in the rear of Lawn street, Fourth ward, for the sum of \$25.00.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3941. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk of Squirrel Hill avenue, from a point about 20 feet south of Maynard street to the existing sewer on the north sidewalk of Plainfield street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3942. An Ordinance authorizing the acceptance of the grading, paving and curbing and sewerage of

portions of certain streets, dedicated in the Murdoch Farms Plan, to-wit: Maynard street, Plainfield street, Squirrel Hill avenue, Bennington avenue, Inverness avenue and Murdoch street.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 3943. Petition of Elevator Operators in the City-County Building, Bureau of City Property, for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3944. Petition of Wharf Watchmen, Bureau of City Property, for change of title to Wharf Patrolmen and for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3945. An Ordinance amending a portion of Section 25, Bureau of Electricity, and a portion of Section 26, Bureau of Building Inspection, Department of Public Safety, of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved by the Mayor, January 22, 1919.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3946. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the grading, regrading, paving, repaving, curbing and otherwise improving East Ohio street, from Heinz street to City Line at Millvale Borough, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 3947. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Kennedy avenue, Barris avenue and private property of Highwood Cemetery Association, from a point about 60 feet west of Marshall avenue to the existing sewer on the private property of the Highwood Cemetery Association with a branch sewer on Barris avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 3948. Petition of Florists in Schenley and West Parks, under the Bureau of Parks, for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3949. An Ordinance fixing the number and salaries of certain employees in the Bureau of Electricity, Department of Public Safety, for the fiscal year 1920.

Also

No. 3950. An Ordinance fixing the salaries of the Plumbing Inspectors employed by the City of Pittsburgh in the Department of Public Health, Division of Plumbing and House Drainage.

Also

No. 3951. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$75.00 from Code Account No. 1491, General Repaving, Bureau of Engineering, 1919, to Code Account No. 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3952. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of A. R. Van Horn for the sum of \$515.40, for extra work done on contract for reconstruction of railing on retaining wall on the south side of South Eighteenth street near Josephine street, and charging same to Code Account No. 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, 1919.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The Chair presented

No. 3953. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of M. T. Mahoney for \$51.00 for professional services rendered him by Dr. Edward A. Weisser on account of injuries received by him while in the performance of his duties as laborer in the Distribution Division of the Bureau of Water in 1909, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 3954. An Ordinance placing the motorcycle detectives of the Department of Public Safety of the City of Pittsburgh on the same basis, in regards to pay and working conditions, as the City Detectives.

Also

No. 3955. Communication from George H. Soffel endorsing the request of city employees for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3956. Communication from the Ford Motor Company asking that the Motorcycle Policemen be given the same rank as regular police officers.

Also

No. 3957. Communication from the Pittsburgh Utilities Company endorsing the request of policemen for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3958. Communication from C. L. Saxton asking that uniformed members of the Bureau of Police be granted an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3959. Communication from the Standard Underground Cable Company endorsing the increase in salary asked for by the uniformed members of the Bureau of Police.

Also

No. 3960. Petition of employees in the Division of Motor Vehicles asking for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3961. Petition of Stenographer-Clerks in the Distribution Division of the Bureau of Water asking for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3962. Communication from Service Inspectors, Fire Hydrant Inspectors and Drillers in the Bureau of Water asking for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3963. Petition of Assistant Florists and Greenhouse Attendants at Schenley Park and West Park Conservatories, Bureau of Parks, for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 3964. Petition of weighmasters in the Division of Sanitation, Department of Public Health, asking for an increase in salary.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3965. Communication from B. Dangerfield, Blum, Weldon & Co., D. M. Clark, E. A. Spencer, Mrs. E. W. Crellin, Robert Russell and O. K. Price asking that the city acquire the property bounded by Liberty avenue, Rebecca street and Baum Boulevard for park purposes.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3966. Communication from Charles A. Poth asking the City to acquire property bounded by St. Paul

street, Roscoe street, Yard way and the Monastery Grounds for playground purposes.

Also

No. 3967. Communication from the Brushton Board of Trade asking the City to acquire property in the Thirteenth ward from John H. Ward & Sons Company for playground purposes.

Also

No. 3968.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

November 19, 1919.

To the President and Members of City Council.

Gentlemen—In compliance with your request of October 27, for an estimate as to the cost of the construction of concrete steps from the right-of-way of the Panhandle Railroad to a point near the intersection of Hallock street and Grandview avenue on Duquesne Heights, I would state that the cost is estimated at \$30,000.00, exclusive of property damages.

Yours very truly,

JOHN SWAN,

Director.

Also

No. 3969.

152 Gray St.,

Pittsburgh, Pa.

November 19, 1919.

To the Chairman of the Budget Committee, City Council, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—I have this day mailed to Hon. John Herron, Chairman of Council, a copy of letter written and mailed to Mayor E. V. Babcock concerning conditions, management, food, supplies, etc., existing at Mayview City Home and Hospital.

It has been charged by an official of the institution that the responsibility for a number of these conditions lies with your Committee for the reason that you cut down appropriations asked for to properly equip the institution with enough help and to furnish proper, nutritious and sufficient food for both help and inmates of the institution.

I trust that this Committee will see to it that sufficient funds are secured and appropriated in making up the next Budget to properly equip and feed the inmates and employees and to properly operate the institution.

I also earnestly request that a thorough investigation be made by you, as officials, in order that the newly elected superintendent will be able to show his ability to fill the position to which he was recently appointed or elected.

Hoping to see early results in my future visits, I remain,

Yours respectfully,
CHARLES W. WILBERT.
(Signed).

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 3970.

152 Gray St.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.
November 19, 1919.

Hon. John Herron and Members of
Council, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen—On October 28, 1919, I wrote and mailed to Mayor E. V. Babcock a copy of the enclosed communication. Same was mailed to him by registered letter. He, having failed to acknowledge receipt of same, evidently intends to ignore the information and charges I make. Three weeks or more have now elapsed and I can find no efforts being made towards making improvement in conditions, etc., and from further observations and investigations. I now ask that Council proceed to take the proper official action to bring about improvement without further delay and that the enclosed communication be read in open Council.

Yours respectfully,
CHARLES W. WILBERT.
(Signed.)

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
October 23, 1919.

Hon. E. V. Babcock,
Mayor City of Pittsburgh,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Sir—As per your request to put in writing and submit to you for your official consideration and information concerning our conversation in your office Monday, October 27, 1919, in connection with conditions, management, etc., at Mayview City Home and Hospital, gathered by my personal observations and interviews with both male and female employees during my weekly visits covering a period of four months past, within the last three weeks past, on one particular day there was not enough bread to feed the inmates in what is known as the Women's Cottage. There is and has been for the past two years a shortage of nurses and female attendants, nurses are compelled to attend training school against their own wishes, consequently do not remain in service any considerable length of time. In this particular department (the Women's Cottage) there are I am informed 400 inmates housed and cared for, in which there are but five nurses on duty during the day and but three during the night. There is a state law requiring one nurse to

every eleven inmates or persons, a number of nurses and attendants in service in other parts of the institution is charged up to this particular department in order to make it appear there is a fairly good supply. The total number of female nurses and attendants are about 35 or 40 in the entire institution, so one can readily see there is an unreasonable shortage in this particular line of employees.

There is particularly a very great shortage of nutritious food that is very essential to the upbuild of the body physically, which helps to strengthen the mind. Employees inform me they are only about half fed they having had but one meal or two where fresh vegetables in seasons such as lettuce, radishes, peas, string beans were served, they not being grown in quantities large enough to feed even the employees more frequently than above stated. Inmates are fed for breakfast, dry bread, molasses, black coffee, no cereal, eggs, milk or sugars are ever served, at least not very often for more than a year or two past; for dinner, soup, small piece of meat, dry bread; supper, about same as for breakfast, sometimes tea is substituted for coffee.

The production and purchase of milk has been reduced 50 to 60 gallons daily, and the population of the institution has very materially increased. Little or no attention is paid, to the general welfare of the inmates, either in the home or hospital department, however, the closest attention, best of service, etc., is furnished and given the henery, piggery and cow husbandry are better provided for than the inmates of the institution. I have heard it boasted of how much better these three industries have improved in quality, and breeding in the past three years, some of these boosters among the higher attaches connected with the institution and who never get further than the office and the dinner table provided for on special occasions, such as was served Friday, October 17, milk fed ducks raised at Mayview Farm and fed with milk two or three weeks before their slaughter, that belonged to the inmates of the institution.

About all the outgoing superintendent did was to play golf, ride saddle horse and look after those great industries of the farm, Piggery, Henery and Cow Husbandry, and to see that his children rode to and from school at Bridgeville, in a two horse conveyance and driver furnished by the city at \$65.00 or \$70.00 per month, whose business it was to meet trains at the Mayview Station with the ambulance to haul patients to the institution. Shortage of nurses is what caused one woman the loss of both eyes, having been gouged out by another inmate.

These unfortunate souls are the wards of the City of Pittsburgh, of the Mayor and the Councilmen as a body, plenty of money is provided by payment of taxes to properly care for and provide their every need and wants, supply proper food, shelter, clothing, nursing, etc., and provide capable and efficient nurses not afraid to pull off their coats, roll up their sleeves and work to see that these matters are executed. Numbers of persons, inmates sleep on the floors in hallways, upon mattress and straw ticks and other improved substitutes, while there are empty beds and room for more to be set up, but on account of lack of nurses and help to look after them, they must lie like animals as best they can.

I have observed some very unsanitary conditions among quite a few of the inmates, some have head lice and nits, others act like they might have cooties, wearing apparel and garments filthy and in tatters, some have no shoes, stockings worn by them with soles entirely worn out from long wear and service. I am also informed that the cost of feeding, and, I presume this includes the feeding of the employees is 18 cents per day per person; the party who gave me this information was in a position to do so from his own personal knowledge and must be absolutely correct.

Conditions in the entire institution generally are in a very deplorable condition and needs cleaning up in all departments before any further suffering during the coming cold season sets in.

In conclusion I will state that the stake is always set for the public visitors' benefit to create a favorable impression by the well kept lawn and flower beds and small vegetable patches which are in the very plain view to the casual observer in passing to and from the walk and approaches to the buildings. The farmer is paid less than the man in charge of the hennery, this may account for the small cultivation of vegetables in larger acreage.

It is my intention, should these matters herein referred to do not get your proper attention officially to give same information to the daily press for publicity.

Yours very respectfully,
CHARLES W. WILBERT.
(Signed)

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Charities and Correction.

Mr. English moved

That the Council visit the City Home and Hospitals at Mayview on Tuesday morning, November 25, 1919, at 9:30 o'clock, to investigate the charges.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, in support of this motion. It seems to me that serious

charges have been made by Mr. Wilbert. This being the case, I deem it of the highest importance that the members of Council themselves should immediately go to Mayview and ascertain whether or not these charges are true. If they are true, it is our duty to correct them. If they are not true, it is equally our duty to vindicate the Director.

I don't know whether they are true or not. They may be exaggerated in spots, but it seems to me that it is a most serious accusation against our city.

Under the circumstances, I feel that the members of Council should themselves make a personal investigation of this matter and not leave it to any intermediary officials. This, it seems to me, is absolutely necessary in view of the fact that we gave Director McKelvey everything he asked for in the budget this year and it is certainly not our fault if there was not sufficient money to buy food for the patients at Mayview. As we are about to commence work on the budget for next year a personal visit will satisfy each one of us regarding the new appropriation.

Mr. Charles W. Wilbert, who was present at the meeting, arose and asked permission from the Chair to address the Council.

And there being no objections, Mr. Wilbert was given the privilege of the floor and asked that the complaints outlined in his communication be investigated.

And the question recurring on the motion, Mr. English demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Herron (President)	Robertson

Noes—Messrs.

Garland	Winters
Henderson	

When the name of Mr. Garland was called, he arose and said:

Mr. President, I vote No, because I prefer referring it to the Director of the Department of Charities in the regular way to get a report.

When the name of Mr. Henderson was called, he arose and said:

Mr. President, for the same reason given by Mr. Garland, I vote No.

When the name of Mr. Winters was called, he arose and said:

Mr. President, I vote No, because I prefer to lay the matter before the Director for some information from him.

Ayes—6.

Noes—3.

The motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle moved

That Bill Nos. 3969 and 3970 be referred to the Director of the Department of Charities with a request that he make written reports on each.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair at this time announced

That he had been informed by Hon. E. V. Babcock, Mayor, that Mr. Charles A. Fagan, Receiver of the Pittsburgh Railways Company, would not be able to attend the conference called for Tuesday morning, November 25, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock.

Mr. Winters moved

That the time of the conference between the Mayor, the Council and the Receivers of the Pittsburgh Railways Company be fixed for Saturday, November 29, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock A. M.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3971. Communication from B. R. Stannard asking that Monteiro street, Flemington street, Middleton street and Kennebec street be graded, paved and curbed and opened through the McCann property to Beechwood boulevard.

Also

No. 3972. Communication from the Chamber of Commerce asking the City to enforce the ordinance relating to the cleaning of sidewalks, and that the practice of dumping street sweepings on the Duquesne Wharf be stopped.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 3973. An Ordinance relating to division fences in the City of Pittsburgh, Pa., regulating the nature, height, materials and kinds thereof; defining the same; also prohibiting the erection of fences or similar structures above a certain height, except under a permit from the Bureau of Building Inspection, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Also

No. 3974. Communication from Thomas T. Jones in reference to preventing the sale of fraudulent stock in the City of Pittsburgh.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 3975.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Harrisburg, Pa.,
November 17, 1919.

Hon John S. Herron,
President, City Council,
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

My Dear Mr. Herron:

The Governor directs me to inform you that he has appointed you a delegate to the conference of the Mississippi to Atlantic Internal Waterways Committee, to be held at the Washington Hotel, Washington, D. C., Monday, December 8, 1919.

The General Assembly did not make an appropriation to defray the expenses of the delegates, and if you find it convenient to attend this conference, I regret to say that the expenses will have to be borne by yourself.

Sincerely yours,

HARRY S. McDEVITT.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3976.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Pittsburgh, Pa.
November 24, 1919.

To the Honorable, the Council of the City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—On Bill No. 3919, "Resolution that the City Solicitor be requested to furnish Council with an opinion as to whether the affiliation of the employees of the Fire Department of the City of Pittsburgh with the American Federation of Labor is legal," I beg to report:

That membership in any labor union is not consistent with the duties and obligations assumed by one who enters the service of the City Fire Bureau. Firemen are sworn in the service in the same manner as policemen, and in cases of emergency the Mayor has the same power and control over firemen as he has over the police force of the City for the purpose of maintaining peace and good order and enforcing the laws and ordinances of the City. The organization and discipline of the Fire and Police force is quasi-military, and for the purpose of maintaining efficiency and the best service, it is of the highest importance that discipline and obedience to superior officers be strictly enforced. Policemen and firemen are now appointed under the Civil Service Act of 1907, and can only be discharged

from the City's service on charges of delinquency actually proven before a Trial Court, as provided by Article III, Section 1, of the Charter Act of 1901. The Charter and City Ordinance passed in pursuance thereof have provided a fund, under the direction of the Disability Board, "for the care, maintenance and relief of aged, retired or disabled firemen." The system thus established, of admission into the service only after examinations relating to mental, moral and physical fitness of the applicants, careful provision for maintenance of members upon disability or age retirement, and full protection against arbitrary and unjust discharge—all those indicate a full intent and purpose of the Legislature to make the City Police and Fire Service as free as possible from any outside influence or interference with the position or conduct of the member while in the service. The assurances of employment and protection are intended as an inducement to a member of the Fire Bureau to give his best service to the City and enforcement of its laws and ordinances. The essential theory of this system is that firemen and policemen shall be entirely independent of any kind of outside influence—political, religious or social—and be thus able to give their best service to the City alone, unaffected by outside considerations.

In the matter of salary or wages, as required by the Charter, these are fixed by annual appropriation, which, of course, is well-known to everyone before he enters the service, and changes therein cannot be arbitrarily made at the dictation of labor unions.

As firemen are police officers, and may at any time be called to co-operate with the police in maintaining public peace and order in the City during the time of strike or riot, it is quite plain that these duties might bring them in direct conflict with obligations assumed as members of a labor union.

I find no decided law cases on this question, as the unionizing of fire and police forces in cities is of recent origin. For the reasons above stated, I have no doubt, whatever, that any police or fire force, organized into a branch of the Federation of Labor or any other labor union, is an illegal body and that membership of any municipal employee in any labor union is illegal. The recent disastrous police strikes in the cities of Liverpool, England, and Boston, Massachusetts, would seem to furnish the most cogent of all arguments against unionizing these forces or permitting them to have any outside affiliation or control, whatever, which interferes with their strict adherence to their duty to the public and obedience to superiors charged with the supreme

obligation of maintaining public peace and order.

Respectfully yours,
CHARLES A. O'BRIEN,
City Solicitor.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the report be received and filed, and a copy sent to the Director of the Department of Public Safety for his information.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3977. Communication from Applestein & Claster complaining of the Bureau of Building Inspection permitting a violation of the building laws by Mr. M. Hungerman by maintaining a frame building at 4044 Cabinet street.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 3978.

AGREEMENT.

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh has by ordinance approved November 24, 1919, entered into an agreement with the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society, hereinafter called the Society, by and under which agreement the City has leased for a certain period the buildings and improvements of the Society located upon the premises as described in said ordinance:

Now, in consideration of the premises, the Society does hereby give and grant to the City of Pittsburgh the irrevocable right and option at any time during the term of said lease, to purchase the leasehold interest and all buildings, improvements and fixtures thereon or belonging thereto of the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society, of, in and to the premises described in said lease, by paying the total amount of indebtedness of the said Society then remaining unpaid at the time the City shall make known to the Society its election to buy.

In the meantime, said Society will apply to the reduction of its indebtedness all rent paid by the City of Pittsburgh under its said lease, less interest on its indebtedness and expenses of administration, which expenses shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500.00) per year. The total indebtedness of the Society at the present time is as shown upon the statement hereto attached and made part hereof, and the Society agrees that the said indebtedness shall not be increased during the terms of its said lease to the City.

It is agreed that the aforesaid lease from the Society to the City shall provide that the City shall during the period of the lease furnish the Society

reasonable room space for the carrying on of its affairs, and also heat, light and telephone service, without any cost or charge to the Society.

This option is given under the authority of a Resolution adopted by the members of the Society at a meeting held on the 4th day of March, 1919, authorizing a sale of the Society's properties to the City for a sum not less than three hundred and sixty thousand dollars (\$360,000.00).

As witness the corporate seal of the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society, this 24th day of November, A. D., 1919.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA EXPOSITION SOCIETY.

By

HENRY BUHL, JR.
Vice President.

Attest: T. J. FITZPATRICK,
Secretary.

Executed in duplicate.

Financial statement of the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society as of November 15, 1919.

Cost of Buildings and Equipment	\$882,386.00
Bills Payable	\$306,640.13
Accounts Payable..	37,595.23
Bonds Sold	9,000.00
	<u>\$353,235.36</u>
Interest on above from November 1, 1918, to December 1, 1919, 13 months\$	15,282.42

Total Debt November 15, 1919\$368,517.78

I hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. J. FITZPATRICK,
Secretary.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the agreement be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3979.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
November 24, 1919.

To the President and Members of
Council, City of Pittsburgh:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith the Departmental Estimates for the Budget of 1920—Sections 1 and 2, which contain the estimates of the following organization units of the City Government.

North Side Playground Association.

Public Washhouse and Bath Association.

Soho Baths.

Pennsylvania Association for the Blind.

Carnegie Free Library, North Side.

Department of Assessors.

Art Commission.

Department of Law.

Board of Water Assessors.

Department of Charities.

Department of Health.

Department of Public Works, General Office.

Bureau of Deed Registry.

Bureau of Tests.

Bureau of Light.

Bureau of Recreation.

Bureau of Engineering.

Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Bureau of Parks.

The estimates for departments in the City of Pittsburgh are submitted without the estimates for salaries and wages. These will be presented to you in the final section of the complete book together with summaries of the same. The remainder of the estimates will be placed in your hands very shortly.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the Communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 3980. Departmental Estimates for Budget of 1920, Section 1, containing the estimates of the North Side Playground Association, Public Washhouse and Bath Association, Soho Baths, Pennsylvania Association for the Blind, Carnegie Free Library, North Side, Department of Assessors, Art Commission, Department of Law, Board of Water Assessors, Department of Charities, Department of Public Health, Department of Public Works, General Office, Bureau of Deed Registry, and Bureau of Tests.

Also

No. 3981. Departmental estimates for Budget of 1920, Section 2, containing the estimates of the Bureau of Light, Bureau of Recreation, Bureau of Engineering, Bureau of Highways and Sewers and Bureau of Parks, all in the Department of Public Works.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the Committee on Finance meet on Wednesday, November 26, 1919, at 9 o'clock, A. M., to consider the budget.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3982. Report of the Committee on Finance for November 18, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3786. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating one new position in the Department of Public Safety, General Office, to be known as Multigraph Operator, and fixing the salary thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3823. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending lines 2 and 3, Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved January 22, 1919."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3849. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Street Improvement Bonds, Series A, 1919, Bond Fund Code Account No. 194, the sum of fifty-three thousand two hundred dollars (\$53,200.00) for the payment of resurfacing, repairing and otherwise improving streets, including wages, miscellaneous service, supplies and materials in the Asphalt Division, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3885. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series A, 1919, the sum of \$18,000.00 for the payment of supplies and materials, etc., furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3303. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending item 'Resident Physician,' in Section 35, Department of Health, Municipal Hospital, of an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved by the Mayor January 22, 1919."

In Finance Committee, November 19, 1919, ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation, contingent to report of the Director of the Department of Public Health.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

The Chair presented

No. 3983.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
November 20, 1919.

The City Council,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen—Bill No. 3303, an Ordinance amending item "Resident Physician" in section 35, Department of Public Health, Municipal Hospital, provides for an increase in the salary of the resident physician from \$1,950.00 to \$3,000.00 per annum. The resident physician at the Municipal hospital is one of the best equipped practitioners in the diseases treated at this hospital that could be found in the State. There is no doubt that he should be given an increase in salary. I have had the matter under consideration and had intended recommending an increase in the budget. The sum I had fixed upon was \$2,500.00 and I believe that this amount will be found to be satisfactory.

Yours very truly,

WM. H. DAVIS,
Director.

Which was read, received and filed.

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3871. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in payment of the salary and expense roll presented by the Women's Employment Service amounting to, in the aggregate, the sum of \$2,671.93, and charging to Appropriation No. 42-7.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3873. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of E. J. Dupont de Nemours and Company in the sum of \$15.05 in the place of warrant No. 31377, which has been lost or destroyed and charging same to Appropriation No. 185-A.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Winters
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3874. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Bruckman Lumber Company in the sum of \$2,168.38, to reimburse the said company for lumber used in the erection of reviewing stands for home-coming troops; the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1027, Special Reservations, Mayor's Civic and War Committee.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3875. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of F. G. Kelsey in the sum of \$23.00, to reimburse him for premium on a fire and theft policy on a Ford automobile, same to be charged to Code Account No. 1045, War Garden Commission.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3876. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following organizations to reimburse them for advertising in connection with the Special Bond Election, same to be charged to Code Account No. 42, Bond Election, Contingent Fund:

The Jewish Criterion	\$200.00
Rocereto's Band and Orchestra.....	154.00
Tribune Publishing Company.....	120.00

\$474.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3878. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of J. H. McElroy for the sum of \$184.74 in payment of expenses entailed in the transportation of the old Vigilant fire engine from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3889. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Henry P. Haas Agency for \$98.75, covering fire insurance in the sum of \$10,000.00 on the brick warehouse and contents and the bins, of the Department of Supplies at 9 Fan-court street, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 42.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and

third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
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Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3892. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of David Davies in the sum of \$75.00, for half month's salary for services as stenographer and clerk to the Mayor's Welcome Committee, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 1027, Mayor's Welcome Committee.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3893. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of William Kane in the sum of \$200.00 for salary as clerk to the Mayor's Welcome Committee from September 15 to November 15, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1027, Mayor's Welcome Committee.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the

ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3872. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Masonic Fund Society of the County of Allegheny in the sum of \$323.39, on account of adjustment of water rates on property located on Fifth avenue, Fourth ward, City, and charging same to Appropriation No.—.

In Finance Committee, November 18, 1919. Read and amended by inserting a preamble as shown in red, and by adding at the end of the resolution the figures "41", and as amended ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in Committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3793. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of

\$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1013, Item M, Council's Investigation Fund, to Code Account No. 1158, Item M, Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3870. Resolution directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,671.93 from Appropriation No. 52-M, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 42-7, Women's Employment Service, Council of National Defense.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3877. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$3,500.00 from Appropriation No. 1553, Wages, Temporary Employees, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1555, Supplies.

Asphalt Plants, to be for natural gas used in operation of asphalt plants.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3886. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer \$1,000.00 from Account No. 1642, "Regular Salaries" to Account No. 1648, "Materials," Filtration Division, Bureau of water.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3522. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for lots Nos. 240-241 in Carnegie & Company's Plan, on Stanton avenue, Tenth ward, to A. Raphael Kernan for the sum of \$1,700.00.

In Finance Committee, November 19, 1919. Read and amended by striking out

\$1,700.00" and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$1,625.00," and as amended ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in Committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. English presented

No. 3984. Report of the Committee on Public Works for November 29, 1919, transmitting two resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3865. Resolution approving lease between the heirs of Edwin Bindley, deceased, and the City of Pittsburgh, for a tenancy-at-will for all those lots of ground numbered 125, 126, 127, 128 and 129 in the Bindley Estate Plan, situate at the corner of Vickory and Magee streets, First ward, from September 1, 1919, at a monthly rental of \$25.00, payable from Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Services. Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and

third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 2856. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Clarence Crisman in the sum of \$61.25, for two weeks' salary as chauffeur in the general office, Department of Public Works, he having resigned his position on October 31, 1919, and not having taken his vacation during August on account of the street car strike, and charging same to Code Account No. 1401-A, Salaries.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 3985. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for November 19, 1919, transmitting two ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 3879. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance designating Stahl way as the name for an unnamed twenty foot way, from Olive street to Mountford avenue, in the Twenty-fifth ward."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3883. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the opening grades on Antionette street, Alcock way, Camella street, Downlook avenue, Drive street, Drive way, Fence way, Garage way, Oglethorpe avenue, Oldani street, Premier street and Woodbine street, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened highways by the Pittsburgh City Garden Company in a plan of lots of theirs in the Tenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh to be called Plan of City Garden."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 3986. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for November 19, 1919, transmitting a resolution and two ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3797. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to expend a sum of money not exceeding \$1,000.00 in the matter of seeking information and obtaining evidence as to the methods pursued by Agents or Brokers engaged in the business of selling stock of corporations of various kinds and authorizing the issuing of warrants for the payment of claims incurred in seeking said information, not to exceed \$1,000.00 on payrolls approved by the Director, the cost thereof to be charged to Code Account No. 1158, Item M, Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3862. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract for sixteen (16) motorcycles, more or less, for the Bureau of Police."

Which was read,

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3863. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for electric wiring in the Department of Public Safety Building, Sixth avenue and Cherry way."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Rauh
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Rauh presented

No. 3987. Whereas, the Budget Sessions for the preparation of the 1920 Budget will soon commence; therefore, be it Resolved, that Council invite representatives from any civic body so desiring to attend these sessions. The exact time of any session can be as-

certained from the City Clerk, any member of Council, or through the daily newspapers.

Which was read.

Mr. **Rauh** moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Winters** presented

No. 3988. Report on Standardization of Salary Grades and Rates for the City of Pittsburgh made in 1919 by direction of the Mayor and the Council.

Which was read.

Mr. **Winters** moved

That the report be referred to the Committee on Finance and copies furnished the Mayor, the members of Council, the heads of the several departments and to representatives of the press.

Which motion prevailed.

The **Chair** presented

No. 3989. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the South Pittsburgh Water Company in the sum of \$1,176.12, refunding water rents erroneously collected from residents of Lillian street, Eighteenth ward, by the City of Pittsburgh, for water furnished by said South Pittsburgh Water Company, upon the execution and delivery to the City by said Company of a duly authorized release in full for such claim.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. **Garland** moved

That, on account of the observance of "Carnegie Day" the regular Committee meetings be dispensed with until Wednesday November 26th, at 1:30 o'clock, p. m.

Which motion prevailed.

And on motion of Mr. **Garland**

COUNCIL ADJOURNED.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.
Monday, December 1, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters

Mr. McArdle moved

That Council now adjourn out of respect to the memory of our late colleague, Enoch Rauh, and that the President be directed to arrange for a suitable memorial meeting at a date to be fixed by him, and that a committee be appointed to draft resolutions on the death of Mr. Rauh.

Which motion prevailed.

And the Chair appointed Messrs. McArdle, Garland and Robertson on the committee to prepare a memorial on the death of Mr. Enoch Rauh.

That Council meet in special session on Wednesday, December 3, 1919, at 2:30 o'clock P. M. to take suitable action on the death of Mr. Enoch Rauh.

Which motion prevailed.

And the chair declared

Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Wednesday, December 3, 1919.

Council met pursuant to the following call:

Pittsburgh, December 1, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,
Clerk of Council.

Dear Sir—In compliance with the desire of Council, please call a special meeting for Wednesday, December 3, 1919, at 2:30 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of taking suitable action on the death of our late member, Mr. Enoch Rauh.

Yours very truly,
JOHN S. HERRON,
President of Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters

Mr. McArdle presented from the special committee appointed to prepare resolutions on the death of Enoch Rauh.

No. 3990.

On Thanksgiving Day, November 27, 1919, when the sun was about to appear

over our city and remind us of the significance of the day and summon us to the duty which a great Nation had self-imposed, there appeared a messenger in the garb of death to announce the close of the earthly labors of our colleague and friend, Enoch Rauh.

Coming as it did, when he was active in the performance of his life's work and seemingly in the enjoyment of splendid health, his death was a shock to his legion of friends, cast a gloom over the city he had served so faithfully, and filled with genuine grief the heart of every man, woman and child who was privileged to know him, because hearts must grieve for the loss of things they love.

His life has been an inspiration because it has been a success; it has been a success because it had in it so much of service to his fellowmen.

Recognizing that by his death his family has lost a devoted husband and father, his friends and colleagues a real friend who knew the reciprocal value of friendship, and the city a conscientious, intelligent, honest public servant, and desiring to make public acknowledgment of our appreciation of his worth as a private citizen and public officer we do hereby

Resolve, That the Council of the City of Pittsburgh direct that this minute be made a part of the public record and that a properly engrossed copy be sent to the family of our deceased colleague as an expression of our sympathy for the great loss they have sustained.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Seconded by Mr. Garland.

The Chair called upon the members of Council for remarks.

Mr. Dailey arose and said:

Mr. President, when I think of Enoch Rauh I think of a man who attained the top of success in public and private life with a smile and a kindliness that made friend and foe appear almost alike

to him; I think of a man whose makeup knew no taint of malice and rancor and who accomplished his many successes with those virtues expressed by a broad sympathy for others and a tolerance and generosity toward all.

When I think of Enoch Rauh, it is of a man who in his love for his fellow man knew little about holding a grudge and much about quick forgiveness; of a man whose faculty for criticizing the faults of others was not developed beyond that of a pure-minded juvenile; of a man who was weak at tearing down the houses of others, but strong in helping them to build them; for a chief joy in his life was to make another man's cause his own.

I shall always continue to think of Enoch Rauh as a man of wealth who could have chosen his path in the so-called upper levels, but who chose the common level where his life could be pure and simple and where he could hear, touch and walk with all mankind. I shall continue to think of Enoch Rauh as a man big in business, big in heart, big in his respect for prince and pauper, and with a saint-like regard for all humanity.

We can fill his place here, but in Pittsburgh life there will be a void in the place he filled. Personally I felt the deepest grief at his death because he had endeared himself to me.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, once more as members of this Council we are assembled in a memorial service for one of our members. On the former occasion you will recall the tragic death of our colleague, William A. Hoeveler, in the Council Chamber itself amidst our labors. Some of us at that time knew that Mr. Hoeveler was under the care of a physician, but no one realized how close he was to the border land.

On this occasion the shock comes with greater force because Enoch Rauh was in the very best of health, and, being a man of excellent habits and of such a genial disposition one would have expected him to have rounded out a long life at an advanced age.

It is very hard, indeed, to realize that he has been called away forever.

Anything we may do or say on this occasion cannot add or detract from the monument of service Mr. Rauh had built in his life. The simple statement that Enoch Rauh lived a kind and forgiving life should be enough on this occasion. There is no doubt whatever in my mind that he exemplified in the highest degree the teachings of the Lord's prayer, "Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors." Any man who in his daily life and conversation carries out the spirit of that prayer needs no further eulogy from me. I wish to

bear testimony that in all my experience with Enoch Rauh he fully carried out that prayer.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President—Mere words will not adequately express one's feelings when that lovable character, Enoch Rauh, is the subject of our thoughts.

His sudden taking away in the very prime of his life, was a terrible shock to this community that he loved so well.

He was above all a home man, and that home, which was his pride, has now its desolate hearthstone, and my heart goes out at this time in deepest sympathy to his stricken widow and bereaved family. May it be a consolation to them to know that his friends in all walks of life were many; that the excellent services rendered by him to his beloved city were appreciated, and that his sterling character and lovable personality have been a strong influence in the commercial, civic and social life of Pittsburgh.

Mr. Henderson arose and said:

Mr. President and Members of Council—When you look at the course of human existence Enoch Rauh had comparatively a long life. He has paid his debt to nature and in his late middle life has gone the way of all flesh.

He was a just man and it is not right to mourn unduly the death of a man who has lived justly, for we are bound to believe that he has gone out of this troubled human existence into one full of peace and tranquility.

I take it that this is not altogether a house of mourning for we look back with pride to the recollection of the long, honest and devoted service of our late colleague as a member of City Council. We look back with respect to his fidelity to duty, his politeness and urbanity to his associates, his kindness and his constant willingness to serve those in need of his services.

As you travel along life's pathway occasionally you meet a man who strikes you as being exceptionally human, with whom acquaintance rapidly ripens into friendship. In whom loyally you have confidence; whose opinion you value and whose character you respect and admire. Such a man to me was Enoch Rauh.

His public and private life was without a blemish, and at this time when we, the City Council of the City of Pittsburgh officially pay tribute to his memory, we can say truthfully,

"Well done thou good and faithful servant."

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President—Enoch Rauh is dead

and we and all his countless friends mourn his death. It is the lives and characters of men like Mr. Rauh that sustains our confidence in our fellowmen and enables us to meet the problems of life with more faith and hope for the final triumph for the causes that are righteous.

His absence from the Council Chamber and from the other scenes of his daily activities will be keenly and regretfully noted.

His disposition, constantly evidenced, to serve his fellowmen in ways none too common will cause him to be missed and mourned by thousands whose life's burdens he tried to lighten and whose pathway he tried to brighten and sweeten with the beauty and fragrance of the flowers that he thought meant so much more to the living than to the dead.

He loved his city, with an especial devotion to its libraries, its parks and its playgrounds, and the patrons of all of these municipal functions have profited by his kindly solicitation for their advancement.

Every note of music sounded in our public parks will be a note of praise and thanksgiving for his splendid help, and every peal of innocent laughter from the throats of happy children on our public playgrounds will be testimony of his love for humanity and his desire to make life brighter and better and sweeter for all whom he might help.

I am sorry he is gone, but happy to be able to say, after so intimate an association with him, that I am sure that the world was better because of his having lived in it.

Mr. Robertson arose and said:

Mr. President,

Fellow Members of Council,

Ladies and Gentlemen:

It is with feelings of deepest regret at this occasion, that I rise to pay tribute to the virtues of our late colleague, Honorable Enoch Rauh, whose life on earth has ended so suddenly as to shock the staunchest of us.

Mr. Rauh was a man of kindly disposition, capable in business and assiduous in his attention to every duty, both public and private. He was a successful man, not only in the affairs of the world, but in that greater way that leaves the community better for his having lived in it.

His home life was ideal, and his business success founded upon the solid rock of integrity. In public life, where we knew him best, his kindly smile, sound counsel and cheerful personality will be sadly missed. His philanthro-

pies may be carried on, but his place in the world of action will never be filled as he filled it, in his own unique way, and any of us who are assembled here today, out of respect for Mr. Rauh, will find more than one thing in his life and work that we will do well to emulate.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen—I was very much shocked on the morning of the day on which we were to offer up Thanksgiving to hear of the death of our late colleague, Mr. Enoch Rauh.

I became acquainted with Mr. Rauh at the time he was appointed by Governor Tener as one of the original Council of Nine. I knew at that time that he had a high sense of responsibility and the dignity of the position, and I believe that no man in the Council tried harder to live up to that standard than he. His taking off was somewhat similar to that of dear Daddy Hoeveler, the first member to pass away of the original appointees.

The world was better because Enoch Rauh lived in it. His life was devoted to service. He was a good citizen, a loyal friend, a devoted head of a family group, and my heart goes out in sympathy to his accomplished widow of whom he was so proud.

He was a genial, kind, human man, whom those who knew him and the public he served will keenly miss. I like to think with the Poet Riley:

"I cannot say; I will not say,
That he is dead; he is just away."

The Chair arose and said:

Gentlemen of Council and Friends—In the death of Enoch Rauh, we have lost an honorable and upright citizen, and a very valuable member of this Council. Always striving to please and to serve others, he was an inspiration to us.

Successful in business, he could have avoided a great deal of worry if he had so desired and could have given himself the most that this world has. It was always his desire to make the burdens of life rest easy on the less fortunate.

He had a pleasing disposition. No matter what the provocation, he was always a gentleman. He was a man endowed with an abundance of common sense, combined with firmness—elements of character which made him a man to be liked and respected. I am proud to have been associated with him.

The City of Pittsburgh has lost an efficient public official and all of us have lost a friend.

A great many kind words have been said in memory of Mr. Rauh today, all of which I cheerfully concur in.

Hon. **E. V. Babcock**, Mayor, was called upon, arose and said:

Mr. President and Gentlemen of Council:—

I am very glad and proud to be asked to join you in paying a word of respect to Mr. Enoch Rauh. Mr. Rauh was a good and great man; I think primarily because he was a human, democratic man. He loved associations with the people of the City of Pittsburgh and made it his business to mingle with them, to be a part of them, and, where he could, to help them. I think his life would be recognized by him, if he could review it, as a very satisfactory life, because he was conspicuous in doing for others. That man or that woman who lives for himself or herself, who is selfish, when the race of life is ended cannot be compared with the man who is big and generous and wholesome and tries all through life to help others as he passes along the way.

Mr. Rauh was fortunate in having a splendid family, with a brilliant wife at the head of it—a woman that could and would help any man through the journey of life. He was fortunate in having strong, substantial brothers, and, I think, particularly fortunate in having an affection and love in that family of brothers that perhaps exists in very few families in Pittsburgh. It gave him an opportunity, perhaps, to do what others could not do, but his simplicity, his desire to help others, was so manifest.

I remember back in the early days of our association in Council a statement he made which flashes across my mind now. We were talking about automobiles; it was when they first came into general use. He said he could not afford an automobile, that he had a line of charities and philanthropic work that he was carrying on and that he would much rather give the amount of money that it would cost to operate an automobile to his wife to carry on her charitable work. I thought it was commendable for him to have such thoughts at that time. He could not have both, and he sacrificed his own personal pleasure and comfort for the privilege of helping others.

So many heartfelt and kind things have been said by the members of Council that it is difficult to add to them. I commend you, Mr. President, and your associates, for adjourning Council out of respect for your fellow member and for arranging this beautiful, simple service, which comes from the heart. It is self-evident that it does come from the heart. It is self-evident that it is a great satisfaction to you to say such commendable words about this meritorious character.

Enoch Rauh for 20 years has been interested in everything for the best interest of Pittsburgh. He stands out conspicuously for his way of doing things in his own sphere, and doing all he could. It is commendable for you to get on your feet and commend his memory for it and help his family assuage their feelings, which we all know are difficult to bear.

Dr. **S. S. Woodburn** was called upon, arose and said:

Mr. President, Members of Council, Ladies and Gentlemen:—I came with no idea of saying anything; I came here to listen; but since you have called upon me I am willing to endorse everything that has been said and to add more.

I met Enoch Rauh for the first time upon the organization of the Council of Nine, the members of which were appointed by Governor John K. Tener in 1911. I was drawn to Enoch Rauh at that moment of meeting and was intimately associated with him, both in a public and social way, for almost five years.

When the notice of his death came to me I assure you that it was far more shocking than when I witnessed the dying moment of that other colleague, William A. Hoeveler. We hoped that Mr. Hoeveler was not dead and could not persuade ourselves for some time that he was dead. Finally we gave him up. But the announcement was, that Enoch Rauh was dead and there was no hope and no chance to think or believe otherwise.

Enoch Rauh was an honorable man. He was a genial companion. He was a true friend, always loyal. Enoch Rauh was an honor to his race—to the tribe of Judah. He was a credit to his city, his country and last, but above all, he was a credit to his Creator.

Dr. **G. A. Dillinger** was called upon, arose, and said:

Mr. President and Members of Council—I came here today simply to lend my presence at this memorial meeting in honor of the memory of my neighbor, friend and associate for four years in this body, Enoch Rauh.

I want to thank you, Mr. President, for the privilege of adding a few words of testimony of my sincere respect for Mr. Rauh. I believe that Mr. Rauh knew more people in the City of Pittsburgh and was known by more individuals personally than any other citizen of our city. I believe that was largely due to the fact that Enoch Rauh seemed to have born in him that instinct for doing things for others.

His life has been an example to us of real self-sacrifice, of real altruism.

When he came into the Council Chamber, Enoch Rauh had just as warm a

hand shake and smile for Mose (the Sergeant-at-Arms) as he had for the Mayor and the members of Council. That was a true characteristic of Mr. Rauh.

I believe one of the predominating features of his character was his absolute sincerity and honesty. What a heritage he has left to that wonderful wife and children!

Not a word can be said against his character either as a citizen or a public official of Pittsburgh. After the number of years that he has lived among us that is a tribute that can be paid to few in a generation.

The entire city grieves with his family, and I believe today there are more hearts honestly throbbing and sobbing because of his death than has been the lot of very few men in this community.

Mr. E. S. Morrow, City Controller, when called up, arose and said:

I didn't come here, Mr. President, and Members of Council, with the intention of saying a word. When I heard of the death of Enoch Rauh it was not until Friday morning, and if I had been knocked from my feet I could not have had a greater shock.

I never knew Enoch Rauh until he came into the Council of Nine and from the very first until the end of his life I loved and respected him.

The gentlemen who have spoken already said what he was and I can endorse every word that has been uttered.

Enoch Rauh was a man who always kept in mind that he was not a master of men, but their servant, and he was just such a man as he wanted those who were his followers to be. He had the true humility, not cringing humility—and he never thought of himself. He would champion anybody who was in distress or trouble, was quick to do it, and knightly in his conduct.

He was honest beyond measure. If he thought a thing was wrong you could not persuade him to change his mind. But when he once believed it was honest, true and good, he stood for it against all opposition.

On the day of his funeral service I sat in the kitchen of his home and his employees were gathered there in force and I heard them talk about Enoch Rauh and the kind of a man he was and the expression among all of them was that they loved him. After these employees had left the kitchen the maid of the house came over to me and said, "Oh, Mister," (she did not know my name), "Oh, Mister, you don't know, nobody knows, how good and kind and affectionate and helpful Mr. Rauh was." These were her words and of the employees under him.

Dead, no

"There is no death.

What seems so is transition
From this world's cares
To fields elysian."

I want to say, gentlemen, that we have no longer lease on life than Enoch Rauh had, and it is well that we should imitate him in those things that are good and noble, and he was full of them. He was a wonderful man along that line. It is better for us to pass away and have men say how much we were loved or what we have done, not for ourselves but for others, than to have tablets of bronze erected to our memory.

Enoch Rauh was never accused of being selfish, but was always thinking of the other man in order to uplift him so that others might be taken care of. It would be well for us to emulate his life and character.

Mr. Charles A. O'Brien, City Solicitor, was called upon, arose and said:

Mr. President, I see a gentleman present who first introduced me to Mr. Rauh at a meeting of the Credit Men's Association, which he did so much to build up, and I said then, "Mr. Rauh is a regular Sunny Jim," and from that time on, I have always thought of him as of that type. Mr. Rauh was a paragon in all the relations of life; he was a successful business man, an adroit politician, and efficient councilman, and his domestic relations were idealistic; the sincere devotion between himself and his wife was a beautiful model for all. He was patriotic in the extreme, and in the war period his efforts in every direction to help his country were fervent and earnest.

The other day when I called at his home, I saw a little floral tribute near the bed where he lay and this touched me deeply, for it was labeled "From the Guskus Orphans," and it spoke volumes to me of the goodness, the kindness, the thoughtfulness, and helpfulness of Enoch Rauh. Anthony in the climax of his eulogy over the body of Caesar said, "When the poor have cried, Caesar hath wept," and our deceased friend felt always a deep tenderness and sympathy for the poor and the needy, which he expressed in many forms of charity.

After "life's fitful fever," may he sleep well.

Maj. William H. Davis, Director of the Department of Public Health, was called upon, arose and said:

Mr. President, on an occasion like this and being entirely unprepared to express myself properly, I beg to be excused.

Mr. Charles S. Hubbard, City Treasurer, was called upon, arose and said:

Mr. President, I listened with a great deal of interest to the many kind words that have been said of Enoch Rauh and I heartily endorse every word that has been spoken. His life has been an inspiration to us all.

Mr. Charles B. Prichard, Director of the Department of Public Safety, was called upon, arose and said:

Mr. President and Members of Council, Ladies and Gentlemen—After so much has been said and so well said about the departed member of Council, Enoch Rauh, I only want to say this: That as much as has been said and as well as it has been said it adequately expresses true facts about Mr. Rauh.

As I heard these good things falling from the lips of the men who were best qualified to speak of him, I congratulate myself that I had known a man about whom so much good could be said.

It would be folly for me to attempt to add to that that has already been said; but I do want to arise now to express my tribute to his memory and say I was his friend and he was my friend.

Mr. John Swan, Director of the Department of Public Works, was called upon, arose and said:

Mr. President, I wish to express my tribute to the memory of Enoch Rauh. He was my friend and the friend of every city employee. Always approachable by anyone, he was always willing to help and advise and do so in a kindly manner. His loss will be felt by all who knew him.

Mr. C. K. Robinson, Special Assistant City Solicitor, was called upon, arose and said:

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen—Time does not permit us to give a proper tribute to the work and accomplishments of Enoch Rauh. We are fully conscious of the sincerity, the honesty of purpose and the enthusiastic efforts made by Mr. Rauh for the welfare of this great community and of the success that crowned his efforts.

As a personal friend I mourn his loss. I always found him a loyal friend. He was always at the forefront in any movement that would be of benefit to this great community. In thousands of ways he showed his sympathetic understanding and willingness to help the laboring man and those who were less fortunate in attaining natural success.

I wish to add my personal expression of sincere grief that this public spirited man has been taken from our midst.

Mr. B. J. Jarrett, Assistant City Solicitor, was called upon, arose and said:

Mr. President and Members of Council—I did not intend to speak upon this occasion. I came here to pay tribute in silence to the memory of our distinguished friend, Mr. Rauh. He was a true man—one whom we all respected, admired and loved. He had high ideals of life and it seemed his constant endeavor was to bring his living up to the standard of those ideals.

There is little I can add to what has been here so truly and beautifully said concerning the life, character and works of this good man.

It is, of course, proper that we should upon this occasion recall and set before us his noble qualities and good deeds, but it matters little what we may say here; the thing that counts for him and for us is the substance of good which we have drawn out of his life and example and put into our own lives and living. The lives of good men are made strong and enduring and a living factor only so far as they become a living and active force inspiring and impelling us to high ideals and noble works.

Mr. Rauh lived a good and useful life and the abundance of testimony offered here today makes sure that his life has not been in vain, but has made its impress for good upon the minds and hearts of all men with whom he came in contact. This fact is a beautiful and lasting tribute to him and a real and blessed consolation to those he leaves behind.

I hope that each and every one of us will leave this room higher in ideals of life and more resolute and determined to bring our living up closer to those ideals and thereby do real and true tribute to the good life that has just come to its earthly ending.

Mr. H. S. Sprague, Chief Engineer, Bureau of Engineering, was called upon, arose and said:

Mr. President and Members of Council—It is, indeed, difficult for me to add anything to that which has already been said as a tribute to the memory of Mr. Rauh.

It was my pleasure to have known Mr. Rauh from the time that he first entered the Council. He took a deep interest in all matters pertaining to the Department of Public Works, and was a loyal advocate and supporter of all improvements which would benefit the city.

Mr. Rauh's death is a distinct loss, not only to the city, but to the Department of Public Works. His kindly and charitable dealings in his official position had won my personal friendship and I therefore mourn the loss of a good friend.

Hon. **Morris Einstein** was called upon, arose and said:

Mr. President, Members of Council, Ladies and Gentlemen—I did not come here today to make any remarks. I came here to attend the memorial services, and I deem it a privilege to endorse everything that has been said about my friend, Enoch Rauh.

I have known Enoch Rauh for a great many years and I am proud to say that he was a friend of mine.

He was a man of a genial disposition; a man who did everything he could for others.

He will be missed by the orphans; by the old folks' home; by the hospitals and the many others who were recipients of his charity. He always did what he

could to alleviate suffering and never turned anyone away who was in need of help.

While Enoch Rauh is absent his memory will cling to us. The members of Council will always remember him as being one of their most progressive members.

And the question recurring on the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed by a unanimous rising vote.

Mr. **Garland** moved

That, out of respect to the memory of Mr. Rauh, Council do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

And Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
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ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Friday, December 5, 1919.

Council met pursuant to the following call:

Pittsburgh,
December 2, 1919.

E. J. Martin, Esq.,
City Clerk.

Dear Sir—You are hereby directed to call a special meeting of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh in the Council Chamber for Friday, December 5, 1919, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of electing in conjunction with the Mayor a member of Council to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Enoch Rauh.

Respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,
Mayor.

Which was read, received and filed.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	Herron (President)
English	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Hon. E. V. Babcock,	Mayor.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President, inasmuch as all the members of Council and the Mayor are

present, I move you that we now proceed to the election of some suitable person to fill the vacancy in Council created by the death of Mr. Enoch Rauh.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. Chairman, a few days ago we met in this room to eulogize the memory of Enoch Rauh and his service to the Council and the City of Pittsburgh, and I think when we gave expression to the sentiment and to the work and the life and character of Enoch Rauh we could not hold ourselves true to our words unless we carried out in deed, the things that we said.

Enoch Rauh was the last of the Mohicans—the last of the original Council of Nine—the Council whose appointment by the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania brought joy and pride to the good citizenship of the City of Pittsburgh. Never in the history of politics was an act committed that was so popular and so well received by the people of Pittsburgh as the appointment of the original Council of Nine, and it behooves us and those who follow us to remember as well as possible and according to their lights, to live up to the traditions and the things that were promised and the people of Pittsburgh believed they should have, that came with the change from the old system to the new.

No man in Council was more proud of his position, of his responsibility, and of his being a Councilman of the City of Pittsburgh than Enoch Rauh. I might say that he had an almost exalted sense of the responsibility and importance of that position and only recently, when it seemed that the Council was in danger of going back to the old system again, Enoch Rauh, more than any man in this Council or the City of Pittsburgh was on the job to stop such a thing, and I remember the day when Governor Sproul was at the Americus Club in Pittsburgh, Enoch Rauh said it was the happiest day of his life, because Governor Sproul had told him

that there would be no change in the Council of Pittsburgh.

Therefore, it is fitting we should elect a man that he would endorse, a man who has never in word or deed agitated or been a party to any plan or scheme to change the form of Council, and I would hesitate, indeed, to present to the name of this Council a name of any man who had taken such action. I think it would be an insult to the intelligence of this Council to present the name of any man who by word or deed advocated the change of this Council. Therefore, I am going to present to you the name of a young man who measures up in every way to the standard set by Enoch Rauh and the original members of the Council of Nine. He is a young man, 38 years of age. He will bring into this Council intelligence—a wide acquaintance, and great work done for the city and its interests far beyond his years. He is connected with a family that have probably the largest property interests in the City of Pittsburgh, and, therefore, I believe the taxpayers and citizens will have a true representative in him as he will protect their interests as well as his own.

During the activities of the great world war no work was so essential, so well recognized, as the activities of the Red Cross. He was secretary of that organization and by his energy and his work and the results he produced he was made the Chairman, and all during the war he acted as Chairman of that organization, and his work was so fruitful that it stood out as probably the leading district in the United States for work accomplished.

Now, Mr. Chairman, I am privileged, indeed, to present to you the name of such a man, and I respectfully submit for the consideration of this Council the name of Mr. Augustus K. Oliver.

Mr. Dalley:

Mr. President, I desire to second the nomination.

Mr. McArdle:

Mr. President, I arise to also second the nomination of Mr. Augustus K. Oliver, and to express a sense of pleasure that I feel in doing it. I am mindful of the truths that have been expressed in the nominating remarks of Mr. Winters concerning the ideals as well as the character of our lamented colleague, Enoch Rauh, and I appreciate as he has given evidence of doing the importance of having before our mind's eye in making the selection of a successor the fact and knowledge that he who succeeds him shall also have the same high ideals and the same vision and the same determination to live up to those ideals that have been possessed by the man who will have been his predecessor.

Mr. Oliver is a man, in my judgment, who from whatever point he may be viewed will measure up to the responsibilities that will be thrust upon him if elected to this office. He knows the city; he knows government; he knows people; he understands principles and he has given evidence in all his life's work of being able to discern those principles in the ways that are best to serve the interests of the people. He has given evidence of a willingness to submerge self for the purpose of serving others; giving that evidence in a measure and with a success that has attended the efforts of few men in our great city, and he has done it without ever once in his life, so far as I know, blowing a note of praise or asking for a word of commendation for himself.

I take a still further and, perhaps, an even greater pleasure in seconding his nomination, because of the belief that is imbedded in my mind now that once Augustus K. Oliver takes a seat as a member of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, he will be a real member of Council and will measure up to the individual responsibility that the office thrusts upon him; that when he shall give expression to an idea or a thought or by his act commit himself to any policy it will be the result of a belief that is in his mind and heart that it is the right thing to do and that in the doing of it he will serve Pittsburgh and measure up to the responsibilities of his office. I believe, in other words, that he will have a mind of his own; possessed as he is of marked intelligence, and that he will express that mind and act in accordance with its dictates; because I believe he is possessed of courage, and that he will be willing at all times to do the thing that Augustus K. Oliver believe is the right thing to do, and I believe that of all other attributes that one is the most essential in properly filling the vacancy that is now at my side.

For these reasons and for others that are needless to mention, I express pleasure in voicing my intention to support Mr. Oliver for this vacancy.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, I too take great pleasure in seconding the nomination of Mr. Augustus K. Oliver to fill the vacancy in Council caused by the death of our colleague, Mr. Rauh. I could make a speech at great length, but I do not care to do so. I can express in a few words how I feel about the election of Mr. Oliver. I think if Mr. Oliver is elected a member of this Council he will thereby honor the Council.

Hon. E. V. Babcock arose and said:

Mr. President—Since the vacancy occurred many names have been submitted to me, I suppose because I was

Mayor. I was besieged by applicants and their friends. Among the names submitted was that of Mr. John B. Barbour. After a careful study of the entire list I came to the conclusion that Mr. Barbour could fill this position better than any man that I knew of, who would accept the position.

I consulted with Mr. Barbour. I asked him if he would accept it if it was tendered him. He said he was not a seeker for the position, but would accept it. I then made a public announcement that I would support Mr. Barbour for the vacancy in this Council and I have asked members of this Council to support him. On account of the commendations that have come to me from business men of Pittsburgh in all environments, I now feel it my duty to present his name to you and your associates for your consideration.

I did not know that Augustus K. Oliver was a candidate for this position. Neither he nor his friends mentioned him to me.

I have gone on record in saying that Mr. Barbour would fill this position with credit to the Councilmen that elected him, the Mayor and the City of Pittsburgh. I wish to present his name without the slightest reflection on any other name that has been presented.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, it gives me great pleasure to second the nomination of John B. Barbour to fill the vacancy in Council caused by the death of Enoch Rauh.

Just as the Mayor has said, I would call this a surprise party. I did not know until a half hour ago that the name of Mr. Oliver was to be presented here for our consideration. I was not consulted about it.

I have known Mr. Oliver for a long time, have been associated with him in civic work and from all my experience with him I could not say a disparaging word against him.

Both Mr. Barbour and Mr. Oliver are good citizens and would make good councilmen. When there is so much unrest in this country today we need men of the type and character of Mr. Barbour and Mr. Oliver in positions of public character. Both of these men are of the type that would carry out the principles that I have always tried to carry out in this Council and elsewhere. Either of these men are satisfactory to me.

I sat with John B. Barbour on the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce and he was Vice-President when I was President of the Chamber of Commerce. I sat with Mr. Oliver as a member of the Executive Committee of the Red Cross.

I know Mr. Oliver is an indefatigable worker and it would please me mightily if Mr. Oliver were elected should Mr. Barbour be defeated; but I intend to vote for Mr. Barbour, because I had made up my mind to vote for him. His selection was not dictated to me as some newspapers of Pittsburgh would lead its readers to believe. I was never called up on the telephone by the certain party mentioned or communicated with in any way regarding his selection.

I have been for Mr. Barbour to fill this vacancy ever since last Saturday. If he is defeated I go down with the ship. I don't trim or cheat.

I met John Barbour in the Americus Club last Saturday and he said to me that he was not seeking the office, but would accept it if it was tendered him. I am for him. At the same time the City of Pittsburgh is to be complimented on the election of either Mr. Barbour or Mr. Oliver. I say again that either of these men would carry out the principles that I have tried to carry out ever since I have been a member of Council. They are both splendid examples of what Pittsburgh needs in its civic, commercial and industrial life.

I will be well satisfied if either of these men are elected because both of them stand for those things which are for the best interests of the City of Pittsburgh.

Mr. Chairman, don't smile. I am not talking any longer than the previous speakers. I will say further that either of these men will fill the bill; but I am for John Barbour, and when you consider his experience in business and his interest in the civic and industrial welfare of this city for many years he is well qualified for the position.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the nominations close on the names of Augustus K. Oliver and John B. Barbour.

Which motion prevailed.

And the clerk was instructed to call the roll on the election of Mr. Oliver and Mr. Barbour, and the roll being called the result of the voting was as follows:

For Augustus K. Oliver.

Messrs.—

Dailey	McArdle
English	Winters
Herron (President)	

For John B. Barbour.

Hon. E. B. Babcock, Mayor.

Messrs.—

Garland	Robertson
Henderson	

And Augustus K. Oliver received five votes.

And John B. Barbour four votes.

And Augustus K. Oliver having received five votes of Council was duly elected a member thereof in accordance with the provision of an Act of Assembly, approved May 31, 1911, vice Enoch Rauh, deceased.

Mr. Garland moved

That the election of Mr. Augustus K. Oliver be made unanimous by this Council.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters moved

That a committee of three be appointed to get in touch with Mr. Augustus K. Oliver so that the oath of office may be administered to him.

Which motion prevailed.

And the Chair appointed Messrs. Winters, McArdle and Garland.

The Chair declared a recess for 10 minutes.

And the hour of 10:40 o'clock, A. M., having arrived, and the time of the recess having expired, the committee returned with Augustus K. Oliver, the member-elect.

Mr. Winters said:

Mr. President and Gentlemen—I desire to present at this time the newly-elected Councilman, Augustus K. Oliver.

The Chair said:

I congratulate you, Mr. Oliver, on being the unanimous choice of the members of Council and the Mayor for this office. If you will step forward I will administer the oath of office.

And Augustus K. Oliver appeared and took and subscribed to the oath of office, which was administered to him by President Herron.

The Chair:

Mr. Oliver, we are very glad to have you with us and I would ask that you take your seat.

The Chair announced that Mr. Oliver would take the place of Mr. Rauh on all standing and special committees of Council.

The Chair said:

If there are no objections, we will proceed with the regular order of business. I have received a communication from the Mayor in which he desires the Council to recall, without action thereon by him, the Ordinance fixing the salary of the Resident Physician at the Municipal Hospital.

Mr. English moved

That the rule be suspended in order

to proceed with the regular order of business.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair presented

No. 3991.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, December 2, 1919.

To the Council of the City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—I beg to request that Bill No. 3303, an Ordinance increasing the salary of the Resident Physician at the Municipal Hospital, be withdrawn and that I be permitted to appear before you relative to it.

The Director of the Department of Public Health recommended that this salary be made \$2,500.00 and stated that that amount would be satisfactory to the doctor in question.

My most potent objection to this Ordinance is that it is a serious discrimination. The Superintendent of the hospital (Mr. Jones) and this Resident Physician (Dr. Rimer) are both excellent men, both rendering the City splendid service. I cannot agree, however, that the Resident Physician should be paid more for his services than the Superintendent of the institution, and, with my present information, I would be compelled to disapprove the Ordinance.

Vetoing an Ordinance that has been unanimously passed by Council is an unpleasant duty. I cannot help but feel that there is either some misunderstanding on my part or on your part; hence I ask that this Ordinance be withdrawn that I may consider it with you before finally passing upon it.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the Mayor be requested to return to Council, without action thereon, Bill No. 3303.

Which motion prevailed.

And the Mayor returned, without action thereon,

Bill No. 3303, An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Item 'Resident Physician,' in Section 35, Department of Health, Municipal Hospital, of an Ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved by the Mayor, January 22, 1919."

In Council, November 24, 1919. Rule suspended, bill read three times and finally passed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle moved

To reconsider the vote by which the bill was read a second, and third times and finally passed.

Which motion prevailed.

And the question recurring, "Shall the bill be read a second and third times and finally passed?"

The motion did not prevail.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair stated

That the Council should immediately proceed with the consideration of the budget.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the Committee on Finance meet this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock to consider the budget.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Dalley moved

That Council adjourn.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President, before we adjourn it

seems that the newly-elected member ought to be invited to say a word to Council.

Mr. Oliver arose and said:

Mr. President and Members of Council—Gentlemen, I can really say very little other than what probably every newly-elected member would say, which is that I intend only to do the best I can in fulfilling the duties of Council.

I am not as familiar, of course, as the other members of Council are with those duties, because they have been serving for some time.

I think, however, with the general experience I have had, particularly with newspaper work, it will not take me long to learn the duties of a Councilman; and I can only say that it is my hope that I expect to live up to the expectations that the Council had when they elected me. I will do the best I can.

I want to express my appreciation to the members of Council and the Mayor for the honor they have conferred upon me in selecting me for this position and trust that I get along very well with each and every member of Council and all the officials of the city administration.

Mr. Dalley moved

That Council adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

And Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, December 8, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Oliver
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Absent—Mr. English.

The Chair stated

That if there were no objections, the minutes of the meetings of Council for November 24, December 1, 3 and 5, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Dalley moved

That the minutes of the meetings of Council for November 24, December 1, 3 and 5, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 3992. Resolved. That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to transfer certain sums of money from certain Code Accounts in the Department of Public Safety and its several

bureaus, to certain other Code Accounts, as hereinafter specified, to-wit:

From Code Account 1126, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, General Office, Department Public Safety, to Code Account 1130, Item B, Miscellaneous services, General Office, Department Public Safety\$ 300.00

From Code Account, 1161, Item A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Code Account 1163, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Fire 3,000.00

From Code Account 1162, Item A-3, Wages, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Code Account 1164, Item C, Supplies, Bureau of Fire..... 3,000.00

From Code Account 1161, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Code Account 1166, Item E, Repair, Bureau of Fire..... 6,000.00

From Code Account, 1161, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Code Account 1168, Item F, Equipment, Bureau of Fire.... 5,000.00

From Code Account 1180, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Building Inspection, to Code Account 1181, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Building Inspection 300.00

Also

No. 3993. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Florence Sullivan for \$18.24, being 50 per cent of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate on her property at 2497 Forbes street, Fourth ward, for the quarter ending July 11, 1919.

Also

No. 3994. Resolved that Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Con-

troller to Countersign warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below.

Schedule		Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$824.18	1160
Dispatch Publishing Company	57.60	1147
Leader Publishing Company	60.48	1147
Neeb-Hirsch Publishing Company	33.60	1147
Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph	67.20	1147
Pittsburgh Gazette Times	67.20	1147
Press Publishing Company	82.50	1147

Also

No. 3995. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Painter-Dunn Company for the sum of \$148.13 for repairing automobile used by District Chief Robert McKinley, in the Bureau of Fire, and charging same to Code Account No. 1166, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Fire.

Also

No. 3996. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Doubleday-Hill Electric Company in the sum of \$530.88, for the furnishing of hard drawn copper wire to the Bureau of Electricity, and charging same to Code Account No. 1175.

Also

No. 3997. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of E. Frey & Son, in the sum of \$75.00 for one dozen Eglentine bits for use in the Bureau of Police, and charging same to Code Account No. 1149.

Also

No. 3998. An Ordinance forbidding owners or tenants of property in the City of Pittsburgh fronting on traveled sidewalks from using window spaces in stores, buildings or other places for demonstrations of the operations of machines or for demonstrations made by persons in such manner as to attract crowds, which obstruct the sidewalk, and providing penalties therefor.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 3999. An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh

in the sum of ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$99,000.00), and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz.:

For the additions, extensions and improvements to the Mayview City Home and Hospital.

Also

No. 4000. An Ordinance providing for the letting of contracts for materials and general supplies required by the several departments of the City government for the year beginning January 1, 1920.

Also

No. 4001. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of David Davies in the sum of \$75.00 for salary as stenographer and clerk in the Mayor's Welcome Committee for the last half of November, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1027, Mayor's Welcome Committee.

Also

No. 4002. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Frank McComb in the sum of \$869.60 for streamers and banners furnished in connection with the "Special Bond Election," and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Bond Election, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 4003. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Edwin M. Hill in the sum of \$536.39, for lumber furnished the Mayor's Welcome Committee on Order No. 14635, and charging same to Code Account No. 1027.

Also

No. 4004. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Bruckman Lumber Company for \$7,325.27, and Edwin M. Hill for \$754.42 for lumber furnished the Civic and War Committee for the purpose of building reviewing stands for returning soldiers and charging same to Code Account No. 1027, Special Reservations, Civic and War Committee.

Also

No. 4005. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Elizabeth Meixner in the sum of \$86.84 refunding water rent on property at 1639 Tustin street, First ward, on account of the building being torn down and the meter removed.

Also

No. 4006. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,800.00 from

Appropriation No. 1054, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Accounting Revision, to Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund.

Also
No. 4007. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$120.00 from Code Account No. 1083, Miscellaneous, to Code Account No. 1078, Equipment, and \$100.00 from Code Account No. 1083 to Code Account No. 1086, Department of Law.

Also
No. 4008. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,350.00 from Appropriation No. 1552, Salaries, Regular Employees, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1553, Wages, Temporary Employees, Asphalt Plants, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Also
No. 4009. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from the unexpended portion of the amount reserved for the use of the Department of Supplies in the purchase of Government foods, as per Resolution No. 397, approved August 5, 1919, to Code Account F-7332, in the Department of Supplies.

Also
No. 4010. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract for the furnishing of one (1) automobile for the Department of Supplies.

Also
No. 4011. Petition of Medical Inspectors in the Bureau of Infectious Diseases, for an increase in salaries.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also
No. 4012. An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and establishing the grade of Enfield street, from Center avenue to Baum boulevard.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 4013. An Ordinance amending Line 8, Section 48, Board of Water Assessors, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees in all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, etc." approved January 22, 1919.

Also
No. 4014. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to make the following transfers of ap-

propriations in the Department of Assessors, to-wit:

From Code Account No. 52-M,
Standardization Fund\$1,500.00
To Code Account No. 1094, Salaries, Temporary Employees..... 1,500.00
From Code Account No. 1093,
Salaries, Regular Employees.. 400.00
From Code Account No. 1905,
Miscellaneous Services 150.00
Code Account No. 1099, Equip-
ment and Machinery 50.00
To Code Account No. 1094, Salaries, Temporary Employees 400.00
Code Account No. 1096, Supplies 200.00

Also
No. 4015. Petition of property owners on California avenue asking that the Woods Run Bridge be replaced by a new bridge.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also
No. 4016. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Adams street, from a point about 20 feet east of Manhattan street to the existing sewer crossing Adams street east of Fulton street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also
No. 4017. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Marathon avenue, East Lane, Shreve street and Entrance avenue, from Lappe Lane to the existing sewer on the north sidewalk of South Side avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also
No. 4018. An Ordinance granting unto the Duff Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a switch siding on and across Preble avenue in the Twenty-seventh ward, City of Pittsburgh, said track to be located at a point approximately eight hundred and seventy-six (876') feet south of Ontario street, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., to the buildings of the Duff Manufacturing Company's Plant situated on the west side of Preble avenue at the Ohio Connecting Railroad Bridge.

Also
No. 4019. Petition for the vacation of Manhattan street, in the

Twenty-first ward, from Nixon street to the southerly line of the right-of-way of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railway.

Also
No. 4020. An Ordinance vacating Manhattan street, in the Twenty-first ward, from Nixon street to the southerly line of the right-of-way of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railway.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also
No. 4021. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Matthew Ott & Company for the sum of \$308.00, in full payment for all labor work necessary to lower the six-inch water line of Exeter street from Greenfield avenue west, and charging same to Appropriation No. 190, Bureau of Water.

Also
No. 4022. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of M. O'Herron Company for the sum of \$1,289.75 in full payment for all labor work necessary to lay the 6" water line on Howley street from Main street to Friendship avenue, and charging same to Appropriation No. 190, Bureau of Water.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Filtration and Water.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 4023. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Matthews Brothers Manufacturing Company for \$121.50, for extra work in connection with the contract for the furnishing of furniture for the Mayor's Office and Council Chamber, and charging same to Code Account No. 42.

Also
No. 4024. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$632.22 from Appropriation No. 170-A, Grade Crossings, to Appropriation No. 170-B, Salaries, Elimination of Grade Crossings.

Also
No. 4025. Petition of Clerks in the Department of Assessors for an increase in salaries.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also
No. 4026. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co. for

\$303.01 for placing stringers beneath their tracks, removing same, adjusting tracks to grade, etc., on the line of the 36-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street, and private properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co., from a point about 275 feet northeast of Foster st. to the Allegheny River, and charging same to Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering.

Also
No. 4027. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. for the sum of \$621.84 for placing stringers beneath their tracks, removing same, adjusting tracks to grade, etc., on the line of the 36-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street and private properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co., from a point about 275 feet northeast of Foster st. to the Allegheny River, and charging same to Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering.

Also
No. 4028. Resolution approving the extra of \$3,094.53 certified by the Department of Public Works to the M. O'Herron Company, for the grading, paving and curbing of McCandless street, from Stanton avenue to Fifty-third street, and authorizing the City Controller to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also
No. 4029. An Ordinance establishing the grade on Peerless avenue, from Warburton street to the westerly line of South Park Land Company Plan of Lots.

Also
No. 4030. Mrs. Magdalena C. Howley's Plan of Lots, Fourteenth ward, laid out by Magdalena C. Howley, Mary A. Aufhammer and John C. Aufhammer and the dedication of Bills way, Elder way, Ludwick street, Shady avenue and Victory way thereon.

Also
No. 4031. An Ordinance approving Mrs. Magdalena C. Howley's Plan of Lots in the Fourteenth ward laid out by Magdalena C. Howley, Mary A. Aufhammer and John C. Aufhammer, accepting the dedication of Bills way, Elder way, Ludwick street, Shady avenue and Victory way, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon.

Also

No. 4032. Plan of City Garden, in the Tenth ward, laid out by the Pittsburgh City Garden Company, and the dedication of Antoinette street, Alcock way, Camella street, Downlook avenue, Drive street, Drive way, Fence way, Garage way, Oglethorpe avenue, Oldani street, Premier street and Woodbine street shown thereon.

Also

No. 4033. An Ordinance approving plan of City Garden, in the Tenth ward, laid out by the Pittsburgh City Garden Company, a Pennsylvania Corporation, accepting the dedication of Antoinette street, Alcock way, Camella street, Downlook avenue, Drive street, Drive way, Fence way, Garage way, Oglethorpe avenue, Oldani street, Premier street and Woodbine street as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Oliver presented

No. 4034. Whereas, in order to continue certain work of repairs to boardwalks and steps and repairs to highways, it is necessary to provide additional funds, which may be obtained by the transfer of unexpended balances remaining in the code accounts herein-after shown to the appropriations for Materials, Boardwalks and Steps, and Materials, Repairing Highways, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works.

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfers in the various Code Accounts in the Bureau of Highways and Sewers:

From Code Account No. 1507, Salaries, Division Offices, to Code Account No. 1531, Materials, Repairing Highways	\$1,500.00
From Code Account No. 1507, Salaries, Division Offices, to Code Account No. 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps	1,300.00
From Code Account No. 1532, Wages, Temporary Employees, Repairing Sewers; to Code Account 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps	200.00
From Code Account No. 1534, Wages, Temporary Employees, Cleaning and Repairing Sewer Drops; to Code Account No. 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps	2,000.00
From Code Account No. 1543, Wages, Temporary Employees, Bridges; to Code Account No. 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps	500.00

Also

No. 4035. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer \$400.00 from Account No. 1652, "Wages Regular Employees," to Code Account No. 1654, "Miscellaneous Services," Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 4036. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of J. H. Clark, Registered Plumber, of 715 North Dallas avenue, East End, for the sum of \$9.32, in payment of claim for connecting sewer branch at 7527 Rosemary street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 4037. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Miller & Kennedy Company, Registered Plumbers, for \$138.42, in payment of claim for extending the sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line at 5723 Broad street, and charging same of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 4038. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Carnegie Steel Company for \$647.96 for 50 5" H-beams, and charging same to Code Account No. 1461-D, Materials, Bridge Repairs, City Force, Bureau of Engineering.

Also

No. 4039. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk and roadway of Beechwood boulevard, from the existing sewer on the west sidewalk of Beechwood boulevard at Forbes street to the existing sewer on Beechwood boulevard at Aylesboro ave., and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 4040. An Ordinance accepting the dedication of certain property in the Fourteenth ward for public use for highway purposes for the widening of Forbes street.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 4041. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Saint James African Methodist Episcopal Chapel for the sum of \$58.40, refunding amount of taxes paid by it for

the years 1917 and 1919, on its church property, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding City Taxes.

Also

No. 4042. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Katherine Steigerwald, Executrix of the Estate of August Steigerwald, deceased, in the sum of \$204.04, refunding excessive water rent on property at 1524-1526 East street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes and Water Rents.

Also

No. 4043. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of M. O'Herron in place of Warrant No. 19033, for \$999.60, which was lost or destroyed, provided, however, that M. O'Herron & Company shall file with the Mayor of the City a bond in the sum of \$1,000.00, conditioned to save the City harmless from any loss which may arise from or by the payment of the original warrant.

Also

No. 4044. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to enter satisfaction of lien filed at No. 17 August Term, 1905, M. L. D., and all subsequent proceeding of scire facias, if any may be entered for the same against the property of Jacob Blank, by reason of the construction of a sewer on Solar street, Twenty-fourth ward, and charging the costs thereof to the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 4045. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer \$150.00 from Code Account No. 1636, Wages, Regular Employees, to Code Account No. 1638, "Supplies," Accounting Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 4046. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of M. O'Herron Company for \$4,314.03 for laying a 24" water line on W. Carson street from the Point Bridge to South Main street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 190.

Also

No. 4047. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) motor truck chassis (one-ton capacity), for the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Also

No. 4048. An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or

contracts for the furnishing of one (1) motor truck (two-ton capacity), for the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Filtration and Water.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 4049. Communication from the City Wharfmaster asking for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 4050. Communication from Fort Pitt Garrison No. 51, Army and Navy Union, U. S. A., asking for an appropriation of \$300.00 for Memorial Day Services and Decorating Graves, and \$500.00 for department convention to be held in Pittsburgh in September, 1920.

Also

No. 4051. An Ordinance fixing the salary of all employees in the Division of Weights and Measures, Department of Public Safety, and providing for the payment thereof.

Also

No. 4052. An Ordinance amending Lines 9 and 10 of Section 17, Department of Assessors, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 4053. An Ordinance amending item "Sixteen Matrons," Section 23, Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Police, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved by the Mayor January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 4054. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Rising & Radcliffe for the sum of \$679.00 for printing 150 copies of the report of the Committee on Standardization, and charging same to Appropriation No. 152-M, Standardization Fund.

Also

No. 4055. Resolution directing the Finance Committee to place the engineers employed in the Water Works on the same basis as those employed in other departments, to-wit: C. U. W., and that the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to change the allowance of wages of said engineers from a fixed sum to C. U. W.

Also

No. 4056. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Henry Lawrence in the sum of \$8.55, being 50 per cent of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate on his property at 2318 Second Avenue, Fourth ward.

Also

No. 4057. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to John L. McCarthy in the sum of \$8.58, being one-half of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate on his property at 53 South Seventeenth Street, Seventeenth ward.

Also

No. 4058. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$9,500.00 from Code Account No. 1316, Salaries, Regular Employees, to Code Account No. 1320, Supplies, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Department of Charities.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 4059. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Thos. C. Jenkins Company for \$3,500.00, or so much of the same as may be necessary for the payment of groceries furnished on Order No. 17315, of the Department of Supplies, and charging same to Code Account No. 1320-C, Supplies, Department of Charities.

Also

No. 4060. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of M. Oppenheimer & Company for \$800.00 for 200 pair of pants for the Pittsburgh City Home & Hospitals, and charging same to Code Account No. 1320 C, Supplies, Department of Charities.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Charities and Correction.

The Chair presented

No. 4061. Communication from the Fraternal Order of Police transmitting resolution on the death of Enoch Rauh, late member of Council.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 4062. Communication from the City Firemen's Protective Associa-

tion transmitting resolution on the death of Enoch Rauh, late member of Council.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 4063

Application Docket No. 2668—1919.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

November 29, 1919.

Hon. John S. Herron, President,

Council, City of Pittsburgh,

City-County Building,

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Mr. Herron—I enclose for the information of Council, a copy of the recent decision of the Public Service Commission of this State, in the matter of rates of the Bell Telephone Company, restoring the pre-war rates in accordance with the order of the Commission of April 4, 1917.

If this order stands undisturbed by further Court proceedings, it means that former rates will be restored, at least until April or May, 1920, and that generally speaking, the present rates will be reduced about 20 per cent. and that certain other charges for service connection and for discontinuance of service, will be eliminated.

From data which we have available, this would indicate a reduction of the telephone rates in the Pittsburgh district of not less than seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000.00), per annum.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES K. ROBINSON.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE
COMMONWEALTH OF
PENNSYLVANIA.

Application Docket No. 2668—1919

In re: Application of the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania for approval of the right to file a schedule of rates to be effective upon the return of the petitioner's system to it by the United States Government; it being an amendment and modification of an order of the Commission dated April 4, 1917.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSION

By the Commission:

The Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania has petitioned this Commission to approve a continuance of the rates established under war time conditions by the Post Master General. These rates were approximately twenty per

cent higher than those which this Commission, after extensive hearings and investigation, established upon order in 1917. The order referred to was based upon an investigation of the properties and practices, income and revenues of the entire system now owned and operated by the present applicant. The provision of the Public Service Company Law contemplates a period of three years repose following such orders for utility companies and the public affected by them. This is a wise provision of the Public Service Company Law and ought not lightly be set aside. It is true that under the same provision this Commission is authorized on application of a utility or complaint of a consumer or patron to make changes in its former orders, but under all the circumstances presented in the pending application, and in view of the fact that the three year period referred to will soon expire (April, 1920), the Commission cannot assent to the pending request. The evidence with respect to the financial condition, prospective revenues and anticipated expenditures submitted by the applicant is, in the light of the prevailing circumstances, not sufficient to convince this Commission of the necessity for the increase prayed for, nor of the justness or reasonableness of the proposal to advance the applicant's rates above those which were in effect prior to the period of federal control. So far as the Commission is advised by the testimony, the increased rates established by the Post Master General which are sought to be continued were not predicated upon a consideration of factors which public utility bodies are required to weigh in fixing rates or in determining allowable gross revenue.

Undoubtedly the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania in common with all other public utilities and business enterprises throughout the country has been and still is confronted with increased cost of operation, maintenance and for extensions. Due consideration to such patent facts should and has been given by the Commission in the matter now before it. As the Commission has repeatedly expressed, the public interest demands that the utilities by which the public are served shall be safeguarded by being permitted to secure revenues sufficient to meet reasonable costs of service, provide for proper reserves, and to secure for them fair return. Communities cannot progress, nor obtain efficient service, if these public utility mediums, so requisite in daily business and social life, are denied the right to just and reasonable support.

It does not appear, however, from the facts before the Commission in this case that there would be any substantial denial of just and reasonable revenues to the applicant company, by adhering

to our former order for the period of time it has yet to run, in refusing the present application and directing the applicant to return to and again place in effect its schedule of rates which were operative under our order prior to the date upon which the federally imposed rates went into effect in Pennsylvania. The figures submitted by the company as the result of operation during war time conditions are as yet inconclusive in determining the justness or reasonableness of an increase of approximately twenty per cent. The company's testimony projects the estimate of operative increases on an ascending scale into a future period of several years. The Commission would not be warranted in basing a conclusion upon the conjecture that higher costs or operation and service than those which have already been reached will be the experience of this company. To so decide would in a sense foreclose the rights of the rate paying public. If the future shall reveal the necessity for rate re-adjustment and the hypothesis upon which this application is so largely predicated is demonstrated to have become an actuality, prompt relief can be readily secured and will be promptly granted.

Costs of service and production leading to ever increasing burdens upon the consuming public have been expanded, as aptly described "in an alarmingly vicious circle." There must come a point of stabilization at which industrial and economic conditions can be held firm against either dangerous inflation or ruinous contractions. Great public utility corporations coming in contact with the intimate life and interest of the people at countless points, deriving their right to exist from grants of public franchise and depending upon the general public for their prosperous corporate existence, can do more under existing circumstances by efficient and economic management to contribute to stabilizing conditions than can be accomplished by any other single agency it would be possible to emphasize in an enumeration. In the absence of convincing facts which would justify the Commission in granting the application for a continuance of the federally imposed rates beyond December 1, 1919, the date fixed by Congress it is refused and the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania is directed as and of that date to restore its rates which were in effect in Pennsylvania immediately prior to the period of federal control. An order will issue accordingly.

(Signed) WM. D. B. AINEY,
Chairman.

APPLICATION DOCKET No. 2668-1919
In re: Application of the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania for approval of the right to file a schedule

of rates to be effective upon the return of the petitioner's system to it by the United States Government; it being an amendment and modification of an order of the Commission dated April 4, 1917.

ORDER.

This matter being before the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, upon petition of the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania and protests against the granting of said petition, and having been duly heard and submitted by the parties, and the Commission having on the date hereof made and filed of record a report containing its findings of fact and conclusions thereon, which report is hereby approved and made a part hereof.

Now, to-wit, November 25, 1919, the petition of the Bell Telephone Company, above referred to, for permission to increase its rates and charges is refused and the said company is hereby ordered and directed, from and after December 1, 1919, to charge and collect for its service within this state the rates prescribed under the terms of the order of the Commission heretofore made in April, 1917, and in effect prior to the period of federal control.

(SEAL)

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA.

WM. D. B. AINEY,
Chairman.

Attest:

A. B. MILLAR,
Secretary.

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Garland moved

That a vote of thanks be given Mr. Robinson for his work in the matter.

Which motion prevailed.

At this time Mr. C. K. Robinson, who was present, arose and said:

Mr. President and Members of Council—In connection with the letter transmitting report of the Public Service Commission in the matter of telephone rates in the State of Pennsylvania, I desire to call your attention to some of the results which have so far been achieved.

The complaint of the City of Pittsburgh was filed early in August of this

year, within a few days after the Government had restored the properties of the telephone company to their original owners, and this complaint, so far as I know, was the only complaint filed in the State of Pennsylvania within the statutory period of thirty days; subsequently a complaint was filed by the Chamber of Commerce of the City of Pittsburgh and these complaints were joined and heard together. These were the only complaints filed against the telephone rates in the State of Pennsylvania although the increase had affected the entire State. It happened therefore that the Pittsburgh district was forced to wage a contest in behalf of the entire State without support from any other quarter.

Following the oral argument before the Commission on the 24th of November, a prompt decision was reached by the Public Service Commission on the 26th of November, the effect of which was to restore the pre-war rates of the telephone company, the same being in accordance with a decision of the Commission in April, 1917. This order will remain in effect, in accordance with the Public Service Law, until the expiration of the three year period, which will expire in April or May, and which will, as I recall, affect rates until May 31, 1920.

The total reduction in rates over the entire State will amount to approximately \$5,000,000 a year, of which reduction it is estimated at least \$1,000,000 will accrue to the telephone users in the Pittsburgh district.

It may be expected that there will be a very vigorous fight on the part of the telephone interests in the spring, preceding the expiration of the three year period, for the restoration of the War increases. We will probably secure in this fight, help from some other parts of the State, but we may anticipate a much more determined fight on the part of the telephone interests to restore these increases.

No. 4064.

DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSORS.

Pittsburgh, December 8, 1919.

To the Council,

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen—The taxable valuation for land and buildings for the year 1919 is as follows:

Land	\$480,131,130.00
Buildings	\$325,889,600.00

Our estimate for new buildings for the year 1920 is approximately \$9,000,000, but on account of razing of buildings, reductions, corrections and exemptions made during the year, it would not be advisable to count upon more than \$7,000,000 increase in the building valuation for the year 1920.

Yours respectfully,
BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
By THOMAS J. HAWKINS,
Chief Assessor.

Also
No. 4065—Communication from the Kiwanis Club of Pittsburgh endorsing the Daylight Saving Ordinance.

Also
No. 4066—Communication from the Pennsylvania Railroad Company regarding new lease for property on Penn avenue between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets by the City of Pittsburgh.

Also
No. 4067—Communication from Division Engineers, Bureau of Water, asking for a hearing regarding their classification as fixed by the Committee on Standardization of Salaries.

Also
No. 4068—Communication from Wm. B. Schiller, President, National Tube Company, endorsing the request of the uniformed members of the Bureau of Police for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4069—Communication from L. H. Burnett, Assistant to the President, the Carnegie Steel Company, and the Pittsburgh Taxicab Company endorsing the request of the uniformed members of the Bureau of Police for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4070—Communication from Thomas W. Ferris, Sr., T. F. Holleran, J. Allison Reed, Robt. N. Meade and Ralph J. Simons endorsing the request of the uniformed members of the Bureau of Police for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4071—Communication from S. H. Lloyd offering property at the corner of Hamilton and Dallas avenues adjoining the city asphalt plant.

Also
No. 4072—Communication from the Department of City Planning asking that the City appropriate \$25,000.00 for the operation of the department.

Also
No. 4073. Communication from John Swan, Director of the Department of Public Works, transmitting letter from George W. Burke, Superintendent of the Bureau of Parks, relative to the condition of the buildings and the animals in Highland Park.

Also
No. 4074. Communication from Local Union No. 40, Pavers and Rammersmen, relative to an increase in sal-

ary for employees in the service of the City.

Also
No. 4075. Petition of Smoke Inspectors in the Department of Public Health for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4076. Communication from C. C. Hamilton asking that the salary of city employees be increased in order to meet the high cost of living.

Also
No. 4077. Communication from Edgar E. Brosius endorsing the request of the uniformed members of the Bureau of Police for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4078. Communication from The Employers' Association of Pittsburgh endorsing the request of the uniformed members of the Bureau of Police for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4079. Communication from David M. Kirk endorsing the request of the uniformed members of the Bureau of Police for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4080. Communication from Mackintosh, Hemphill & Co., endorsing the request of the uniformed members of the Bureau of Police for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4081. Communication from the National Casket Company endorsing the request of the uniformed members of the Bureau of Police for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4082. Communication from Abe Patterson Post No. 88, Grand Army of the Republic, endorsing the request of the uniformed members of the Bureau of Police for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4083. Communication from the Wilson-Snyder Manufacturing Co. endorsing the request of the uniformed members of the Bureau of Police for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4084. Communication from Typographical Union No. 7 endorsing the request of the uniformed members of the Bureau of Police for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4085. Petition of field nurses in the Bureau of Infectious Diseases and Bureau of Child Welfare asking for an increase in salary.

Also

No. 4086. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to John H. Fahey for three lots known as Nos. 22, 23 and 24 in L. P. Bahms Plan located on Lorigan street, Eighth ward, for the sum of \$175.00.

Also

No. 4087. An Ordinance amending a portion of Section 32, Division of Transmissible Diseases, and a portion of Section 36, Bureau of Child Welfare, in the Department of Public Health, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved by the Mayor, January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 4088. An Ordinance amending a portion of Section 28, Division of Inspection, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved by the Mayor, January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 4089. Communication from the Lawrenceville Board of Trade asking for a hearing regarding certain improvements in the Lawrenceville district.

Also

No. 4090. Communication from the New Future Association, 418 Sherman avenue, North Side, asking to be exonerated from payment of water rent.

Also

No. 4091. Communication from the Department of Public Health transmitting report showing removal of garbage and rubbish during the month of November, 1918, and the month of November, 1919.

Also

No. 4092. An Ordinance providing for the employment of one additional laborer in the Division of Motor Vehicles.

Also

No. 4093. An Ordinance creating the position of additional police magistrate in the City of Pittsburgh, defining the duties, and fixing the compensation of said position.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 4094. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Frederick James Colwes for \$82.82 for time lost as elevator operator in the Bureau of City Property on account of sickness, and charging same to Code Account No. 1567-A-3.

Also

No. 4095. Communication from John P. Findley, member of the Knoxville Borough Council, asking that Hartford street, which is the boundary line between the City and the Borough, be improved.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 4096. Communication from F. G. Conley protesting against the proposed changing of name of Shady avenue to Tilbury avenue.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Also

No. 4097. Communication from George F. Weinert asking that the Engine House, known as No. 31, on Winterburn street, be manned.

Also

No. 4098. Communication from Washington Heights Post No. 200, American Legion, asking to be allowed the use of the second floor of the Police Station No. 9, Shiloh street and Virginia avenue for conducting its business.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Also

No. 4099. Petition of property owners for the construction of a water line on Winterhill street, Nineteenth ward.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Filtration and Water.

Also

No. 4100. Communication from the Receivers of the Pittsburgh Railways Company relative to its financial condition and other questions relating to the transportation service rendered by the Company in Pittsburgh.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 4101. Report of the Committee on Finance for November 25, 1919, transmitting sundry resolutions and an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3928. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,000.00

from Code Account No. 1672, "Supplies" Bureau of Light, to Code Account No. 1572, "Equipment and Machinery," Bureau of City Property.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3929. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$7.70 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, to Code Account No. 1146, Item A, Wages, Temporary Employees, Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3930. Whereas, It was necessary to make certain repairs at the Diamond Market for which no appropriation had been made and various other code accounts are exhausted in which funds for the proper operation during the remainder of the year are necessary; Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfers from one code account to others in the Bureau of City Property.

FROM:

Code Account 1560—Salaries, General Office	\$ 50.60
Code Account 1563 — Repairs, General Office	300.00
Code Account 1565 — Decorations	300.00
Code Account 1569—Supplies, City County Building	9,000.00
Code Account 1575—Repairs, North Side City Hall	800.00
Code Account 1576—Salaries, Regular Employees, Diamond Market	1,100.00
Code Account 1589—Supplies, North Side Market	1,000.00
Code Account 1619—Salaries, Regular Employees, Comfort Stations	270.00
Code Account 1624—Supplies, Foster Homestead	172.00
	\$12,992.60

TO—

Code Account 1567—Wages, Regular Employees, City-County Building	\$ 850.00
Code Account 1567½—Wages, Temporary Employees, City-County Building	4,377.60
Code Account 1577—Wages, Regular Employees, Diamond Market	240.00
Code Account 1586—Wages Regular Employees, North Side Market	780.00
Code Account 1595 — Wages, Regular Employees, South Side Market	540.00
Code Account 1613—Wages, Regular Employees, Wharves and Landings	595.00
Code Account 1583—Repairs, Diamond Market	1,000.00
Code Account 1580—Supplies, Diamond Market	2,900.00
Code Account 1588—Miscellaneous Services, North Side Market	1,380.00
Code Account 1597—Supplies, South Side Market	330.00
	\$12,992.60

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3931. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,500.00 from Appropriation No. 1069, Miscellaneous Services (Advertising Delinquent Taxes) to the following appropriations:—

To Appropriation No. 1072, Equipment, Collector of Delinquent Taxes	\$1,000.00
To Appropriation No. 1070, Supplies, Department Collector of Delinquent Taxes	500.00
	\$1,500.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Oliver
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3934. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the following sums, amounting in the aggregate to \$160.00, from Code Account 1800-B, Miscellaneous Services, to the following Code Accounts as divided:

\$ 35.00 to Code Account 1801-C, Supplies,
5.00 to Code Account 1802-D Materials,

, 120.00 to Code Account 1804-F, Equipment and Machinery.

\$160.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3935. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,500.00 to Code Account No. 1206, Supplies, Division of Transmissible Diseases, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, from the following Code Accounts: \$300.00 from Code Account No. 1194, Salaries, Regular Employees, \$1,200.00 from Code Account 1204, Wages, Temporary Employees, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, and \$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1281, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Dairy Inspection, Bureau of Food Inspection.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3936. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer from Appropriation No. 1526, Equipment, Cleaning Highways, to Appropriation No. 1523, Supplies, Cleaning Highways, \$600.00, and from Appropriation No. 1526, Equipment, Cleaning Highways, to Appropriation No. 1520, Repairs, Buildings, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, \$350.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3951. Resolution authorizing and directing the Controller to transfer the sum of \$75.00 from Code Account No. 1491, General Repaving, Bureau of Engineering, 1919, to Code Account No. 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, and applied to the credit of item "The reconstruction of railing on retaining wall on the south side of South Eighteenth street, etc."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3814. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Anna Scheider in the sum of \$200.00, the same being in full settlement of all claims and demands against the City arising out of injuries received by Mrs. Scheider by tripping on broken board in boardwalk on Mt. Oliver street, on August 30, 1919, and charging the same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3821. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Dominick Sculli in the sum of \$110.00, in full settlement of all claims and demands against the City by reason of his premises at 41 Boundary street being flooded by clogging up of city sewer on June 21, 1919, and on July 11, 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3927. Resolution authorizing the issuing of warrants in favor of the following organizations by reason of expenses incurred in the celebration of Armistice Day, November 11, 1919, and charging the amounts designated to Code No. 43, Finance Fund: American Legion Band and Orchestra \$135.00
Rising and Radcliffe 40.00
\$175.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3932. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Hawkins, Delafield and Longfellow in the sum of \$5,000.00, as retainer in employment as assistant counsel for the City in the matter of assisting in and supervising the preparation of all Ordinances, etc., relating to the election for the increase of indebtedness of the City in the sum of \$21,000,000.00, and authorizing the payment, from time to time, to said firm a further compensation of seventy-five cents (75c) per thousand for all bonds actually sold under said authorized issue, and charging same to Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3989—Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the South Pittsburgh Water Company in the sum of \$1,176.12, refunding amount erroneously collected by the City during the years 1909 to 1919, inclusive, on properties located on Lillian street, Eighteenth ward, which properties were actually furnished water by said South Pittsburgh Water Company, upon said company's first executing and delivering to the City a duly authorized release in full of such claim.

In Finance Committee, November 26, 1919, read and amended by adding at the end of the resolution the words "and charge the same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes and Water Rents," and as amended ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3938—An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors

to allow all hospitals of the City of Pittsburgh, supported by public charity, to receive free of charge two hundred and fifty (250) gallons of water per person per day, and providing for exonerations to that extent and the method of determining the same."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also, with a negative recommendation,

Bill No. 3794—Resolution directing the Superintendent of the Bureau of Water to remove water meters from properties of Mrs. Rachel McQuillan, located on Pride and Fullerton streets, and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration on the water rates already assessed for the quarter, and to put the houses on the flat rate basis.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 3881. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Morris Caplan in the sum of \$25.00, being excessive charge for water rent on his premises at 4 Overhill street, for the quarter ending September 6, 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 4102. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for November 26, 1919, transmitting two Ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3925. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Vitro Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns the right to construct, maintain and use a two inch (2") steel oil supply pipe for the purpose of conveying fuel oil from their warehouse located on the northern side of Chartiers avenue to their property on the southeastern side of Oliffe street, said pipe line to run from the northern side of Chartiers avenue under and across Chartiers avenue to Oliffe street, along the twelve foot (12') line on the eastern side of Oliffe street to the Vitro Manufacturing Company's factories for a total distance of three hundred and four feet (304') located in the Twentieth ward, City of Pittsburgh."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3921. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance vacating Forge way, in the Twenty-seventh ward, as laid out in 'James Verner's Plan of 71 Lots at Verner Station,' from the easterly line of said Plan to the line dividing lots 38 and 40 in said Plan."

In Public Service and Surveys Committee, November 26, 1919. Read and amended by inserting after the title two

preambles as shown in red, and as amended ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the amendments of the Public Service and Surveys Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

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Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
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Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Garland at this time, asked and obtained leave to present

No. 4103. An Ordinance levying and assessing taxes and water rent for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1920, and ending December 31, 1920, upon all property subject to taxation within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh.

Also

No. 4104. An Ordinance making appropriations to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City of Pittsburgh and for meeting the debt charges thereof for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1920, and ending December 31, 1920.

Also

No. 4105. An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 4106. An Ordinance amending line 17, section 25, Department of

Public Safety, Bureau of Electricity, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

No. 4107.

December 8, 1919.

To the Council of the City of Pittsburgh—

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith the Departmental Estimates for the Budget of 1920 and the Mayor's exhibit accompanying same, as compiled by the Bureau of Costs.

The total of the estimates as presented to you is \$17,117,058.50, which is an increase over the 1919 appropriation of \$1,018,044.44, or 6.3 per cent.

I wish to call your special attention to the following items in the estimates of the various departments:

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES.

The sum of \$69,000 is estimated as the amount necessary to not only provide for an increase in the cost of material furnished but also for an improved diet which will raise the standard of food-stuffs and treatment given the inmates of the Mayview City Home.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

You will note that the increase in this Department is largely due to the increased cost of food supplies, etc., for the Municipal and Tuberculosis Hospitals and the cost of removing garbage and rubbish for the year, as determined by public bids recently received by the Director of the Department.

Reference is made in the budget to the fact that the estimates does not include a deficit in the appropriation for garbage and rubbish removal for 1919, the correct amount of which will be given you by the Director of the Department.

Your attention is called to the re-organization of the Bureau of Child Welfare. The number of school doctors is changed from 32 at 5 hours per day to 52 at 3 hours per day. It is the intention to have these doctors serve the City the full forenoon of each day, thereby giving 37,920 instead of 30,600 hours' service per year, and in Director Davis' judgment, concurred in by the Mayor, thus render more efficient service to the public. Director Davis prefers to personally spread the details of this program before you.

Your attention is also called to the re-organization of the Bureau of Smoke Regulation, in which a small reduction in cost (without a reduction in results) is recommended.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

The estimates for the Bureau of Engineering have been reduced to a figure consistent with the bond issue program proposed for it.

In the estimates for the asphalt plants in the Bureau of Highways and Sewers a sufficient amount has been provided to enable us to work both plants to their fullest capacity. I consider it highly important that we not only improve our streets with bond funds already provided but keep the City-owned asphalt plants going at top speed in their repairing and repaving functions.

The estimates of the Bureau of Water for extensions and additions have been cut to a figure consistent with the funds provided in the Bond Issue for this Bureau.

The estimate for fuel for pumping stations has been placed at the same amount as that appropriated for this year and the Director of the Department of Supplies instructed to secure bids for next year's supply and furnish Council with the actual figures.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

In the estimates of the Bureau of Fire there has been set up \$135,700.00 for motorized apparatus. This is in line with the policy adopted last year and should be consistently followed up.

Motorization means a more efficient fire-fighting force and should reduce the expenses of the Department. Fire-fighting appliances become obsolete over night because of the wonderful development being made in improved apparatus, which development all cities should keep up with as fast as consistent.

The Department strongly recommends more Hosemen. I ask Council to seriously consider increasing the number. We now have approximately 100 extra or sub-hosemen, partially trained. These were put in the Department in the place of those in military service, who later returned and displaced them.

Strong recommendations come to the Director of Public Safety and the Mayor from insurance underwriters for more men and new apparatus.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

The sum of \$5 000.00 is included in the estimates of the Mayor's Office for "Entertainment of Visiting Delegations and Industrial Representatives of Foreign Countries."

It seems to me that we should make some provision of this nature if Pittsburgh is to make a favorable impression upon visitors of this character.

MORALS COURT.

The estimates for this Court include an additional Police Magistrate, concerning which I have addressed a separate communication to you.

OFFICE OF SUPERVISOR OF CITY STABLES.

It is proposed to substitute this title for that of the "Bureau of Animal Industry" and transfer the position of Superintendent of Horses from the Bureau of Fire to this office.

CITY GARAGE AND REPAIR SHOP.

The estimates for this function as submitted to you are based upon the estimated needs of the Machine Shop as they were set up by the Bureau of Fire and amounts approximating the expenditures of the Division of Motor Vehicles for 1919, together with the City Architects's estimate of the cost of repairs to the buildings.

I have not had time to work out a plan of organization for this new activity and for that reason have transferred the existing positions in each Department to one salary estimate and will later submit a plan to you in conference.

This organization should be a splendid nucleus for a centralized repair shop for all City departments now having work of this nature done under contract. For example, the Bureau of Highways and Sewers spends approximately \$20,000 per annum for repairs to wagons, trucks, carts, etc. These should be done in our repair shop at a considerable saving.

PITTSBURGH SUBWAY AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION.

I have included in the estimates for 1920 the sum of \$22,200.00 for a Pittsburgh Subway and Transportation Commission. Ten thousand dollars for advisory service in connection with the subway is included in this estimate.

I strongly recommend the establishment of a perpetual organization to study, develop and better our transportation conditions. This organization would have charge of the development of the subway and be the head of the City's passenger transportation problem. It would also take over the work of the present Transit Commission. This work is essential and vital when applied to the subway which was ratified and approved by the people of Pittsburgh and which must now claim our attention.

SALARY AND WAGE SCHEDULES.

Your desires are being complied with in applying to the 1920 budget the wage scales we are now paying.

The report of the Committee on Standardization recommends a "high cost of living" advance over present wages. The present rate of wages paid City employees is not high enough, everything considered. I recommend an increase to meet present conditions and desire to confer with Council on this point.

MAYOR'S EXHIBIT ACCOMPANYING
ESTIMATES FOR 1920.

Table I is an analysis of general fund receipts from 1914 to 1919 and estimated miscellaneous revenues for 1920, based upon estimates of the various departments.

Included is an estimate of \$185,000 for wharf land rentals which should be available.

Also included in the receipts for 1920 are the amounts which are due from the Pittsburgh Railways Company during that year, as well as amounts for 1918 and 1919, which are delinquent and should be collected.

City Treasurer Hubbard advises that the amount which the Board of Public Education pays for the collection of its taxes is insufficient to cover the expenditure made by the City. He estimates that it will cost the City \$20,000.00 to make the collections for 1920. Hence this amount is placed in the estimated receipts and the Board of Education advised to that effect.

Tables II, III, IV and V show estimated expenses for 1920 with figures for previous years for comparison.

The Directors and heads of all City functions are ready to sit with you at any time in regard to any item in the budget. The Mayor desires to offer any assistance possible and is willing to confer with you at any and all times. He recommends that evening meetings be held that the work may progress as fast as possible. He also recommends that any hearings desired by Council be held in the daytime and that the evening sessions be confined strictly to direct consideration of budget items, believing that rapid progress can be made in that way.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Also

No. 4108. Departmental Estimates for Budget for the year 1920, containing Mayor's Exhibit accompanying Budget Estimates, also Budget Estimates for the North Side Playground Association, Public Wash House and Bath Association, etc., Carnegie Free Library, North Side, Art Commission, Departments of Law, Water Assessors, Charities, Public Health, City Architect, Public Works, Carnegie Free Library of Pittsburgh, Department of City Treasurer, Collector of Delinquent Taxes, Supplies, Council and City Clerks, Civil Service Commission, Flood Commission,

Departments of Public Safety and City Controller, etc., to be known as Section 2.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 4109. Whereas, The School Board has been notified that an increase in rent will be charged them, which in the judgment of some of the members of the School Board is exorbitant; and

Whereas, There appears to be considerable space in this building that might well be used by the School Board and as it would be desirable to have all city activities, if possible, housed in the municipal building; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be requested to direct the Superintendent of the Bureau of City Property to communicate with the Secretary of the School Board and see if arrangements cannot be made to care for the School Board in the City-County Building, thereby saving to the taxpayers of Pittsburgh the rent they will have to pay to private property owners.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the resolution be referred to the Committee on Finance and that copies be furnished the Mayor and the School Board for their information.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Winters at this time arose and said,

"Mr. President, considerable space is given in the Record of Council for November 24 to the complaint of a citizen of Pittsburgh regarding conditions at the City Home and Hospital, Mayview, and a motion was made by Mr. English that a committee be appointed to go to the institution and investigate the conditions complained of. The Record is incomplete in that it does not contain a report that the committee had ever visited the institution, and in order to keep the records correct, I would move that Mr. English, who acted as the secretary of the committee, be requested to prepare a report of the findings of the committee for presentation to Council; this report, however, to be approved by the committee before its presentation."

Which motion prevailed.

And on motion of Mr. Garland,

Council Adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, December 15, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

The **Chair** stated that, as there were no objections, the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, December 8, 1919, would be approved.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the minutes of the meeting of Council for Monday, December 8, 1919, be approved.

Which motion prevailed.

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 4110. Resolution authorizing and affirming the appointment by the City Solicitor of the appraisers (Messrs. W. H. Haselbarth, Robert Coyle and Frederick W. Patterson) to make a valuation of wharf properties involved in the recent litigation of the City against the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad Company, et al., for the purpose of fixing rental values and mak-

ing leases for the same by the City; the compensation for said services of each appraiser to be fixed at \$500.00, and appropriating the sum of \$1,500.00 for the payment of said services, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 4111. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A-1, Salaries, to Code Account No. 1156, Item, F, Equipment, Bureau of Police.

Also

No. 4112. An Ordinance creating the Division of Fire Prevention in the Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Fire, City of Pittsburgh, and fixing the number and compensation of the employees therein.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 4113. An Ordinance amending Section 1 of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at No. 7 Police Station, on South Thirteenth street," approved November 22, A. D., 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 30, page 609.

Also

No. 4114. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. A. Glenn for \$169.20 for 47 days' service as Multigraph Operator in the Department of Public Safety during the months of October and November at the rate of \$3.60 per day, and charging same to Code Account No. 1126, Salaries, Regular Employees, General Office, Department of Public Safety.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

Mr. English presented

No. 4115. Whereas, certain employees in the Bureau of Recreation

worked on Sundays during the summer season by reason of the playgrounds remaining open, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Chas. Engle for \$8.47, and charge same to Code Account 1814.

Vincent Detmer for \$7.02, and charge same to Code Account 1814.

G. W. Postgate for \$3.55, and charge same to Code Account 1815.

Hugh Wallace for \$14.92, and charge same to Code Account 1815.

Ella Stack for \$14.03, and charge same to Code Account 1815.

John Isherwood for \$15.48, and charge same to Code Account 1816.

Blane Curry for \$23.28, and charge same to Code Account 1817.

Harry Turner for \$9.68, and charge same to Code Account 1818.

Mrs. Mgt. Miller for 39.51, and charge same to Code Account 1819.

Mrs. Ida Swoger for \$4.52, and charge same to Code Account 1822.

for services rendered on Sundays during the months of July, August, October and November of 1919.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 4116. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Kaufmann's in the sum of \$665.00 for 13 mackinaw coats and 100 pair pants for the use of the Pittsburgh City Home & Hospitals at Mayview, Pa., and charging same to Code Account No. 1320, Supplies, City Home and Hospitals, Mayview.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Charities and Correction.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 4117. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of David C. Davies for \$75.00 for services as Stenographer-Clerk in the Mayor's Welcome Committee for the first half of December, 1919, and charging same to Code Account No. 1027, Special Reservation, Civic and War Committee.

Also

No. 4118. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the May Lumber Company for \$2,391.24 for lumber furnished to the Mayor's Welcome Committee to be used in the erection of stands for reviewing returned soldiers, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1027, Mayor's Welcome Committee.

Also

No. 4119. Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers

from various code accounts to others in the Bureau of City Property as follows:

FROM

C. A. 1569—Supplies, City-County Building \$ 2,772.17

TO

C. A. 1580—Supplies, Diamond Market \$ 950.00

C. A. 1583—Repairs, Diamond Market 500.00

C. A. 1610—Repairs, Weigh Scales 149.33

C. A. 1622—Repairs, Comfort Stations 1,000.00

C. A. 1625½—Equipment, Foster Homestead 173.14

\$ 2,772.17

Also

No. 4120. Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) from General Fund Code Account No. 1671, "Miscellaneous Services," Bureau of Light to the following code accounts, to-wit:

Code Account 1403, "Supplies," Director's Office, Department Public Works \$ 25.00

Code Account 1405, "Equipment," Director's Office, Department Public Works 1,250.00

Code Account 1406, "Salaries," Division of Accounting, Department Public Works 75.00

Code Account 1406D, "Equipment," Division of Accounting, Department Public Works 190.00

Code Account 1409, "Supplies," Photographic Division, Department Public Works 25.00

Code Account 1497, "Salaries," Bureau of Deed Registry, Department Public Works 300.00

Code Account 1673, "Materials," Bureau of Light, Department Public Works 1,000.00

Code Account 1751, "Supplies," Riverview Park Zoo, Department Public Works 10.00

Code Account 1783, "Miscellaneous Services," Bureau of Parks Department Public Works 125.00

\$3,000.00

Also

No. 4121. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$300.00 from Code Account No. 1558, Equipment, Asphalt Plants, to Code Account No. 1554, Miscellaneous Services, Asphalt Plants, and \$400.00

from Code Account No. 1558, Equipment, Asphalt Plants, to Code Account No. 1557, Repairs, Asphalt Plants, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 4122. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Knifield street, from a point about 20 feet south of Baum boulevard to the present sewer on Center avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Also

No. 4123. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Western Union Telegraph Company for \$195.00 for telegraph service during the Baseball Series for the Bureau of Recreation, and charging same to Code Account No. 1807.

Where were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 4124. Resolved, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make transfer of funds from and to Appropriation Accounts of the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, as scheduled below:

FILTRATION DIVISION.

\$1,750.00 from Appropriation No. 1642, "Salaries, Regular Employees," to Appropriation No. 1644, "Wages, Regular Employees."

\$1,190.00 from Appropriation No. 1647, "Supplies," to Appropriation No. 1644, "Wages, Regular Employees."

\$200.00 from Appropriation No. 1647, "Supplies," to Appropriation No. 1649, "Repairs."

DISTRIBUTION DIVISION.

\$1,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1661, "Wages, Temporary Employees," to Appropriation No. 1644, "Wages, Regular Employees."

\$800.00 from Appropriation No. 1661, "Wages, Temporary Employees," to Appropriation No. 1666, "Equipment and Machinery."

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 4125. An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Sewickley road and Pennock road, from a point about 470 feet northwest of Pennock road to the existing sewer on Pennock road northeast of Brandon road, with a branch sewer on Sewickley road, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses

of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 4126. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the construction of a storm sewer on Pioneer avenue and Ray avenue, from Capital avenue to the existing storm sewer on West Liberty avenue with a branch sewer on Pioneer avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 4127. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Bedford avenue, from Seventh avenue to Hickory way.

Also

No. 4128. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Bigelow boulevard, from Chatham street to a point 150.0 feet north of Seventh avenue.

Also

No. 4129. An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Seventh avenue, from Bigelow boulevard to Webster avenue.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Oliver presented

No. 4130. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of William J. Morris in the sum of \$64.40, being in full settlement of all claims against the City of Pittsburgh for injuries received on the Chauncey street steps, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 4131. An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to execute a contract of lease with the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company for a certain parcel of land just west of Frazier viaduct at Laughlin Junction.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Also

No. 4132. An Ordinance establishing the opening grades on Caton street, Eddy street, Maria way, Shady avenue and Victory way as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally

opened highways by Maria L. Ebdy Plan of Lots called "Ebdy Orchard Plan."

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 4133. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Daniel J. Halpin for the sum of \$369.19, upon the certification by the Director of the Department of Public Safety that the sister of the said Daniel J. Halpin was in fact a dependent on her brother who enlisted in the United States Army while a member of the Bureau of Fire, and charging same to Code Account No. 50-M.

Also

No. 4134. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of David Kellerman in the sum of \$322.38 on account of adjustment of water rates from flat to meter charge on his property at 1722-28 Pike street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes and Water Rents.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 4135. Cooper Square Plan of Lots laid out by Webster Hinnau in the Twenty-seventh ward and the dedication of Pemberton street shown thereon.

Also

No. 4136. An Ordinance approving the "Cooper Square Plan of Lots" in the Twenty-seventh ward, laid out by Webster Hinnau; accepting the dedication of Pemberton street, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grade thereon.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Service and Surveys.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 4137. An Ordinance amending Item "Fifteen Janitors," in Section 23, Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Police, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof" approved by the Mayor January 22, 1919.

Also

No. 4138. Resolution transferring \$2,000.00 from Code Account No. 1671-B, Miscellaneous Service, Bureau of Light, to Code Account No. 1599-E, Repairs to the South Side Market, Bureau of City Property.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 4139. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Ochiltree Electric Company for \$167.02 for installation of electric wiring in South Side Market, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1599-E, Repairs to the South Side Market.

Also

No. 4140. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of McFadden & Craig in the sum of \$70.44 for installing plumbing repairs in South Side Market, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1599-E, Repairs to the South Side Market.

Also

No. 4141. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the B. A. Groah Construction Company in the sum of \$350.80 for installing general repairs at the South Side Market and charging same to Appropriation No. 1599-E, Repairs to the South Side Market.

Also

No. 4142. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James J. Farrell, Chairman in the Bureau of Engineering, in the sum of \$524.84 for time lost on account of injury received on June 23, 1919, which injury has prevented him from performing his duties from said date to December 6, 1919, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1482, Salaries, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The Chair presented

No. 4143. Communication from Ida F. Siever, offering her property, known as 1014 West Carson street at the south approach to the Point bridge to the City for \$5,000.00.

Also

No. 4144. Communication from the United Spanish War Veterans asking for an appropriation of \$800.00 for 1920.

Also

No. 4145. Communication from the Oakland Board of Trade asking the City to establish and equip a playground on the property of the School Board in the rear of the Bellefield School in the Fourth ward; that the City construct a swimming pool in Schenck Park, and that Panther Hollow Lake be placed in proper condition for skating during the winter.

Also
No. 4146. Petition of Assistant Chiefs in the Bureau of Fire for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4147. Communication from the West End Board or Trade endorsing the request of uniformed members of the Bureau of Police for an increase in salary.

Also
No. 4148. Communications from Harry H. Rowand, Esq., Chas. F. Heil, Clarence C. Young, Buick Motor Co., The Locomobile Company of America, Walter H. Corban Co., Inc., Franklin Pittsburgh Automobile Co., Hurst, Anthony & Watkins, Queen Insurance Co. of America, Dixon Motor Company, Automobile Underwriters Detective Bureau, Arthur E. Kent Company and Roy F. Kenney Company, Inc., recommending the promotion of motor-cycle police officers in the Bureau of Police to the same rank as the members of the Detective Bureau.

Also
No. 4149. Communication from the Federation of Civic Bodies of the North Side protesting against the City withdrawing its claims against the Pittsburgh Railways Company.

Also
No. 4150. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Patrick J. McInerney in the sum of \$97.98, being 50 per cent. of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate on his property at 27-29 Soho street, Fourth ward.

Also
No. 4151. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Patrick J. McInerney in the sum of \$92.53, being 50 per cent. of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate on his property at 21 Soho street, Fourth ward.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 4152. Report of the Committee on Finance for December 9, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3999. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of

ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$99,000.00), and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz: For the additions, extensions and improvements to the Mayview City Home and Hospital."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

When the name of Mr. English was called, he arose and said:

"Mr. President, I want to be recorded as being present, but refrain from voting on any of the bills reported from the committees. In explanation will say that I was sent as a delegate to represent the City of Pittsburgh at the convention of the Internal Waterways Committee in Washington last week, and, therefore, have not had an opportunity to study the large number of bills reported from committees for final passage this afternoon."

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3303. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending item 'Resident Physician,' in Section 35, Department of Health, Municipal Hospital, of an Ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof,' approved by the Mayor January 22, 1919."

In Finance Committee, December 9, 1919, Bill read and amended in Section 1 by striking out the amount "\$3,000.00" and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$2,500.00," and as amended ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.
Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4002. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Frank McComb in the sum of \$869.60 to reimburse him for streamers and banners furnished in connection with the "Special Bond Election," same to be charged to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4036. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of J. H. Clark, Registered Plumber, of 715 North Dallas avenue, for the sum of \$9.32, extra work in digging for sewer branch at 7527 Rosemary street, caused by inaccuracy of City records, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4037. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Miller & Kennedy Company, Registered Plumbers, of 5723 Broad street, for the sum of \$138.42, for extra work in extending sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line at 5723 Broad street on account of inaccuracy of City records, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4642. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Katherine Steigerwald, Executrix of the Estate of August Steigerwald, deceased, in the sum of \$204.04, refunding overpaid water rent on property at 1524-1526 East street, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes and Water Rents.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3861. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the following sums of money from code accounts herein specified to certain other code accounts, to-wit:

From	To	Amount
1140	1142	\$ 160.00
1014	1173	144.70
1283	1173	235.14
1180	1173	1,300.00
1180	1133	2,500.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	Robertson

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3992. Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to transfer certain sums of money from certain Code Accounts in the Department of Public Safety and its several bureaus, to certain other Code Accounts, as hereinafter specified, to-wit:

From Code Account 1126, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, General Office, Department Public Safety, to Code Account 1130, Item B, Miscellaneous services, General Office, Department Public Safety	\$ 300.00
From Code Account, 1161, Item A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Code Account 1163, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Fire	3,000.00
From Code Account 1162, Item A-3, Wages, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Code Account 1164, Item C, Supplies, Bureau of Fire.....	3,000.00
From Code Account 1161, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Code Account 1166, Item E, Repair, Bureau of Fire.....	6,000.00
From Code Account, 1161, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Code Account, 1163, Item F, Equipment, Bureau of Fire....	5,000.00
From Code Account 1180, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Building Inspection, to Code Account 1181, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Building Inspection	300.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4006. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$1,800.00 from Appropriation No. 1054, Salaries Regular Employees, Bureau of Accounting Revision, to Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4007. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$120.00 from Code Account 1083, Miscellaneous, to Code Account 1078, Equipment, and \$100.00 from Code Account No. 1083, to Code Account No. 1086, Department of Law.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4008. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,350.00

from Appropriation No. 1552, Salaries, Regular Employees, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1553, Wages, Temporary Employees, Asphalt Plants.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4009. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from the unexpended portion of the amount reserved for the use of the Department of Supplies in the purchase of Government foods, as per Resolution No. 397, approved August 5, 1919, to Code Account F-1332, in the Department of Supplies.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4014. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to make the following transfers of appropriations in the Department of Assessors, to-wit:

From Code Account No. 52-M,
Standardization Fund\$1,500.00

To Code Account No. 1094, Salaries, Temporary Employees... 1,500.00
 From Code Account No. 1093, Salaries, Regular Employees... 400.00
 From Code Account No. 1805, Miscellaneous Services 150.00
 Code Account No. 1099, Equipment and Machinery 50.00
 To Code Account No. 1094, Salaries, Temporary Employees 400.00
 Code Account No. 1096, Supplies 200.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
 Garland Oliver
 Henderson Robertson
 Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4024. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$632.22 from Appropriation No. 170-A, Grade Crossings to Appropriation No. 170-B, Salaries, Elimination of Grade Crossings.

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
 Garland Oliver
 Henderson Robertson
 Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4034. Whereas, in order to continue certain work of repairs to

boardwalks and steps and repairs to highways, it is necessary to provide additional funds, which may be obtained by the transfer of unexpended balances remaining in the code accounts herein-after shown to the appropriations for Materials, Boardwalks and Steps, and Materials, Repairing Highways, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works.

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfers in the various Code Accounts in the Bureau of Highways and Sewers:

From Code Account No. 1507, Salaries, Division Offices, to Code Account No. 1531, Materials, Repairing Highways\$1,500.00

From Code Account No. 1507, Salaries, Division Offices, to Code Account No. 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps.... 1,300.00

From Code Account No. 1532, Wages, Temporary Employees, Repairing Sewers; to Code Account 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps 200.00

From Code Account No. 1543, Wages, Temporary Employees, Cleaning and Repairing Sewer Drops; to Code Account No. 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps 2,000.00

From Code Account No. 1534, Wages, Temporary Employees, Bridges; to Code Account No. 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps 500.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
 Garland Oliver
 Henderson Robertson
 Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4035. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer \$400.00 from Account No. 1652, "Wages, Regular Employees," to Account No. 1654, "Miscellaneous Services," Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4045. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to transfer \$150.00 from Account No. 1636, Wages, Regular Employees, to Account No. 1638, Supplies, Accounting Division, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4058. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer \$9,500.00 from Code Account 1316, Salaries, Regular Employees, to Code Account 1320, Supplies, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Department of Charities.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved.

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3396. Resolution directing the City Solicitor to satisfy and adjust assessment for the grading, paving and curbing of Spencer street, at proceedings filed at No. 377 April Term, 1919, on the payment of \$200.00 by John F. Heger to the City, and directing the said City Solicitor not to file any liens on account thereof.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4005. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to exonerate the property of Elizabeth Meixner, of 1639 Tustin street, First ward, in the sum of \$86.84.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and

third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4044. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to enter satisfaction of the lien filed at No. 17 August Term, 1905, M. L. D., and all subsequent proceedings of scire facias, if any may be entered for the same, against property of Jacob Blank for the construction of a sewer on Solar street, the same having been paid, and charging the costs to the City.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3882. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for property at 1506 Rutherford avenue, to Theodore Betts, for the sum of \$500.00.

In Finance Committee, December 9, 1919, read and amended by striking out "\$500.00" and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$550.00," and as amended ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3933. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to exonerate the water rates charged on the premises of Mrs. Mary Christie at 2423 Westmar street, in the sum of \$188.86.

In Finance Committee, December 9, 1919, read and amended by striking out "\$188.86," and by inserting in lieu thereof "\$64.50, as per recommendation of the Water Assessors," and as amended ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Oliver
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4043. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a duplicate warrant in favor of M. O'Herron in the place and stead of Warrant No. 19033, dated September 11, 1919, for \$999.60, provided that M. O'Herron & Co. shall file with the Mayor of the City, a bond in the sum of \$1,000.00, conditioned to save the City harmless from any loss which may arise from or by the payment of the original warrant.

Which was read.

The Clerk stated that he had been informed by the City Controller that Warrant No. 19033 in favor of M. O'Herron & Company for the sum of \$999.60 had been found by the said M. O'Herron & Company.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Oliver presented

No. 4153. Report of the Committee on Public Works for December 9, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances and resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3942. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the acceptance of the grading, paving and curbing and sewerage of portions of certain street dedicated in the Murdoch Farms Plan, to-wit: Maynard street, Plainfield street, Squirrel Hill avenue, Bennington avenue, Inverness avenue and Murdoch street.

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4040. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance accepting the dedication of certain property in the Fourteenth ward for public use for highway purposes for the widening of Forbes street."

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3924. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Greenfield avenue, from a point about 20 feet north of Winterburn avenue to the existing sewer on Greenfield avenue at Hoosac street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3937. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on El Paso street, from the property line southwest of Martha street to the existing sewer in El Paso street at Martha street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3941. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk of Squirrel Hill avenue, from a point about 20 feet south of Maynard street to the existing

sewer on the north sidewalk of Plainfield street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3947. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Kennedy avenue, Barris avenue and private property of Highwood Cemetery Association, from a point about 60 feet west of Marshall avenue to the existing sewer on private property of the Highwood Cemetery Association, with a branch sewer on Barris avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same to be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Oliver
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4016. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Adams street, from a point about 20 feet east of Manhattan street to the existing sewer crossing Adams street east of Fulton street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Oliver
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4017. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Marathon avenue, East Lane, Shreve street and Entrance avenue, from Lappe lane to the existing sewer on the north sidewalk of South Side avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Oliver
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4039. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk and roadway of Beechwood boulevard from the existing sewer on the west sidewalk of Beechwood boulevard at Forbes street to the existing sewer on Beechwood boulevard at Aylesboro avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Oliver
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—S.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3867. Resolution authorizing and issuing a warrant in favor

of the Pittsburgh Paint Supply Company in the sum of \$1,749.07, for the furnishing of pure raw linseed oil to the Bureau of Engineering, Division of Bridges, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1468.

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3890. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Chas. G. Hanny & Company in the sum of \$199.20, for the installation of new screen and grating doors at the South Side Market, and charging same to Appropriation No. 1601-G, Structural and non-structural improvements to the South Side Market, in payment for extra work.

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3952. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of A. R. Van Horn for the sum of \$515.40, for extra work done on con-

tract for the reconstruction of railing on retaining wall on the south side of South Eighteenth street near Josephine street, and charging same to Code Account No. 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, 1919.

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4026. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co. for the sum of \$303.01, for placing stringers beneath their tracks, removing same, adjusting tracks to grade, etc., on the line of the 36-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street, and charging the same to Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule.

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4027. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. for the sum of \$621.84, for placing

stringers beneath their tracks, removing same, adjusting tracks to grade, etc., on the line of the 36-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street, and charging same to Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read.

Mr. Oliver moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 4154. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for December 9, 1919, transmitting two lots plans and several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 4012. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and establishing the grade on Enfield street, from Center avenue to Baum boulevard."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4029. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade on Peerless avenue, from Warburton street to the westerly line of South Park Land Company Plan of Lots."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4030. Mrs. Magdalena C. Howley's Plan of Lots, Fourteenth ward, and the dedication of the highways shown therein.

Which was read, accepted and approved by the following vote.

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

Also

Bill No. 4031. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance approving Mrs. Magdalena C. Howley's Plan of Lots, in the Fourteenth ward, laid out by Magdalena C. Howley, Mary A. Aufhammer

and John C. Aufhammer, accepting the dedication of Bills way, Elder way, Ludwick street, Shady avenue and Victory way, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same, and establishing the grades thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4032. Plan of City Garden, laid out by Pittsburgh City Garden Company, Tenth ward, and the dedication of the highways shown therein.

Which was read, accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

Also

Bill No. 4033. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance approving Plan of City Garden, in the Tenth ward, laid out by the Pittsburgh City Garden Company, a Pennsylvania Corporation, accepting the dedication of Antoinette street, Alcock way, Camelia street, Downlook avenue, Drive street, Drive way, Fence way, Garage way, Oglethorpe avenue Oldani street, Premier street and Woodbine street, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. McArdle also presented

No. 4155. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for December 10, 1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 4018. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting unto the Duff Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a switch siding on and across Preble avenue, in the Twenty-seventh ward, City of Pittsburgh, said track, to be located at a point approximately eight hundred and seventy-six (876') feet south of Ontario street, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., to the buildings of the Duff Manufacturing Company's plant situated on the west side of Preble avenue at Ohio Connecting Railroad Bridge."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Oliver
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 4156. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for December 9, 1919, transmitting several resolutions and an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3994. Resolved, that the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to Countersign warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below.

Schedule		Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$824.18	1160
Dispatch Publishing Company	57.60	1147
Leader Publishing Company	60.48	1147
Neeb-Hirsch Publishing Company	33.60	1147
Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph	67.20	1147
Pittsburgh Gazette Times	67.20	1147
Press Publishing Company	82.50	1147

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

(Mr. Oliver not voting).

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3996. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Doubleday-Hill Electric Company in the sum of \$530.88, for the furnishing of hard drawn copper wire in the Bureau of Electricity, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1175.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Oliver
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3997. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of E. Frey & Son in the sum of \$75.00 for one (1) dozen Eglentine bits for use in the Bureau of Police; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1149.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Oliver
Henderson Robertson
Herron (President) Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also, with a negative recommendation,

Bill No. 3998. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance forbidding owners or tenants of property in the City of Pittsburgh fronting on traveled sidewalks from using window spaces in stores, buildings or other places for demonstrations of the operations of machines or for demonstrations made by persons in such manner as to attract crowds, which obstruct the sidewalk, and providing penalties therefor."

Which was read.

Mr. Dalley moved

That further action on the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 4157. Report of the Committee on Filtration and Water for December 9, 1919, transmitting several resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 4021. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Matthew Ott & Company for the sum of \$308.00, in full payment for all labor work necessary to lower the water line due to the improvement of Exeter street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 190, Bureau of Water.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4022. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the M. O'Herron Company for the sum of \$1,289.75, in full payment

for all labor work necessary to lay water line on Howley street, from Main street to Friendship avenue, and charging same to Appropriation No. 190.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4046. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the M. O'Herron Company for the sum of \$4,314.03, for labor work and materials furnished to excavate and backfill trench in laying 24" water line on West Carson street, and charging same to Appropriation No. 190.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 4158. Report of the Committee on Parks and Libraries for December 9, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3205. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of V. D. Nirella in the amount of \$518.00, for music furnished various patriotic affairs during the 1918 War Period, and charging same to Code Account No 1783, Music and Entertainments, Bureau of Parks.

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 4159. Report of the Committee on Charities and Correction for December 9, 1919, transmitting two resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 4059. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Thos. C. Jenkins Company in the sum of \$3,500.00, or so much of the same as may be necessary for the payment of groceries furnished on Order No. 17315, of the Department of Supplies, dated December 2; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1320-C, Supplies, Department of Charities.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4060. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of M. Oppenheimer & Company in the sum of \$800.00, for 200 pair of pants for the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1320, Department of Charities.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Oliver
Henderson	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters

Ayes—8.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

And there being no further business before the meeting

Mr. McArdle moved

That Council do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

And Council adjourned.

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Municipal Record

NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Council met pursuant to the following call:

Pittsburgh, Pa.
December 13, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,
Clerk of Council.

Dear Sir—Please call a special meeting of Council for Tuesday, December 16, 1919, at 3.30 o'clock, p. m., for the consideration of Bill No. 4103, entitled, "An Ordinance levying and assessing taxes and water rent for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1920, and ending December 31, 1920, etc." and such other business as may come before the meeting.

Yours respectfully,
JOHN S. HERRON,
President.

Which was read, received and filed.
Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 4160. Report of the Committee on Finance for December 15,

1919, transmitting an ordinance to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of Rule VIII, which provides that all bills, ordinances and resolutions, when returned from committee, shall be printed and a copy of each bill mailed to each member at least 48 hours previous to a meeting of Council.

Which motion prevailed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 4103. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance levying and assessing taxes and water rent for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1920, and ending December 31, 1920, upon all property subject to taxation within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Garland also presented

No. 4161. Report of the Committee on Finance for December 9, 1919, transmitting two resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

Bill No. 4054. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Rising & Radcliffe for the sum of \$679.00 for printing 150 copies of the report of the Committee on Standardization, and charging same to Appropriation No. 52-M, Standardization Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended the resolution was read a second and third times and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3640. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of William Stone in the sum of \$429.75, in payment of the hospital and

doctor bills incurred on account of injuries received while undergoing a physical test as patrolman, upon the execution and delivery by said William Stone to the City of a release of all claims for damages sustained by him by reason of said accident.

Which was read

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second time.

Mr. Garland moved

To amend the resolution by adding after the words "by reason of said accident," the words "and charge same to Appropriation No. 44, Workmen's Compensation Fund."

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as read a second time and amended, was agreed to.

And the resolution having been printed as amended, was read a third time, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

And on motion of Mr. McArdle,
Council adjourned.

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Municipal Record

NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Thursday, December 18, 1919.

Council met pursuant to the following call:

Pittsburgh, December 16, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,
Clerk of Council.

Dear Sir—Please call a special meeting of Council for Thursday, December 18, 1919, at 3.30 o'clock, P. M., to take up such business as may come before the meeting

Yours very truly,

JOHN S. HERRON,

President of Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
English Winters
Herron (President)

Absent—Messrs.

Garland Oliver
Henderson Robertson

PRESENTATIONS.

The Chair presented

No. 4162. Communication from Edward F. Gearing offering to sell to the City the property of Mrs. Ellen J. Sullivan on Paulson avenue for \$10,500.00.

Also

No. 4163. Petition of residents of the Larimer Avenue District asking the City to purchase the Ellen J. Sullivan property on Paulson avenue for playground purposes.

Also

No. 4164. Communication from the Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania asking for an appropriation of \$10,000.00 for 1920.

Also

No. 4165. Communication from Colonel William R. Dunlap, Eighteenth Infantry, asking for an appropriation of \$7,500 for the Eighteenth Regiment, Pennsylvania National Guards, for 1920.

Also

No. 4166.

THE CARNEGIE INSTITUTE.

Pittsburgh, December 10, 1919.

Mr. John S. Herron,
President, City Council,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—There was an Ordinance passed by the City Council on December 26, 1917, and approved January 3, 1918, recorded in Ordinance Book 29, page 218, "authorizing and empowering the Board of Trustees of the Carnegie Institute and their successors, to enter upon, use, occupy and hold certain land and real estate in the Fourteenth ward, Pittsburgh, for the purposes of establishing and maintaining thereon technological schools and to erect buildings thereon for said purposes.

Being the same property which Clara C. Anderson, by deed dated August 15, 1917, and to be recorded, granted and conveyed unto the City of Pittsburgh."

Section 2 of said Ordinance specified that "This Ordinance shall not take effect until said trustees shall have filed with the City of Pittsburgh a statement or stipulation acceptable to the Mayor and Council of said City, setting forth generally, the nature and character of the institution that is to use and occupy said premises, and setting forth particularly in what manner and how the said

City of Pittsburgh shall have a voice in the management of said institution."

On behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Carnegie Institute, I am instructed to say that the nature and character of the institution that is to use and occupy said premises constitute an Institute of Technology for the instruction of young men and women in arts, trades and vocations and for general educational purposes, and that the City of Pittsburgh is guaranteed a voice in the management of said institution by reason of a membership of nine trustees representing the said City of Pittsburgh in the Board of Trustees of the Carnegie Institute, the said nine trustees comprising the Mayor, the President of the Board of Education, and seven members of Council.

Trusting that this information will be satisfactory and that authority will now be given for the Ordinance to take effect, I am,

Yours respectfully,

S. H. CHURCH,

President.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also

No. 4167.

PITTSBURGH CHAPTER
AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

December 15, 1919.

Mr. John S. Herron,
President of Council,
City-County Building,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—This is to notify you that the Directors of the Pittsburgh Chapter A. I. A. have elected Mr. E. P. Russell to represent the Chapter on your Committee in place of its present representative Mr. Charles Bickle who has resigned.

Very truly yours,

R. M. TRIMBLE,

Secretary.

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 4168. Resolved, That the sum of \$2,500.00 be set aside from Appropriation No. 1013-M, Council's Investigation Fund, for the purpose of defraying any expenses that may be incurred in protecting the interests of Dean D. Simpson in a case instituted by Walter J. Lloyd involving the charge of perjury against said Simpson and that the President of Council be authorized and directed to take such steps as he may deem necessary and expedient for the preparation and presentation of any defense that may be necessary and to incur such expense as he may deem necessary and present vouchers for same to the Finance Committee, which vouchers shall be payable from the amount herein provided on approval by the Finance Committee.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair announced the appointment of John H. Henderson as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Carnegie Institute and the Carnegie Library Trustees, vice Enoch Rauh, deceased.

The Chair.

Gentlemen, the Mayor has not yet made a report to Council as to what action he has taken in the Walter J. Lloyd matter.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the Mayor be asked to indicate to Council in writing not later than 12:00 o'clock, noon, Monday next (December 22, 1919) what disposition he has made or purposes making in Mr. Lloyd's case as the result of his examination of the stenographic notes furnished him by the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair said:

Gentlemen, the Mayor has reported that he will be glad to confer with the members of Council, the City Solicitor and the Ice men regarding the question of the present water rates, but says it would be ill-advised to discuss the present delinquent water bills until a decision on the case in Court is rendered.

And on motion of Mr. Winters,
Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Friday, December 19, 1919.

Council met pursuant to the following call:

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

December 17, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,

Clerk of Council.

Dear Sir—Please call a special meeting of Council for Friday, December 19, 1919, at 3:30 o'clock, P. M., for the consideration of such business as may come before the meeting.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN S. HERRON,

President.

Which was read, received and filed.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 4169. An Ordinance creating the Division of Accounts and Permits, in the Department of Public Safety, prescribing the duties of said

Division and fixing the number and compensation of employees thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Chair presented

No. 4170.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, December 19, 1919.

To the President and Members of Council,

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sirs—I herewith transmit for your consideration the following:

A resolution for a warrant in favor of Smith Brothers Company in the sum of \$900.00.

An Ordinance creating and establishing a division under the control and direction of the Mayor to be known as the "Office of Supervisor of City Stables."

An Ordinance creating and establishing a division under the control and direction of the Mayor to be known as "The Municipal Garage and Repair Shops."

An Ordinance being a supplement to an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating the Firemen's Disability Board and fixing the dues of the officers thereof, etc."

Yours very respectfully,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Also

No. 4171. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Smith Bros., Inc., in the sum of \$900.00 for additional expense connected with the printing of the Annual Reports for 1916, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Also

No. 4172. An Ordinance creating and establishing a division under the control and direction of the Mayor to be known as the "Office of the Supervisor of City Stables" prescribing the

duties of said division, and fixing the number of employees and compensation thereof.

Also

No. 4173. An Ordinance creating and establishing a Division under the control and direction of the Mayor to be known as the "Municipal Garage and Repair Shops" prescribing the duties of said Division and fixing the number of employees and the compensation thereof.

Also

No. 4174. An Ordinance being a supplement to an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating the Firemen's Disability Board and defining the duties of the officers thereof, designating the medical examiner of the Department of Public Safety as the medical examiner of said Board, establishing a fund for the care, maintenance and relief of the aged, retired, disabled and injured employees of the Bureaus of Fire and Electricity, and providing the mode and manner for the payment of beneficiaries and for the care and management of said fund," approved January 5, 1903, and the several supplements and amendments thereof, providing that certain employees in the Municipal Garage and Repair Shop, Mayor's Office, shall be included as beneficiaries, under said Ordinances, and that the

past services of such employees in the Bureau of Fire and Electricity shall be counted in determining the number of years of service entitling them to a pension under said ordinances.

Also

No. 4175.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, December 18, 1919.

To the Council of the City of Pittsburgh:

Gentlemen—My attention is called to the fact that no provision is made in the Budget for the Pennsylvania National Guard, although they have been receiving appropriations in the past.

The National Guard is now going through a thorough re-construction and re-establishment, and, assuming that if an appropriation was not made that it was overlooked by the members of Council, I drop you this note to call your attention to the subject with the hope that you will give it your consideration.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK.

Mayor.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

And there being no further business before the meeting, the Chair declared Council adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Saturday, December 20, 1919.

Council met pursuant to the following call:

Pittsburgh, December 18, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,
Clerk of Council.

Dear Sir: Please call a special meeting of Council for Saturday, December 20, 1919, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the consideration of such business as may come before the meeting.

Respectfully,
JOHN S. HERRON,
President.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 4176. Report of the Committee on Finance for December 19,

1919, transmitting sundry papers to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

No. 4177.

Pittsburgh, December 19, 1919.

To the Council of the City of Pittsburgh.

Gentlemen—The salary ordinance and the appropriation ordinance for 1920, as submitted to the Finance Committee today in typewritten form, carry out the instructions and action of the Finance Committee of Council upon departmental estimates as shown by the joint records made by the undersigned.

We have consulted with the Clerk of the Finance Committee in the preparation of these ordinances, and any disputed points or misunderstandings as to the action of Council have been settled by reference to the minutes.

Very respectfully,

J. C. SLIPPY,

Chief Accountant, Bureau of Costs.

H. S. BREITENSTEIN,

Chief Accountant, Bureau of Accounting Revision.

Which was read, and on motion of Mr. Garland, received and filed.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of Rule VIII which provides that all bills, ordinances and resolutions when returned from committee shall be printed and copy of each bill mailed to each member at least 48 hours previous to a meeting of Council.

Which motion prevailed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 4104. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance making appropriations to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City of Pittsburgh and for meeting the debt

charges thereof for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1920, and ending December 31, 1920."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4105. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof.

In Finance Committee, December 19, 1919, amended in Section 6 by striking out the words, "Mayor's Secretary, \$3,960.00 per annum," and as amended, returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. Henderson arose and said:

Mr. President, I don't wish to arise to a point of order in this case, but I want to call to the attention of yourself and the other members of Council the fact that in this bill on Page 2.

"Six Police Magistrates," the amount \$3,000.00 has been pasted in instead of being printed; on Page 7, line 12, "Three Assistant City Solicitors," the sum of \$3,000.00 is in ink—\$3,300.00 underneath scored out by pen; on page 40, line 9, "Nursery Foreman" instead of being printed, has been pasted in; and on page 43, line 3, "Forester" instead of being printed has been pasted in—all of which is in violation of the law that requires the bills to be printed and in the hands of Council at least 48 hours previous to a meeting of Council.

The Chair:

Mr. Henderson, these are typographical errors that have been corrected by the Clerk of Council. It carries out the intention of Council to have a true copy of the bill on the desk of each member. We have suspended the rules, and the bill is before you for final passage. The clerk will read the bill a third time if there are no further remarks.

Mr. Dalley arose and said:

Mr. President, it is my opinion that unanimous consent was given in Finance Committee to pass the bills in their present form.

The Chair:

He is not raising that question. He is calling attention to the fact that the ordinance as amended has not been printed and copy mailed to each member 48 hours previous to the time of the meeting.

Mr. Garland:

Mr. President; it is not a matter of 48 hours. The 48 hour rule has been suspended, but the law requiring all ordinances to be printed is incorporated in the Charter Act. I want it understood that I am going to vote for the budget in its entirety. I simply call your attention to the fact that the law in regard to the printing of the ordinance has not been observed. This is the most important legislation of the year and every precaution should be taken to avoid technical objections being raised later. This ordinance is before us with typewritten additions, ink additions and pasting over additions as the clerk will testify. Now, if there are no objections raised to it hereafter, alright; but I don't think this Council should pass the ordinance in its present form. This matter is not open to argument. I am willing to vote on the budget, but I don't want it to go out of here that we are agreeing to something that is not right or in accordance with the law.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, I don't think it is a question of ignorance of what we are

doing, but a question of technicalities in procedures. I think we know what we are doing. It is a technical question. What is your ruling, Mr. President?

The Chair:

The rules were suspended; the bill has been printed and a true copy of it is before you.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

To avoid the question of technicality or any trouble of that kind, I move you that the budget be accepted as printed and the **Chair** be instructed to present to Council ordinances to carry out the suggestions of the amendments that have been made and agreed to in Finance Committee.

Mr. Henderson arose and said:

I arise to a point of order, Mr. President. The point is, that the rule requiring ordinances to be printed and in the hands of the members of Council 48 hours before they are finally acted on is not a rule that can be suspended by a majority vote of Council; it is a part of the organic law of the City of Pittsburgh set forth in the Charter Act. I believe it is set out in Section 28 or 29 of the Charter Act.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, in view of the harmony that prevailed among the members during the hearings on the budget, and in the preparation of the budget, and I have no recollection of a single roll call on this budget, and in view of the harmony that prevails among the members now, and particularly in view of the fact that our proceedings were interrupted by two side-stepping investigation parleys and diplomatic conferences with the Mayor, by reason of which we lost six or seven days' time, and particularly in view of the fact that the idea is to get the bills over to the Mayor before noon, I think we had better use our better judgment, knowing what we want, and every member of Council knows what he wants, and every one of us agreed to these amendments, and the technical objection that has been raised this morning is not material to the intent and purpose of the bill. In order to avoid a further comeback in case the Mayor finds a technical objection to the ordinance, although I understood that he was in entire accord and harmony with what we have done, because he was fully informed, and in face of those facts, I don't think we ought to take seriously any objection that has been raised in regard to the 48 hours' printing.

We have a year before us in which to correct any errors that have been made. I know of a few myself. For instance, in the general increase of 15

per cent. granted to employees receiving a salary of \$2,000 and less, a number of Assistant Chiefs and an Assistant Superintendent come within a few dollars of the men they superintend. No man in Council wants that condition to exist. They are not material at this time. The big point is to get these bills passed and start the collection of taxes the first of January.

If there is a real technical objection to our procedure today, I would agree with Mr. **Winters** that if ink insertions are illegal and if anybody has a doubt in regard to them that the **Chair** bring in separate ordinances to cover these matters. We all understand the corrections that have been made and which were unanimously agreed to in Committee. These corrections have been made by the Clerk to save time. The gentleman who raises the question will appreciate that we wanted to hold the meeting last night, but out of courtesy to him and other members we waived the meeting, and if one good turn deserves another, I think the gentleman should not object to our acting on the bill today in its present form.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, I would like to say that I made the motion to suspend the rules, and I made it in good faith, and I am going to vote for the budget. I wish to say that there might be a question raised at some time as to the printing of the salary ordinance, because the law specifically says that it must be printed, and I want to be recorded as voting for the budget and being in favor of the motion.

The Chair:

The **Chair** rules that Mr. Henderson's point of order "Is not well taken."

And the bill as read a second time was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. English arose and said:
Mr. President, I arise to a question of personal privilege.

The Chair:

The Chair recognizes Mr. English:

Mr. English:

Mr. President, I attended the hearing before Alderman Howard James last evening in the case of Mr. Walter J. Lloyd against Dean D. Simpson on the charge of perjury in answer to Simpson's testimony before the Finance Committee of Council, Friday, December 12, that he had permitted Mr. Lloyd to date back a receipt to August 22 which Mr. Simpson said was given him by Mr. Lloyd on Tuesday, December 9, in settlement of a bill for services rendered by the Liberty Loan Band to the Mayor's Welcome Committee for welcoming home-coming soldiers.

Unfortunately, the young man was held for court. As I understand the law the matter will be submitted to the Grand Jury and after hearing the evidence they decide whether or not this young man shall be placed on trial for the crime of perjury. He was held for court despite the fact that the young man's attorney showed to the Alderman that it took two persons to make a charge of perjury and only one person was produced at the hearing last night to show this, and that was Mr. Lloyd.

At the hearing Mr. Lloyd was represented by Attorney E. K. Trent. I don't know whether Mr. Trent was drunk or intoxicated, but I do know that he did not seem to be his normal self. I never drink and for that reason I don't undertake to say that Mr. Trent was drunk, but I do undertake to say that he was not his normal self and as I met him this morning in City Hall. But I do know this, Mr. President, and I hope the newspaper men will make note of it that this receipt which I hold in my hand, dated August 22, 1919, signed by Dean D. Simpson purporting to be a receipt for \$14.50 and which was turned in by Mr. Lloyd last week at the time he was being investigated, was a nice clean looking receipt when it was put in the possession of Mr. Martin, our City Clerk.

In the course of this hearing last evening Mr. Trent came in possession of this receipt and he rumbled and crumpled it this way and that way until when it was returned it was creased and torn so badly that it looks as if it were months old.

I want this to go on record so that every man who may be called to serve on the Grand Jury will know that this receipt has been misused by Mr. Trent,

the attorney for Mr. Lloyd. Instead of the nice clean receipt of ten days ago it is dirty and used up so that it appears to be quite old now.

We talk about Americanization, and we all pray for our country, at least I do frequently, and I hope every other member of Council does. We pray that God will protect our President and guide us in our public duties so that the people who placed us in these responsible positions will have confidence in us.

I have no animosity against Mr. Lloyd or Mr. Trent or anybody else in this world, but it is my solemn duty to call this to your attention—the manner in which this receipt was handled by Mr. Trent—whether it was done by accident or design the result is the same—this receipt looks like it was considerably aged. I want also to call your attention to the fact that Mr. Lloyd at the hearing stated that he did not know whether he had paid Mr. Simpson or not. He did not remember anything about paying Mr. Simpson, only that he had Mr. Simpson's receipt.

The Mayor's stenographer and our stenographer and clerk took the testimony before the Alderman, and I heard Mr. Lloyd say that he did not know when he paid Mr. Simpson.

Let me say in this connection also, Mr. President, that one of the men, Mr. Saling, has not been paid in spite of the fact that Mr. Lloyd said that he would pay all the unpaid members of the band; and if we are going to have real Americanism this Council at least ought to call these things to the attention of the people of our City, and I sincerely hope that the other members of Council who were present at that hearing will subscribe to what I have said, because they called the attention of the City Clerk to the way in which the receipt was being handled, and I say the attorney for Mr. Lloyd was not normal.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President, I would like to say in line with what Mr. English has said that twice during the procedure of that trial I left my seat to go to the side of City Clerk Martin to warn him that the receipt in the hands of Attorney Trent was a part of the record of a committee of City Council and was in his possession and that I thought he was responsible for it, and that he ought to take the necessary steps to protect it against what I deemed to be its entire destruction at Mr. Trent's hands, because of the handling of the receipt at his hand, to which Mr. English refers.

The Chair:

Mr. **Martin**, it has been stated here that on two different occasions your attention was called to the manner in which Mr. Trent was handling the receipt of Mr. Simpson given by him to Mr. Lloyd, which is a part of the record of Council. Is that true?

Mr. **Martin** (City Clerk said:
That is correct, Mr. President.

Mr. **Oliver** arose and said:

Mr. President, I understand that the Mayor is very anxious to have the mem-

bers of Council go into his conference room to take up with him a proposition in regard to some city business, and I move that we go into conference with the Mayor.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Henderson** moved

That Council do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

And Council Adjourned.

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NINETIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Monday, December 22, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Absent—Messrs.
English Oliver

PRESENTATIONS.

Mr. Dalley presented

No. 4178. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuaide & Sons Company for the sum of \$134.00 for rental of steam shovel for extinguishing the coal mine fire on Hobart street, and charging same to Code Account No. 1491-E. General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Also

No. 4179. Resolution approving the payment of \$35,910.66 as extra for work done by the M. O'Herron Company in the improvement of West Carson street as certified to by the Department of Public Works, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Which were read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 4180. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Louis Fleckhahn for the sum of \$30.00, refunding forfeit paid by him for his release from the police station until he had a hearing the following day on a charge of drunkenness, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 4181. Resolution approving the extra payment of \$969.00 to M. O'Herron Company for extra work done on the contract for the grading, paving and curbing of Wapello street between Davis avenue and Acquatic way as certified by the Director of the Department of Public Works, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to charge same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 4182. An ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts jointly, with the County Commissioners, for additional work on the City-County building, and providing for the payment of the cost of the city's share thereof.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 4183. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of W. J. Tener & Co., special Agents for the Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company in the amount of \$92.64 for insurance on two Economic Boilers at the North Side

Market, and charging same to Code Account No. 1588, Miscellaneous Services, North Side Market.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

The **Chair** presented
No. 4184.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

December 22, 1919.

To the Honorable, The President and
Members of Council of the City of
Pittsburgh:

Gentlemen—In reply to request from
your Honorable Body under date of De-
cember 18, 1919, as follows:

"That the Mayor be asked to indi-
cate to Council in writing not later
than 12:00 o'clock, noon, Monday next,
what disposition he has made or pur-
poses making in Mr. Lloyd's case as the
result of his examination of the
stenographic notes furnished him by the
Committee on Finance."

Respectfully submit that I have care-
fully examined the stenographic notes
of evidence transmitted to me and after
due consideration of the same, beg to
state, as to the disposition of Mr.
Lloyd's case, that I find no sufficient
grounds upon which to justify his re-
moval or suspension from the office of
Police Magistrate.

Further: Beg to advise that I have
reviewed a stenographic report of the
hearing held before Alderman Howard
James, before whom information for
perjury against Dean Simpson was
made, arising out of his testimony taken
before your Committee, at which hear-
ing he was held on said charge for
trial in Court.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received
and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of Rule VIII, which pro-
vides that all bills, ordinances and reso-
lutions when returned from committee
shall be printed and a copy of each
bill mailed to each member at least 48
hours previous to a meeting of Council.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 4185. Report of the Com-
mittee on Finance for December 16, 1919.

transmitting sundry ordinances and
resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommen-
dation,

Bill No. 3343. An ordinance
entitled, "An Ordinance to effect and
establish daylight saving in the City of
Pittsburgh during the months of May,
June, July, August and September of
each and every year, and requiring all
clocks and timepieces within the limits
of the City to be advanced one (1) hour
at two o'clock ante Meridian from the
last Sunday in April of each year, and to
be so kept advanced until two o'clock
ante Meridian of the last Sunday in
September, when they are to be re-
tarded, or turned back, one (1) hour, and
fixing standard time for the City of
Pittsburgh."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to al-
low the second and third readings and
final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, I would like to say
that one of our colleagues, **Mr. Oliver**,
at the Finance Committee held last
Friday asked if the New York Stock
Exchange would follow the new law. I
am in receipt of a letter from the Pub-
licity Director of the New York Daylight
Saving Association in which he says
that the New York Stock Exchange
would be regulated according to the
new standard time fixed by law in New
York City.

I also have a telegram today from
Wm. J. Carver, Publicity Director of the
New York Daylight Saving Association,
in which he says:

"Daylight Saving Law great ad-
vantage to Stock Exchange, allowing for
natural difference in time. It brings
them closer to European Exchanges.
Banks plan to be regulated by new time
as do railroads. Advise vote."

I have another telegram from George
M. Woolsey, President of the Associa-
tion of Stock Exchange firms of New
York City, in which he says,

"Associations of Stock Exchange firms
has gone on record for daylight saving.
Daylight Saving Law having been leg-
ally adopted here stock exchange firms
will be regulated accordingly."

After I received these telegrams I
spoke to Mr. John B. Barbour, Presi-
dent of the Pittsburgh Stock Exchange
and I asked him if they would not like
to be in touch and harmony with New
York, and he said he would.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, on this bill, file No. 2108, bill No. 3343, which is the bill that Mr. Garland has just been speaking about, I want to say that when the bill was passed in Committee the other day I was not present. I know Mr. Garland has been largely instrumental in the passage of that Act and there is a great deal to approve in it, but on the other hand there is good reason to dissent from its approval, and for that reason I am going to vote against the bill. It is all a matter of judgment.

Mr. President, I believe the passage of this Daylight Saving Ordinance and similar action taken in various other cities will cause embarrassment and confusion in the industrial and business world.

It seems not improbable that a number of important centers of population and business will soon be moving and having their being an hour in advance of the rest of the world.

There is much to approve in the daylight saving plan, but I doubt and oppose the advisability of separate action. It will be intolerable, I should say, to have it one o'clock in Harrisburg or McKeesport and 12:00 o'clock in Pittsburgh, or 12:00 o'clock in New York and one o'clock in Albany.

It should also be remembered that there are certain very important considerations of time, which are not and cannot be purely local. For legal purposes in courts, banks, railroads, post offices, government business in general, they must begin and end at a certain hour, and that hour must be uniform throughout the State if not the Nation.

Uniformity of time is indeed similarly essential to uniformity of money, weights and measures.

The Daylight Saving Law was passed by the Congress of the United States as the result of agitation and sufficient sentiment aroused in different states to provide for an additional hour of daylight so that tired people of the business and industrial world might have use of same for entertainment, amusement and recreation. Those in favor of these things enjoyed them in this way for two years in a legal, proper way because it was the Law.

Some few months ago an agitation and sentiment sprang up against this law and became so powerful that the law was repealed after having twice been vetoed by the President of the United States. Thus the thing that was legal became illegal by the action of the same body that had made it legal. And having enjoyed its provisions as legal I believe that we should now relinquish them and bow to the law.

I am sure, now that Congress has passed a Prohibition Law affecting the liquor traffic, which repealed the existing law, in the United States, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh would not think it proper or legal to pass a city ordinance legalizing same in the City of Pittsburgh. Or that an ordinance vetoed by the Mayor and passed by this body over his veto should be declared illegal in one of the wards of the city.

I am not discussing, Mr. President, the merits or demerits of the Daylight Saving Law, but trying to impress in these days of the Bolsheviks, I. W. W.'s and similar organizations and sentiment when we are teaching and demanding respect for law and order that we will be in a sense Bolsheviks ourselves if we vote to set aside and act independent of the law made by the highest law-making body in our land, the Congress of the United States.

And being a firm believer in law and order I am going to vote against this ordinance.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, I am glad that those remarks have been made. They have been made in Philadelphia and New York when those cities had under consideration similar legislation. Philadelphia and New York have adopted daylight saving ordinances and Congressman Dallinger of Massachusetts has introduced a bill in Congress to establish Daylight Saving in the First Zone of which Pittsburgh will be a part. If this legislation is passed by Congress it will establish a fixed time for all the Eastern or Atlantic Seaboard States of the country.

A great many cities in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut have passed daylight saving ordinances, and we have until May 1 to put this ordinance into law. These ordinances are now being generally introduced in the different cities of the East. Cleveland for many years past has been changing her clocks year after year. Cincinnati a few months ago put it through for the whole year.

When my colleague speaks of McKeesport and Harrisburg, I want to say that Harrisburg and McKeesport will follow Pittsburgh in enacting into law daylight saving ordinances. Uniontown, Connellsville, Oil City, Franklin and other cities of Pennsylvania are expected to follow Pittsburgh.

It would be difficult to transact stock exchange business in Pittsburgh if we did not adopt our business to the new standard time fixed by the city of New York.

This matter is not a matter of Bolshevism or Americanism. The farmers of the great West through politics de-

feated the bill against the wishes of the President, and this is one place I will say where the President was right. There are no farmers in the eastern section of the country.

The plan is exceedingly popular in Pittsburgh. It has the endorsement of the Chamber of Commerce, the Carnegie Institute of Technology, the University of Pittsburgh, the Association of Baseball Club of Pittsburgh, the tennis clubs, the banks and the great mercantile institutions for the passage of this ordinance—over 30,000 in favor of it to about 1,000 opposed to it. We are doing something that is popular with the people of Pittsburgh. It will be a humanitarian service to the many shop girls who work to six by the clock and under this Bill will be leaving at five o'clock by the sun thus affording them extra time for enjoyment or recreation purposes.

It is all right for the people at large, tends to better their physical condition and will allow them more time for enjoyment and recreation.

I am glad to say a few words on this bill in the presence of the boys and girls of the Beltzhoover School, now present with us at this session of Council. When the matter was up for hearing in the Finance Committee the Principal of the Beltzhoover School appeared before the committee and expressed his approval of the ordinance. It is something that nine out of every ten people approve of and want, and by taking favorable action we will be blazing the way for Congressional action for the First Zone, as Congressman Dallinger of Massachusetts has now a Bill in Congress covering the subject.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, I just want to add in conclusion that I don't want it understood that I dissent from the merit of the proposition. I agree with Mr. Garland on many things that he said. If I were in Congress I probably would vote for the bill, but I take my position from the fact that the Congress having made the law and later repealed it we should abide by the law of the land until such time as enough pressure is brought upon Congress to re-enact it into a law. I will say that because it is popular is not a good reason why it should be enacted into law. A thing popular today may be unpopular tomorrow and may lead to things that we don't think of at the time we pass them. It is safest, wisest and best to follow the law even though it might not be popular at the time you are doing it.

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Herron (President)
Garland	McArdle
Henderson	Robertson

Noes—Mr. Winters.

Ayes—6.

Noes—1.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4000. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of contracts for materials and general supplies required by the several departments of the City Government for the year beginning January 1, 1920."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4010. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract for the furnishing of one (1) automobile for the Department of Supplies."

In Finance Committee, December 16, 1919, read and amended in section 1, as shown in red, and as amended ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3057. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of G. F. Groff in the sum of \$139.00, being amount paid for repairing automobile damaged by patrol wagon, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3800. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Shepherd Engineering Company, for machinery parts furnished the Aspinwall Pumping Station, in the sum of \$1,041.71; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 146-Bonds.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3807. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Emma Curry in the sum of \$742.95, being in full for one-half the wages of her son, Blaine C. Curry, who was employed as physical director in the Bureau of Recreation, and who enlisted on August 1, 1917, in the United States Army Service, and was discharged therefrom on November 28, 1918, payable to her as his dependent during the period of his absence from the employment of the City, and charging the same to Code Account No. 50.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3880. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Mathilda Staab in the sum of \$292.50, being one-half of the wages of her son, William G. Staab, a sub-hoseman in the Bureau of Fire, who was drafted in the United States army, payable to her as his dependent during the period of his absence from his employment in the City in the service of the United States Army, and charging the same to Code Account No. 50, and a further warrant to William G. Staab in the sum to which he would be entitled to in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 229, approved July 23, 1919, granting half increase to city employees while in the service of the United States, and charging same to Code Account No. 50.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4001. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of David Davies in the sum of \$75.00 salary for the last half of November as stenographer and clerk to the Mayor's Welcome Committee, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 1027, Mayor's Welcome Committee.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4117. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of David C. Davies in the sum of \$75.00, in full payment of salary as stenographer-clerk for the first half of the month of December, for services rendered the Civic and War Committee, and charging same to Code Account No. 1027, Special Reservation, Civic and War Committee.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4130. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of William J. Morris in the sum of \$64.40, in full settlement of all claims for damages on account of injuries received by falling through Chauncey street steps, and charging the same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4134. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of David Kellerman in the sum of \$322.38, on account of adjustment of water rates from flat to meter charge at No. 1722-28 Pike street, and charging to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes and Water Rents.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3809. Resolution authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Fred E. Steel, of the City of Montpelier, Vt., for lot of ground situate in the Twenty-fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, being lot No. 38 in Richard Ashworth Plan, upon the payment to the City of all claims and demands that said City may have against said lot of ground.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3993. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Florence Sullivan on account of charge for water in the sum of \$18.24, being 50 per cent of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate on property at 2427 Forbes street.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4056. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Henry Lawrence on account of charge for water in the sum of \$8.55, being 50 per cent of the excess meter rate over the former flat rate on property at 2318 Second avenue.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4110. Resolution authorizing and affirming the selection of Messrs W. H. Heselbarth, Robert Coyle and Frederick W. Patterson by the City Solicitor as appraisers in the litigation over certain properties above Seventeenth street, South Side, and fixing the compensation for said services at \$500.00 each, and appropriating the sum of \$1,500.00 for the payment of said compensation, to be charged to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4111. Resolution authorizing, empowering and directing the City Controller to transfer the sum of \$5,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A-1, Salaries, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1156, Item F, Equipment, Bureau of Police.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4057. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to John L. McCarthy on account of charge for water in the sum of \$38.58, being one-half of the excess meter rate over the former flat rate on property at 53 South Seventeenth street, Seventeenth ward.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill. No. 4119. Resolution authorizing the City Controller to make the following transfers for Bureau of City Property:

From Code Account 1569, Supplies, City-County Building.....	\$2,772.47
To Code Account, 1580, Supplies, Diamond Market	\$ 950.00
To Code Account 1583, Repairs, Diamond Market	500.00
To Code Account 1610, Repairs, Weigh Scales	149.33
To Code Account 1622, Repairs, Comfort Stations	1,000.00
To Code Account 1625½, Equipment, Foster Homestead	173.14
	\$2,772.47

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.
Dalley McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4121. Resolution authorizing and directing the City Controller to transfer the following:
From Code Account No. 1558,
Equipment, Asphalt Plants, to
Code account No. 1554, Miscellaneous Services, Asphalt
Plants\$300.00
From Code Account No. 1558,
Equipment, Asphalt Plants; to
Code Account No. 1557, Repairs, Asphalt Plant 400.00

\$700.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.
Dalley McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4120. Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) from General Fund Code Account No. 1671, "Miscellaneous Services," Bureau of Light to the following code accounts, to-wit:

Code Account 1403, "Supplies," Director's Office, Department Public Works	\$ 25.00
Code Account 1405, "Equipment," Director's Office, Department Public Works.....	1,250.00
Code Account 1406, "Salaries," Division of Accounting, Department Public Works.....	75.00
Code Account 1406D, "Equipment," Division of Accounting, Department Public Works	190.00
Code Account 1409, "Supplies," Photographic Division, Department Public Works	25.00
Code Account 1497, "Salaries," Bureau of Deed Registry, Department Public Works.....	300.00
Code Account 1673, "Materials," Bureau of Light, Department Public Works.....	1,000.00
Code Account 1751, "Supplies," Riverview Park Zoo, Department Public Works.....	10.00
Code Account 1783, "Miscellaneous Services," Bureau of Parks, Department Public Works	125.00
	\$3,000.00

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.
Dalley McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4124. Resolved, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make transfer of funds from and to Appropriation Accounts of the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, as scheduled below:

FILTRATION DIVISION.

\$1,750.00 from Appropriation No. 1642, "Salaries, Regular Employees," to Appropriation No. 1644, "Wages, Regular Employees."

\$1,100.00 from Appropriation No. 1647, "Supplies," to Appropriation No. 1644, "Wages, Regular Employees."
\$200.00 from Appropriation No. 1647, "Supplies," to Appropriation No. 1649, "Repairs."

DISTRIBUTION DIVISION.

\$1,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1661, "Wages, Temporary Employees," to Appropriation No. 1644, "Wages, Regular Employees."

\$800.00 from Appropriation No. 1661, "Wages, Temporary Employees," to Appropriation No. 1666, "Equipment and Machinery."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 1834. Whereas, H. D. W. Jarvis is the owner of premises at No. 1139-41, Pennsylvania avenue, Twenty-first ward, on which the water rent from September 10, 1910, until April, 1911, amounting to \$359.20 by reason of the death of the tenant who was bound under her agreement to pay the water rent, and,

Whereas, the owner of the building had no notice until a short time ago and now desires to settle the bill but believes it to be unreasonably excessive; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to make an adjustment of the water rates assessed against property of H. D. W. Jarvis, 1139-41 Pennsylvania avenue, Twenty-first ward on the basis of the meter rates from December, 1917, until September, 1918, as shown on the books of said Board.

In Finance Committee, December 16, 1919, read and amended by striking out all the words after the word "Resolved", and by inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Resolved, That the Board of

Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh be and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said H. D. W. Jarvis on account of charges for water, in the sum of \$270.20 for the period between September 19, 1910, and May 1, 1912," and as amended ordered returned to council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the resolution, as amended in committee and agreed to by council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Garland also presented

No. 4186. Report of the Committee on Finance for December 19, 1919, transmitting a resolution to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also

Bill No. 4168. Resolution setting aside \$2500.00 from Appropriation No. 1013-M, Council's Investigation Fund, for the purpose of defraying any expenses that may be incurred in protecting the interests of Dean D. Simpson in a case instituted by Walter J. Lloyd involving the charge of perjury against said Simpson, and authorizing and directing the President of Council to take such steps as he may deem necessary and expedient for the preparation and presentation of any defense that may be necessary and to incur such expense as he may deem necessary and present vouchers for same to the Finance Committee, which vouchers shall be payable from the amount herein provided on approval by the Finance Committee.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley Robertson
Herron (President) Winters
McArdle

Noes—Messrs.

Garland Henderson

Ayes—5.

Noes—2.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Henderson presented

No. 4187. Report of the Committee on Public Works for December 16, 1919, transmitting an agreement and sundry ordinances and resolutions to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 3795. Agreement between Chas. J. Holleman, of the Borough of Brentwood, Allegheny county, and the City of Pittsburgh, relative to the opening of West Penn Place in the Eighth ward, between Harriet street and Evaline street.

In Public Works Committee, November 12, 1919. Read and amended by inserting as shown in red, and as amended recommended to council for approval.

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

That the amendment of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the agreement, as amended in committee and agreed to by council, was read, and was accepted and approved by the following vote.

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

Also

Bill No. 3796. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance opening West Penn Place, in the Eighth ward, from Harriet street to South Evaline street, and providing that the cost, damages

and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 3864. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance widening Second avenue, in the First ward, from Liberty avenue to Short street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being three-fourths of the votes of council in the affirmative, the bill passed finally, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly of May 22, 1895, and the several supplements thereto.

Also

Bill No. 4122. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Enfield street, from a point about 20 feet south of Baum boulevard to the present sewer on Center avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4125. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Sewickley road and Pennock road, from a point about 470 feet northwest of Pennock road to the existing sewer on Pennock road northeast of Brandon road, with a branch sewer on Sewickley road, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4126. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the construction of a storm sewer on Pioneer avenue and Ray avenue, from Capital avenue to the existing storm sewer on West Liberty avenue, with a branch sewer on Pioneer avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4038. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Carnegie Steel Company in the sum of \$647.96, for 50 5" H-beams, the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1461-D, Ma-

terials, Bridge Repairs, City Force, Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings, and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4123. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Western Union Telegraph Company for telegraph service during baseball series for the Bureau of Recreation in the sum of \$195.00, chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1807.

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4139. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the Ochiltree Electric Company in the sum of \$167.02, for electric wiring and repairs to South Side Market, and charging same to Appropriation 1599-E, Repairs to the South Side Market, in payment for extra work.

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4140. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of McFadden & Craig, plumbers, in the sum of \$70.44, in installation of plumbing repairs to the South Side Market, and charging same to Appropriation 1599-E, Repairs to the South Side Market.

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4141. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the B. A. Groah Construction Company in the sum of \$350.80, in installation of general repairs at the South Side Market, and charging same to Appropriation 1599-E, Repairs to the South Side Market.

Which was read.

Mr. Henderson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.
Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 4188. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for December 16, 1919, transmitting sundry ordinances to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 4020. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance vacating Manhattan street, in the Twenty-first ward, from Nixon street to the southerly line of the right of way of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railway."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time, and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.
Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4132. An ordinance entitled, "An ordinance establishing the opening grades on Caxon street, Ebdy street, Maria way, Shady avenue and Victory way, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened high-

ways by Maria L. Ebdy Plan of Lots called 'Ebdy Orchard Plan.'"

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time, and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.
Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4135. Cooper Square Plan of Lots, laid out by Webster Hinnau, Twenty-seventh ward, and the dedication of Pemberton street shown therein.

Which was read, accepted and approved by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs.
Dailey McArdle
Garland Robertson
Henderson Winters
Herron (President)

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

Also

Bill No. 4136. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance approving the 'Cooper Square Plan of Lots,' in the Twenty-seventh ward, laid out by Webster Hinnau; accepting the dedication of Pemberton street as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same, and establishing the grade thereon."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3054. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance vacating Ionic way, in the Eleventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh, as shown on John Fite's Second Amended Plan of 'Luella Place,' between Mellon street and the westerly line of said plan."

Which was read.

Mr McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time, and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. Dailey presented

No. 4189. Report of the Committee on Public Safety for December 16, 1919, transmitting an ordinance and two resolutions to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 4113. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance amending Section 1 of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations

and repairs at No. 7 Police Station, on South Thirteenth street, approved November 22, A. D., 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 30, Page 609."

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time, and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3995. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Painter-Dunn Company for the sum of \$148.13, for repairing automobile used by District Chief Robert McKinley, in the Bureau of Fire, and charging the same to Code Account No. 1166, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Fire.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4114. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. A. Glenn for \$169.20, for

47 days' service as Multigraph Operator in the Department of Public Safety during the months of October and November at the rate of \$3.60 per day, and charging the same to Code Account No. 1126, Salaries, Regular Employees, Department of Public Safety, General Office.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.	
Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Winters presented

No. 4190. Report of the Committee on Charities and Correction for December 16, 1919, transmitting a resolution to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 4116. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Kaufmann's in the sum of \$665.50, for 43 mackinaw coats and 100 pair pants for the use of the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospital at Mayview, Pa., same to be chargeable to and

payable from Code Account No. 1320, Supplies, City Home and Hospitals, Mayview.

Which was read.

Mr. Winters moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.	
Dailey	McArdle
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—7.
Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Prof. McKnight, Principal of the Beltzhoover School, being present with the pupils of the Eighth grade; Congressman **W. J. Burke** was introduced to them by the **Chair**, and Mr. **Burke** then made an address to the boys and girls of the school.

Mr. **Winters**, Mr. **Garland** and President **Herron** then welcomed Prof. McKnight and his pupils.

Prof. McKnight responded by thanking the members of Council for the courtesy extended to his pupils and himself.

Albert Kessner, of 243 Climax street, one of the pupils, then addressed Council.

And on motion of Mr. **Winters**, Council adjourned.

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JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Monday, December 29, 1919.

Council met.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

PRESENTATIONS

The Chair presented

No. 4191.

CITY FIREMEN'S PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
December 20, 1919.

Mr. John S. Herorn,
President of City Council,
Pittsburgh Pa.

Dear Sir—At the regular monthly meeting of the City Firemen's Protective Association, held on December 19, 1919, the Wage Committee reported that the members of Council had granted an increase in wages of 15 per cent to the members of the Bureau of Fire.

The committee was instructed by unanimous vote, to extend the thanks of the members of this Association to each and every member of Council for the increase granted.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, we remain.

Very truly yours,

J. T. CONLEY, Chairman
E. L. CARLIN, Secretary,
JOHN MILLER,
WILLIAM TAYLOR,
OLLIE REGAN,
JOHN S. SNYDER,
JOHN WALKER,
JOHN FLAHERTY,
Wage Committee.

Which was read, and on motion of Mr. Winters, received and filed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of Rule VIII which provides that all bills, ordinances and resolutions when returned from Committee shall be printed and a copy of each bill mailed to each member at least 48 hours previous to a meeting of Council.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 4192. Report of the Committee on Finance for December 23, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 4169. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating the Division of Accounts and Permits, in the Department of Public Safety, prescribing the duties of said Division, and fixing the number and compensation of employees thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4112. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating the Division of Fire Prevention in the Department of Public Safety Bureau of Fire, City of Pittsburgh, and fixing the number and compensation of the employees therein."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 4172. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating and establishing a Division, under the control and direction of the Mayor, to be known as the 'Office of the Supervisor of City Stables,' prescribing the duties of said division, and fixing the number of employees and compensation thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 4173. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating and establishing a division, under the control and direction of the Mayor, to be known as the 'Municipal Garage and Repair Shops,' prescribing the duties of said division, and fixing the number of employees and the compensation thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 3887. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mark M. Grobstein, for use of Noah Grobstein, in the sum of \$1,049.38, being payment in full for one-half of salary of said Mark M. Grobstein payable to his father as dependent, during the period of his absence from his employment in the City of Pittsburgh, while in the military service of the United States during the War with Germany, and charging same to Code Account No. 50-M.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3891. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Mrs. Ellen C. Monahan in the sum of \$33.00, for damages to household goods by detectives who broke into her home at 225 Sheridan avenue in search of evaders of the law, and charging the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Anderson	Herron (President)
Dalley	Oliver
English	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Henderson	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3858. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of W. R. Reynolds, a Lieutenant, in the Bureau of Police for the sum of \$988.33, for lost time from March 9, 1919, to October 9, 1919, by reason of injuries received while in the performance of his duties in Schenley Park, on September 7, 1918, when he was struck by an automobile, and charging the same to Code Account No. 44-M. Workmen's Compensation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4041. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of the St. James African M. E. Chapel for the sum of \$58.40 refunding amount of taxes paid by it for the years 1917 and 1919 on its church property and charging same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding City Taxes.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3456. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Martin Sorg in the sum of \$471.20, for lost time on account of injuries received while going to his work at the Pittsburgh City Home, Mayview, and charging same to Appropriation No. 44-M.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3160. Resolution granting to the Civic Club of Allegheny County and the Soho Bath Association the right to erect a brick building to be used by the Soho Bath Association as a community house, on the lot at 2408 Fifth avenue, owned by the City of Pittsburgh and the Civic Club of Allegheny County, jointly.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4150. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to issue an exoneration to Patrick J. McInerney on account of charge for water in the sum of \$97.98, being 50 per cent. of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate on property at 27-29 Soho street, Fourth ward.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4166. Communication from S H Church, President Board of Trustees, The Carnegie Institute, accepting the provisions of the ordinance allowing the Carnegie Institute of Technology to use certain property in the Fourteenth ward belonging to the City of Pittsburgh, being the same property which Clara C. Anderson, by deed dated August 15, 1917, conveyed to the City of Pittsburgh.

In Finance Committee, December 23, 1919. Read and referred to Council to become part of the record.

Which was read, and on motion of Mr. Garland, received and filed.

Also, with a negative recommendation,

Bill No. 3682. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Wadsworth Stone & Paving Company in the sum of \$3.00, being for return of fee paid to the Treasurer of the City July 21, 1919, for permit for alterations to building at No. 5864 Baum boulevard, and charging the same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 3939. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed for property known as lot No. 5 in Mrs. E. F. Denny Estate Plan on Bigelow boulevard, Sixth ward, to W. G. Jones for the sum of \$1,250.00.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That further action on the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. English presented

No. 4193. Report of the Committee on Public Works for December 23, 1919, transmitting several ordinances and resolutions to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 475. An ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for making repairs to the street pavement on Wheatland street near Greenfield avenue bridge, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3749. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance repealing an ordinance entitled, 'An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the

Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of a retaining wall on Leander street, between Rust way and the westerly terminus thereof, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof, approved July 11, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book vol. 30, page 372."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4182. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts jointly with the County Commissioners for additional work on the City-County Building, and providing for the payment of the cost of the city's share thereof."

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
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Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4131. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to execute a contract of lease with the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company for a certain parcel of land just west of Frazier Viaduct at Laughlin Junction."

In Public Works Committee, December 23, 1919. Read and amended in Section 1, as shown in red, and as amended ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

That the amendments of the Public Works Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by council, was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

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Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
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Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4028. Resolution approving extras, amounting to \$3,094.53 in the contract with the M. O'Herron Company for the grading, paving and

curbing of McCandless street, from Stanton avenue to Fifty-third street, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.	
Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4178. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of James H. McQuade & Sons Company for the sum of \$134.00, for two extra days' hire of steam shovel used in extinguishing coal mine fire on Hobart street, chargeable to Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Street, Bureau of Engineering.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.	
Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4179. Resolution approving extras, amounting to \$35 910.66, in the contract with M. O'Herron Com-

pany for the improving of West Carson street, from a point 1,221.91 feet west of Point Bridge to a point 181 feet east of Point Bridge, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.	
Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—5.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4181. Resolution approving extras, amounting to \$969.00, in the contract with M. O'Herron Company for the grading, paving and curbing of Wapello street, between Davis avenue and Aquatic way, and authorizing and directing the City Controller to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.	
Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4183. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of W. J. Tener & Co., special

agents for the Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company, in the sum of \$92.64 for insurance for two Economic Boilers at the North Side Market, same to be paid from Code Account No. 1588, Miscellaneous Services, North Side Market.

Which was read.

Mr. English moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Mr. Robertson presented

No. 4194. Report of the Committee on Filtration and Water for December 23, 1919, transmitting two ordinances to council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation.

Bill No. 4047. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) motor truck chassis (one ton capacity) for the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4048. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) motor truck (two-ton capacity) for the Bureau of Water Department of Public Works."

Which was read.

Mr. Robertson moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McArdle moved

That the following members be excused for absence from council and committee meetings:

Mr. Dalley on October 7, 15; November 3, and December 9, 1919;

Mr. English on December 8, 9, 22 and 23, 1919;

Mr. Garland on October 21, 22, 29; November 3, 19, and December 9, 18, 1919;

Mr. Henderson on October 15, 29; November 3, 12 and December 18, 1919;

Mr. Herron (President) on October 7, 28, and November 12, 1919;

Mr. **Oliver** on December 18, and 22, 1919;

Mr. **McArdle** on October 28, 1919;

Mr. **Eauh** on October 22, and November 3, 12, 1919;

Mr. **Robertson** on October 14, 15, 29; November 3, 12, 17, 25, 26 and December 18, 23, 1919;

Mr. **Winters** on October 7, and November 3, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Garland** presented

No. 4195. Whereas, the unrestricted sale of alcohol in other cities has led to many deaths, due to the fact that the denatured article, which is rank poison, has been freely sold as "Alcohol;" therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be requested to prepare an ordinance for presentation to Council regulating the sale of Denatured Alcohol, and that in

the meantime the City Solicitor advise with the Director of the Department of Public Safety in order that measures be taken to the end that sales of this commodity may be properly safeguarded.

Which was read.

Mr. **Garland** moved

The adoption of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. **Dalley** moved

That the minutes of the following meetings of Council be approved.

Meetings of No. 53, December 15, 1919; No. 54, December 16, 1919; No. 55, December 18, 1919; No. 56, December 19, 1919; No. 57, December 20, 1919; No. 58, December 22, 1919.

Which motion prevailed.

And on motion of Mr. **McArdle**,
Council adjourned.

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COUNCIL

JOHN S. HERRON.....President
E. J. MARTIN.....City Clerk
ROBERT CLARK.....Assistant City Clerk

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Friday, January 2, 1920.

Council met pursuant to the following call:

Pittsburgh, December 30, 1919.

Mr. E. J. Martin,
Clerk of Council.

Dear Sir—Please call a special meeting of Council for Friday, January 2, 1920, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the consideration of such business as may come before the meeting.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN S. HERRON,

President.

Which was read, received and filed.

Present—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of Rule VIII, which provides that all bills, ordinances and resolutions, when returned from committee, shall be printed and a copy of each bill mailed to each member at least

48 hours previous to a meeting of Council.

Which motion prevailed.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Garland presented

No. 4196. Report of the Committee on Finance for December 30, 1919, transmitting two ordinances and two resolutions to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 1039. Resolution declaring that the members of the Detective force shall be entitled to all car fares from the time they start from their homes, and authorizing and directing the Controller to issue warrants for said purposes.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dalley	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 3444. Resolution authorizing the issuing of a warrant in favor of Eliza Zillox for \$64.76, refund-

ing amount of city taxes on property on Howard street, which was taken for street purposes in the widening and improvement of said street, and charging same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

In Finance Committee, December 30, 1919. Read and amended by striking out the words "42, Contingent Fund," and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "41, Refunding Taxes," and as amended ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

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Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4112. An Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating the Division of Fire Prevention in the Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Fire, City of Pittsburgh, and fixing the number and compensation of the employees therein."

In Finance Committee December 30, 1919. Read and amended in Sections 2 and 3 by striking out the entire sections, and after the words "Bureau of Fire," in Section 1, by inserting the words "Section 2," and after the words "Fire Marshal" in said section by adding the words, "and his salary shall be \$2,500.00 per annum," and in the title by striking out the words "the number and compensation of the employees therein," and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "the compensation of the Fire Marshal," and as amended ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

And on the question, "Shall the bill pass finally?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

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Henderson	Winters
Herron (President)	

Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4173. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance creating and establishing a division under the control and direction of the Mayor to be known as the 'Municipal Garage and Repair Shops' prescribing the duties of said Division, and fixing the number of employees and the compensation thereof."

In Finance Committee, December 30, 1919. Read and amended in Section 2 by striking out the words "or Council as a body or any Committee of Council," and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "This shall not apply to Council's car, which shall be under the jurisdiction of the City Clerks, and shall be available for the use of Council or members thereof," and as amended ordered returned to Council with an affirmative recommendation.

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Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Mr. McArdle presented

No. 4197. Report of the Committee on Public Service and Surveys for December 30, 1919, transmitting several ordinances to Council.

Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

Bill No. 4127. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Bedford avenue, from Seventh avenue to Hickory way."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time, and agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

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Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4128. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Bigelow boulevard, from

Chatham street to a point 150 feet north of Seventh avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as read a second time, was agreed to.

And the bill was read a third time and agreed to.

And the title of the bill was read and agreed to.

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Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

Also

Bill No. 4129. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance re-establishing the grade of Seventh avenue, from Bigelow boulevard to Webster avenue."

Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time, and agreed to.

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Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the resolution.

Which motion prevailed.

And the rule having been suspended, the resolution was read a second and third times, and upon final passage the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
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And there being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the resolution passed finally.

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Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the amendments of the Finance Committee be agreed to.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill, as amended in committee and agreed to by Council, was read.

Mr. Garland moved

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Which motion prevailed.

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Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

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Which was read, received and filed.

Also, with an affirmative recommendation,

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Which was read.

Mr. McArdle moved

A suspension of the rule to allow the second and third readings and final passage of the bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And the bill was read a second time, and agreed to.

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Chatham street to a point 150 feet north of Seventh avenue."

Which was read.

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Which motion prevailed.

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Ayes—9.

Noes—None.

And a majority of the votes of Council being in the affirmative, the bill passed finally.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

The Chair presented

No. 4198.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH, PA.

December 31, 1919.

To the Council of the City of Pittsburgh:

Gentlemen—I notice in the morning papers that the President of Council commented on the vetoing of certain ordinances which were sent to Council yesterday, the 30th.

May I ask that communications sent to "The President and Members of Council" be not opened by the President or any other member of Council and commented on to the public through the newspapers or any other method until the same have been submitted to Council.

Beg to state that these communications are addressed to "The President and Members of Council" and not to any one member of it. I consider it unfair for any one member of Council to open and use publicly the document until members of Council have seen it in session, unfair to the other members of Council as well as the Mayor.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

The Chair:

Gentlemen, I want to state that the members of Council knew we had a budget measure that we were expecting from His Honor, the Mayor, and it was necessary to call several special meetings of council. When the envelope was received at the City Clerk's Office from the Mayor, I nor the City Clerk knew what it contained—whether it was the salary ordinance with his approval signed to it or whether it was accompanied by a veto message. Therefore, it was necessary to open the envelope to ascertain what it contained.

The Mayor is laboring under a misapprehension when he attempts to say that the Council can do no business except when it is in session. It is necessary to give all communications from the Mayor prompt attention, and immediately after the delivery of the Mayor's veto message on the salary ordinance to the City Clerk's office it was handed to me and opened. This was done in the presence, I believe, of five members of Council, and they were informed of the action taken by the Mayor. The representatives of the press were also present, and there being no objection raised by the members of Council present, I thought it was proper to inform the newspaper representatives of the

contents of the Mayor's veto message. I believed then, and have always believed that communications addressed to the President and Members of Council should be opened as soon as delivered to the City Clerk's office.

I want to call Council's attention to the fact that only a short time ago when Council had up the subject of the election of a successor to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Enoch Rauh, the Mayor saw fit to publicly announce the fact that he had selected a man to fill this position without even consulting the members of Council.

Are there any other remarks? (After a pause). If there are no further remarks the communication from the Mayor will be received and filed, and a motion to that effect will be in order.

Mr. Robertson moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

No. 4199.

Pittsburgh, December 30, 1919.

President and Members of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh:

Gentlemen—I herewith return, without my approval, Bill No. 4105, an ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof for the year 1920, generally known as the Salary Ordinance.

The reasons therefor are:

Objection No. 1. Page 2.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

The position of Mayor's Secretary is eliminated.

This omission is plainly not in the nature of a decision that the position is not necessary, but is intended to compel the Mayor to dispense with the services of the present Secretary.

This is merely an indirect way of Council's exercising a power which it does not possess. It is, to say the least, a very extraordinary proceeding on the part of the legislative branch of the City Government and has no precedent. I desire to enter a firm protest against this course of action.

Objection No. 2. Page 2.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

In the Bill before me the salary provided for Six Police Magistrates is apparently fixed at \$2,500.00 each per annum by scratching out the original entry of \$3,000.00 and substituting "2500" in pencil figures.

Certain members of Council have advised me that Council authorized a salary of \$3,000.00, and the printed copy of the Bill which I received contains the figure of \$3,000.00.

Objection No. 3. Page 3.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—MUNICIPAL GARAGE AND REPAIR SHOP.

The item "Chauffeur Mechanic, \$1,692.00 per annum" should read "Four Chauffeur Mechanics \$1,692.00 each per annum."

Objection No. 4. Page 7.

DEPARTMENT OF COLLECTOR OF DELINQUENT TAXES.

Item "Six Clerks \$1,968.00 per annum" has an interlineation of "each" in ink.

Objection No. 5. Page 17.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Item "Chauffeur" is written in in ink and scratched out and put in in type-writing in a way that is very confusing.

Objection No. 6. Page 17.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—DIVISION OF TRANSMISSIBLE DISEASES.

Item "Field Inspector \$1,692.00 per annum" is added in ink.

Objection No. 7. Page 18.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL.

Item "Superintendent." Figures scratched out and changed in ink from \$1,950.00 to \$2,244.00.

Objection No. 8. Page 19.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL.

Item "Farmer \$1,038.00 per annum" added in ink.

Objection No. 9. Page 21.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—BUREAU OF CHILD WELFARE.

Item "Two Assistant Nurses." Figures scratched and ink insertions made; very confusing.

Objection No. 10. Page 21.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—BUREAU OF SMOKE REGULATION

Item "Stenographer-Clerk." Ink figures over printed figures.

Objection No. 11. Page 25.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES—CITY HOME AND HOSPITAL.

MAYVIEW.

Item "Laundress." Figures corrected in ink.

Objection No. 12. Page 29.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—DIVISION OF ACCOUNTING.

Item "Three Accountants." Figures changed in ink from \$2,544.00 to \$2,3100.00.

Objection No. 13. Page 42.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—HERRON HILL PUMPING STATION.

Item "Chief Engineer." Changed in ink from \$2,484.00 to \$2,376.00.

Objection No. 14. Page 43.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—MISSION STREET PUMPING STATION.

Item "Chief Engineer." Changed in ink from \$2,484.00 to \$2,376.00.

Objection No. 15. Page 43.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—HOWARD STREET PUMPING STATION.

Item "Chief Engineer." Changed in ink from \$2,484.00 to \$2,376.00.

Objection No. 16. Page 48.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—CONSERVATORY.

Item "Female Attendant." Figures changed in ink from \$1,008.00 to \$1,002.00.

Objection No. 17. Page 48.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—CONSERVATORY.

Item "Cleaner." Figures changed in ink from \$1,008.00 to \$1,002.00.

Objection No. 18. Page 49.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—

SMALL PARKS

Item "Laborers \$4.00 per day" changed in ink to "Laborers \$4.00 each per day."

Objection No. 19. Page 50.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—RIVERVIEW PARK, NORTH SIDE.

Item "Greenhouse Attendant \$4.25 per day" written in in ink.

Objection No. 20. Page 55.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—SUMMER PLAYGROUNDS.

Item consisting of four lines made up in the shape of a fly-leaf and pasted into the Bill.

This Bill is greatly mutilated and shows serious alterations in both pencil and ink, naturally leaving great doubt as to when these changes were made and whether they were made with the approval of the legislative body.

Approving a Bill of this kind, would to say the least, establish a very questionable precedent.

Very respectfully yours,

E. V. BABCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. Dailey moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

Also

Bill No. 4105. An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof."

In Council, December 2, 1919, committee amendment agreed to. Rule suspended, bill read three times and finally passed.

Was read.

And on the question, "Shall the bill become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Mr. English not voting).

Noes—Mr. Henderson.

When the name of Mr. Garland was called, he arose and said:

Mr. President, I wish my reasons for voting not to sustain the objections of the Mayor to be put on the record. We must all agree that it was a sloppy bill. At the same time I am not going to disturb the harmony that has existed in Council on this matter, nor do I want to prevent the city employees from receiving their salary in the regular way. The Bill was gotten through in unholy haste, and let us hope that it will never occur again.

When the name of Mr. Henderson was called, he arose and said:

Mr. President, I vote no for the reason that the Bill as presented to the Mayor and as has been shown by his action, is a direct violation of the Act of 1874 which provides that all Bills must be printed and in the hands of

the members of Council 48 hours before a meeting of Council. This was not done on this bill.

Ayes—7.

Noes—1.

And there being two thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the bill became a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor.

Also

No. 4200.

Pittsburgh, December 30, 1919.

To the Honorable, the President and Members of Council of the City of Pittsburgh:

Gentlemen—I return herewith Bill No. 4168. Resolution setting aside \$2,500.00 from Appropriation No. 1013-M, Council's Investigation Fund, for purpose of defraying expenses that may be incurred in protecting the interests of Dean D. Simpson in case instituted by Walter J. Lloyd, without my approval for the following reasons:

First: This is a misappropriation of public funds for a private purpose. The language of the resolution is "setting aside \$2,500.00 for purpose of defraying expenses that may be incurred in protecting the interests of Dean D. Simpson in case instituted by Walter J. Lloyd." As the case referred to is a charge of perjury, the only expenses which could be incurred, presumably, would be in the employment of counsel to defend Simpson in his trial and the payment of an attorney's fee in this connection. The fact that the charge made against Simpson arises out of evidence delivered by him before a Committee of Council does not make it the less a private case, and I assume that you know that municipal funds cannot be legally appropriated to the defense of private interests or rights. If the employment were for a legal purpose, it could not be accomplished in this way, for the Charter Act provides:

"No department of the City shall employ any other Solicitor, but assistant counsel may be employed upon any particular matter or cause by the City Recorder, with the consent of Council, but he shall be selected by the City Solicitor."

Second: If the employment were legitimate and the services to be rendered for the City, the sum appropriated is grossly extravagant, for competent counsel could be employed to defend a case like this for, at most, a third of this sum.

Third: If the members of Council who voted for this Resolution are so distrustful of the administration of justice in Allegheny county as to suppose that a man can be persecuted, instead of prosecuted, on a charge of this kind, and believe that extraordinary means

ures must be taken to secure justice, they should provide the money in some other way, and not take the taxpayer's money for such a purpose.

Very respectfully yours,

R. V. BARCOCK,

Mayor.

Which was read.

Mr. Garland moved

That the communication be received and filed.

Which motion prevailed.

And

Bill No. 4168. Resolution setting aside the sum of \$2,500.00 from Appropriation No. 1013-M, Council's Investigation Fund, for the purpose of defraying any expenses that may be incurred in protecting the interests of Dean D. Simpson in a case instituted by Walter J. Lloyd involving the charge of perjury against said Simpson, and authorizing and directing the President of Council to take such steps as he may deem necessary and expedient for the preparation and presentation of any defense that may be necessary and to incur such expense as he may deem necessary and present vouchers for same to the Finance committee, which vouchers shall be payable from the amount herein provided on approval by the Finance Committee.

In Council December 22, 1919. Rule suspended, read three times and finally passed.

Was read.

And on the question, "Shall the resolution become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?"

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, it seems to me that the Mayor is putting the cart before the horse. I think he makes a mistake in vetoing this Bill. In his veto message he says that it is illegal for the Council to appropriate the \$2,500.00 for the purpose of defending this young man in the matter of the charge of perjury brought against him by Walter J. Lloyd growing out of testimony given by the young man before the Finance Committee of Council.

Personally, I would be in favor of spending \$25,000.00 to see that justice was done Mr. Simpson, and that he was not persecuted.

I understand that some of the members of the Liberty Loan Band about which this trouble all started have not yet received the money due them from the amount of \$1,125.00 paid by the City to Walter J. Lloyd with which to pay the members of the Liberty Loan Band who played in engagements ar-

ranged for by the Mayor's Welcome Committee.

I think a gross fraud has been practiced on the City Treasury in this matter. It is, therefore, a matter of public business and it is our duty to see that the money is paid to the rightful parties.

Speaking on the matter of Council employing outside legal assistance, we have a precedent for that, but I must confess that the Mayor has the last say. The law provides that the Departments may, with the consent of the Council employ legal assistance, but the person or persons selected must be approved by the City Solicitor. The Mayor in his veto has seen fit to deny the Council the right to employ this help to see that witnesses who appear before Council are protected in their rights. In this regard I believe he has overstepped his authority.

As a member of Council I don't believe it would be advisable to ask the City Solicitor to assign one of his Assistant City Solicitors to represent Mr. Simpson in the case brought against him by Mr. Lloyd, because it is not practical. This Assistant City Solicitor would have to follow the advice of the City Solicitor, and he being an appointee of the Mayor would naturally take orders from him. Therefore, it is necessary for us to seek outside legal advice and assistance.

In this connection I wish to call the attention of Council to the matter of the appropriation made to the Mayor's Welcome Committee. You or I, at least I, don't know where and to whom the \$44,000 was spent; nor do we know where the \$600.00 was expended when the King of Belgium recently visited Pittsburgh. We don't know whether it was spent on the King or on pleasure for friends of city officials.

What I think would be the proper thing to do under the circumstances in this case would be to confer with the Mayor and the City Solicitor and maybe we could come to some agreement with them, and if not, then action could be taken on the veto. The Mayor can sprag the matter very easily by telling the City Solicitor that he did not want the man we have selected.

I am very much interested in this matter, because I think justice has been obstructed when the man was held for the Grand Jury with only one witness against him. We must face this situation squarely and we might as well do it right. I propose to start it all over again in the new Council. The consideration and preparation of the budget held it back. My personal opinion is that we should pass this resolution if we cannot come to some agreement with the Mayor and the City Solicitor.

whether we spend one cent of it or not. We must show this community that we stand for justice and decency. I am willing to face the taxpayers on the matter of spending \$2,500.00 in a public scandal the same as spending any other portion of the money collected from the tax levy for a worthy purpose. We must work for the good of this community and we have served notice that people who don't act fairly with public money must get out of the city service.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, without going from Genesis to Revelations, I am going to vote to sustain the objections of the Mayor. If any member of Council votes to make this bill a law he knowingly violates his oath of office. The previous speaker may talk from the top of the mountain about it, but he knows that we have no case. It is absolutely illegal. Should the Council pass this bill notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor, the Controller will not pay it, and the Mayor will not countersign any warrants drawn on this fund.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, where does Mr. Garland get the authority to speak for the controller? I will make the statement flatly contradicting Mr. Garland, for I know that the City Controller said that he would pay the full amount or any part of the \$2,500.00 set aside for the purpose outlined in the resolution. Mr. Garland was opposed to the proposition from the beginning, and I am not surprised at his action today. We have law for it and no member is violating his oath of office by voting for the resolution. In the Charter Act other legal help may be employed if Council consents. By passing this resolution Council is giving its consent. The fact that the City Solicitor is charged with selecting the help does not change it one particle. This has been done at times past, and for example, I might recite the case of the Civil Service Commission against the Council a few years ago. At that time the Council employed Attorney George R. Wallace after his selection was approved by the City Solicitor, who is now the present City Solicitor. In the matter of the public utilities litigation Council employed its own counsel and under his supervision the litigation against the Pittsburgh Railways Company and its associated companies was begun. Under the welfare clause of the Charter Act when we are looking out for the welfare of the community we are given the power to employ attorneys to protect the interests of the taxpayers of the city. This is a case where we must protect witnesses who appear before Council on matters under investigation by the body.

If we don't protect our witnesses we are going to be in contempt some of these days, as some members of Council ought to be, and as some of them are now, in fact.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, I am going to vote for the bill without regard to its legality. I want to take issue with Mr. Garland when he says that we knew at the time the Bill was passed that it was illegal. We did not know any such thing. When the matter was up in Committee I called attention to the fact that I would support it so that it might be submitted to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval. The Mayor has returned it to Council with his disapproval. There is no question of the legality or illegality of the law concerned in it. The law plainly states that if the Mayor and Council can agree it can be done, and I took that position until we would find out what the Mayor's stand would be in the matter. We took the first step and we now know what the Mayor thinks of it, because he has expressed his opinion in writing. It was, therefore, legal, and we did not know what disposition would be made of it until the second step had been taken under the law.

There may be some loop hole and I am not concerned about it, but the thing for us to do is to pass the bill notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor and a test will show whether it is legal or not. It would only be doing the thing that we have done time and time again.

I take the position in voting that way for its moral effect and we would be standing up for the integrity and honor of the Council, and if the members of Council don't stand up for their own honor and integrity and dignity, we cannot expect others to stand up for it.

This matter came before Council in an orderly way after the introduction of a resolution by one of its members. Introduced in the same manner as other bills are introduced; much attention was paid to the resolution at the time, and no question was raised as to its legality, and the only question that was raised was whether the man involved should be given a hearing before action was taken, and we finally agreed that he should be given a hearing, which was fair and logical, and after that hearing I offered a motion that it was the sense of the Finance Committee that the introduction of the resolution was warranted and that the author of the resolution was vindicated from any improper motive and was justified in presenting it. The records will show that the nine members of Council voted for that motion, so we are square on that.

In connection with the matter we bring in a young man whose veracity was questioned after he had appeared and gave his testimony on a summons issued from this Council, and after he was through a member of Council offered the motion that we would support him and see that he was not unduly harmed and troubled and that he would not be put to any unnecessary expense as a result of his answering a summons from this Council and coming in and recognizing the powers of the Council. The majority of Council agreed that this should be done, I among the rest.

I trust that we will give to this young man the protection that he deserves, to the fullest extent of our ability and power, and if there is any member of Council who will not do that, and I will say one or two members did not agree with that motion, and as far as that point is concerned they can still maintain that. I maintain the position I took; that is, to protect this young man and will even go to the extent of contributing from my own pocket to help defray the expense of his defense.

Mr. McArdle arose and said:

Mr. President, I would like to say this, that I agree with the proposition that there is no legal question involved. Whatever may be attempted to work out later might be properly construed as a part of its fulfillment, but I want to say that I have no more hesitancy to vote in support of this bill, notwithstanding the Mayor's objections, than I had to vote upon two different occasions to give outside support to the Department of Public Safety to do work that was purely the function for which the department, in a large measure, had been established and maintained. And it seems to me that if the Mayor wanted to raise a question about the expenditure of public money in any extraordinary way he should have raised it with the Director of the Department of Public Safety and asked him to use his 45 or 50 detectives instead of having to go out and hire the services of a private detective agency to do the work which the city's own Safety Department should have done. If precedent is all that is being sought, it seems to me that the Department of Public Safety within a very few months has furnished two splendid examples.

And the question recurring, "Shall the resolution become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?"

The ayes and noes were taken agreeably to law, and were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey McArdle
English Winters
Herron (President),

Noes—Messrs.

Garland
Henderson

Oliver
Robertson

Ayes—5.

Noes—4.

And there not being two-thirds of the votes of Council in the affirmative, the objections of the Mayor were sustained, and the resolution failed to become a law.

Mr. Winters arose and said:

Mr. President, I just want to say at this time that some other action will have to be taken by the members of Council who voted when the young man was informed that the members of Council (I believe seven members voted for it) that they would extend to him the fullest protection to necessarily protect his interests. I for one don't propose to stultify myself and I think it is up to every other member who voted for the motion to carry out that program.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, I think Mr. Winters is mistaken when he says that a motion was adopted in the Finance Committee that Council would assist this young man in any proceedings that would be instituted against him by reason of the testimony he gave before that committee. It was the chairman of the committee who made the statement to the young man that Council would stand back of him, and I believe he only expressed that sentiment for himself. No motion of that kind was offered and adopted. This Council sitting as Finance Committee never said that it would pay this bill by motion. The Chairman made the statement, I believe; and I am not blaming him for making such a statement.

Mr. President, I don't think you will find in the records of any of those meetings that a motion was made to pay the expense of any lawsuit brought against this young man.

The Chair:

Perhaps I erred in telling the young man that we would stand back of him, and if there had been any objections to that statement they should have been made at that time.

I sympathize with what Mr. Winters said that we will stand by the boy and see that he is not unduly harmed.

Mr. English moved

That all of the statements made before the Finance Committee in connection with the Walter J. Lloyd matter, as well as the testimony taken before Alderman Howard James, be printed in the record of this meeting.

Mr. Oliver arose and said:

Mr. President, if it is permissible to speak without adhering directly to Mr.

English's motion, I would like to say that I heartily agree with what **Mr. Winters** said in regard to the support to be given this young man. If there was a vote taken in committee to support this young man, I voted for it. I think he should be supported. I am, however, forced to the conclusion that the Mayor's statement is correct and that this is not the proper way to sustain the support pledged to this young man. I will very gladly vote to support a motion if some means are devised whereby city money can be used properly for his support; and if not, I will be glad to be one to give him financial support as a purely private personal proposition.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, I am opposed to the motion because any member who desires a copy of the testimony can get it from the City Clerk. I think we are going a little too far by printing these statements. I don't think the city should be put to the expense of printing them in the Council record.

Mr. English arose and said:

Mr. President, I made that motion so that we will have a record in Council of what took place in the Finance Committee regarding the Walter J. Lloyd controversy. I appreciate that this is only the beginning.

In this connection, I want to call your attention to the fact that the hearing granted Mr. Lloyd was at Mr. **Garland's** request, and I maintain that Council has not properly investigated this matter.

I am asking that this testimony be printed in the Council record so that it may be readily referred to, and am also asking that this be done particularly for posterity.

The matter of the expense of printing these statements and the testimony in the record is ridiculous. The treasury of the city is at stake. It is our duty when the city pays out warrants to see that the money goes to the rightful parties. Mr. Lloyd under oath could not account for the disbursement of \$1,125.00 and how he arrived at that figure. He further testified under oath that he did not know whether he paid Simpson. Simpson testified before Council that he was paid on Tuesday evening, December 9, 1919, at Mr. Lloyd's office, and for making that statement Mr. Lloyd brought a charge of perjury against him. A hearing was held in the case before Alderman Howard James and Simpson was held to await the action of the Grand Jury when it was shown that only one witness appeared and testified against him, and that was Mr. Lloyd.

This is 1920. Let us start it clean.

Mr. Garland arose and said:

Mr. President, I would suggest that the gentleman present a resolution to Council in the regular way to cover the expense of printing this testimony. Such a resolution would necessarily have to go to the Finance Committee for consideration, because it would provide for the spending of city money.

The Chair:

Our record is our own record and it is up to Council to say what it wants to do with it. All in favor of the motion give their consent by saying Aye; those opposed No.

And the question recurring on the motion that all of the statements made before the Finance Committee in connection with the Walter J. Lloyd matter, as well as the testimony taken before Alderman Howard James, be printed in the record of this meeting, **Mr. English** demanded a call of the ayes and noes, and the demand having been sustained, the ayes and noes were taken, and being taken were:

Ayes—Messrs.

Dailey	Oliver
English	Robertson
Herron (President)	Winters
McArdle	

Noes—Messrs.

Garland	Henderson
Ayes—7.	
Noes—2.	

And a majority of the votes being in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

The Chair also presented

No. 4201.

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
December 31, 1919.

Hon. John S. Herron,

President of City Council,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Sir—I am a resident of 1309 Arch street, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., and during the past month or two my refrigerator as well as those of my tenants have been robbed on three different occasions by a number of small boys.

I complained to the North Side Police Station and an officer was sent to interview me at my residence. The officer came and after a short interview with him he suggested that I get in touch with Mr. Walter J. Lloyd, Police Magistrate at No. 1 Police Station. This I did, but my interview with the Magistrate was of no avail. After reciting my complaint to him he smiled in a reminiscent mood as though he was going over the preliminary train-

ing that gave him his position as police magistrate and said, "Boys will be boys, you know." "I would not consider prosecuting boys for just boyish pranks." He further said, "I will go down to Harrisburg and have a law made to suit you people," and I said "No, permit us to go over to the City-County Building and suggest to the Mayor that he appoint a man who is qualified to fill the position of a Police Magistrate."

I desire to protest against the treatment I received at the hands of this Police Magistrate. I am a taxpayer of this City and believe I should have been received by this city employee in a courteous, rather than a discourteous, manner.

After making the complaint to the Police Magistrate the boys came back on two different occasions and stole things from my refrigerator. Hoping that Council will take some action to see that taxpayers in Pittsburgh are protected, I am

Yours very truly,

MRS. CLARIBEL CARLIN FLENNER.

Which was read, and on motion of Mr. Garland, received and filed, and a copy ordered sent to the Mayor.

The Chair:

I am in receipt of a communication from the Mayor addressed to the President and members of Council in which he objects to the procedure that has taken place here for more than 20 years. It is a peculiar situation and we have had two examples of it today on bills that have been vetoed by the Mayor.

It has always been the custom for the President of Council not to sign resolutions and ordinances until after they become a law. This precedent has been carried out by my predecessors, and the President of Council does not sign a paper until final action has been taken by the Mayor. The clerk will please read the communication for the benefit of Council. As this Council is passing out today, I think the matter should be referred to the Law Department for its study and advise the Council after its re-organization on next Monday.

The Chair also presented
No. 4202.

Pittsburgh, January 2, 1920.

To the Honorable, the President and
Members of the Council of the City
of Pittsburgh:

Gentlemen—I desire to call to your attention the irregularity in the present method of transmitting ordinance to

me without the signature of the President of Council thereon. In this connection, I refer to the Act of March 19, 1872, P. L. 437, Section 2 which provides:

"Hereafter when any ordinance shall have been duly passed by Councils, it shall be signed by the President for the time being of each Council and attested by the clerks, etc."

This Act as to signature of the President is still in force, and consequently, an ordinance certified to me by the City Clerk, which does not show the signature by the President of Council, is incomplete and not ready for my action.

The procedure heretofore has been to send the ordinances to me merely with the signature of the Clerk of Council. I recommend that the practice hereafter be in strict accordance with the law.

Yours respectfully,

E. V. BABCOCK.

Mayor.

Which was read.

The Clerk at this time read Section 10 of the Charter Act, as follows:

"Section 10. Every legislative Act of the Council shall be by resolution or ordinance, and every ordinance or resolution, except as hereafter provided, shall, before it takes effect, be presented, duly engrossed and certified, to the Mayor, for his approval. The Mayor shall sign the said resolution or ordinance within ten days, if he approves it; but if he shall not approve it, he shall, within said time return it, with his objection, to Council, which shall, at its next meeting, after said return, consider it. If, upon reconsideration, council shall pass the ordinance or resolution over the veto of the Mayor, by a two-thirds vote of all the members thereof, it shall be a binding ordinance or resolution of the city. It shall become effective should the Mayor fail to sign the said ordinance or resolution, or return the same to Council, with his reasons for disapproving the same, within ten days from the time said ordinance or resolution has been delivered to him by the City Clerk. The Mayor may disapprove any item or items (or part, or parts, of the same) of any bill making appropriations and the part or parts of the bill approved shall be the law; and the part or parts disapproved shall be void, unless re-passed according to the rules and limitations prescribed above for the passage of resolutions and ordinances over the Mayor's veto."

Mr. Winters moved

That, as there seemed to be a conflict of opinion in regard to the matter, the

communication be received and filed, and the City Solicitor be requested to interpret Section 10 of the Charter Act so that his opinion will be available for the next Council which convenes on Monday, January 5, 1920.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair:

Gentlemen, as this is unfortunately the last meeting to be graced by the presence of Mr. **McArdle**, I think perhaps he might want to say a word or two.

Mr. **McArdle** arose and said:

Mr. President, I certainly had no wish to say anything, but since you have been gracious enough to call upon me, I will satisfy myself and the members by merely expressing, what I am sure all of you know, my regret at the arrival of the time when I shall no longer be a member of this Council.

I have served four years, during which time most of the present members have been members of the body with me, and for a goodly time with every member who came in at a later date. I can say during that time my association with the members has been of an exceedingly pleasant and friendly nature. When I say pleasant, I don't mean to imply, and I hope will not be taken as implying, that that pleasure has been the result of always complete agreement on my part with the views of the other members or the other members with mine. It is because that isn't so that the thing has even a larger measure of pleasure in its performance, because I am quite sure that membership in any legislative body that carried unanimity of opinion on the various subjects brought forward and discussed would grow exceedingly monotonous. And because membership and service in City Council is not monotonous I have grown to like it very well.

I have no word of regret for anything that I have contributed to the doing of City Council, except in some small way, perhaps, where I have been convinced that I would have been nearer right had I followed some other course; but I have always tried to do the things as near the way my conscience told me was right as I possibly could, and I have always been willing to concede that the same motives have actuated the other members and I leave, therefore, with quite a great deal of satisfaction because of the relation that I have held with the other members of this body.

I trust that the body will be in its relation to each individual member as pleasing a place to work in as it has been in the past.

I have always tried to appreciate the extreme, or what I regard, the extreme responsibility that rests upon a member of this body and therefore the extreme responsibility that rests upon the body itself, and I have always been glad whenever the Council insisted upon having all others regarded the important part that Council has been allowed to play in the affairs of the City, and I am pleased to be able to say at the close of my official connection that the Council has always seen fit, and properly so, to place limitations upon itself within the proper lines upon its own responsibilities and upon its rights and to place upon the other branch of government its own responsibilities and to recognize its rights.

I hope the relation that exists between the membership of the Council within the next two years will be of the same benefit as the past four years that I have been a member of it, and whoever may serve to the end of the next four years will be able to say with as much truth that after those years of service they have been years of pleasure in his relationship to his colleagues.

I hope that in the term that is about to begin your relation to each other will be as pleasant as mine have been to all of you. I want to say one word further, and that is a word of appreciation of the many, many acts of kindness and helpful opinions that have been rendered to me by all the men who have been associated with Council in the City Clerk's office and to assure them that my relation with them has carried the same degree of pleasure that my association with you gentleman has, and the best that the world can give you all is the worst that I can wish for you.

The Chair:

Mr. **McArdle**, I am sure you carry with you the best wishes of Council, and hope that you will prosper in future years.

And on motion of Mr. **Henderson**, Council adjourned.

Addenda: In accordance with the motion as offered by Mr. English and adopted at the meeting of Council, held this day, "That the statements made before the Finance Committee in connection with the Walter J. Lloyd matter, as well as the testimony taken before Alderman Howard James, be printed in the record of this meeting," the following are the statements and the testimony taken at said proceedings:

Pittsburgh, Pa.,
December 8, 1919.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

Committee met.

Present Messrs.

Dailey	Robertson
Garland	Winters
Henderson	Herron (Chairman)
McArdle	
Absent—Messrs.	
English	Oliver

The Chair:

Mr. **Oliver** is detained at his home on account of sickness in his family, and Mr. **English** has gone to Washington to represent the City at the Internal Waterways Convention.

Gentlemen, Mr. Rowan of the Pittsburgh Board of Trade has extended an invitation to all the members of Council to attend the opening of the new Club house on Tuesday evening, December 9,

Mr. Robertson:

Mr. Chairman, I move that the invitation be received, filed and accepted. Which motion prevailed.

The Chair:

I might state, gentlemen, that this meeting was arranged on motion made last week in the Finance Committee to give Mr. Lloyd an opportunity to be heard on the resolution which Mr. **McArdle** presented to us. The clerk will read the resolution and the procedure then will be along the lines that you gentlemen seem to think is applicable to this case, and the **Chair** will be open to suggestions.

The Clerk then read the following resolution.

Whereas, The Mayor's Welcome Committee presented to the Finance Committee for its approval a bill rendered by Walter J. Lloyd for services rendered by the Liberty Loan Band and the Finance Committee approved the bill and

Whereas, A warrant was issued to said Liberty Loan Band and given to said Walter J. Lloyd on August 21, 1919; and

Whereas, Said warrant was endorsed by the Liberty Loan Band, by Walter J. Lloyd, and payment received on same on August 22, 1919; and

Whereas, After a lapse of more than three months certain members of the said Liberty Loan Band have not yet received their compensation for services intended to be paid for out of said \$1,125.00; Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Controller be requested to have said Walter J. Lloyd return to the City Treasurer the sum of \$1,125.00, and file with the Controller a list of the individuals having claims as members of the Liberty Loan Band, together with a statement of the amount due each, and that the Controller then prepare the necessary vouchers for payment of same and pre-

sent same to Finance Committee for its approval.

Mr. Robertson:

Mr. Chairman, the idea was to send for Mr. Lloyd and hear what he had to say. Mr. Lloyd is here.

The Chair:

Mr. Lloyd, you heard the resolution read. Do you care to say anything concerning it?

Mr. Walter J. Lloyd:

Mr. Chairman, I offer the clerk this record.

The Chair:

The Clerk will read it.

The Clerk read the following communication:

To the President and Members of Council,

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

Gentlemen—I have read a resolution presented by Councilman P. J. **McArdle** in which he asks that the sum of \$1,125.00 paid to the Liberty Loan Band for services rendered on several occasions be returned to the City Controller because, as Mr. **McArdle** alleges, some members of that band now say they have not been paid for their services.

This resolution is prompted by malice and political animosity and a desire for sensational publicity, due to the fact that the author of it is politically dead as a result of his rejection at the hands of the people, and is willing to stoop to anything, even to the defamation of character, in a vain desire to keep himself alive.

The Liberty Loan Band was organized during the war and the members of it rendered measureless voluntary service in behalf of every worthy project that was launched to assist in the winning of the war. Because of its work it became very popular with the citizens of this city. Following the war there was a well-defined sentiment that it should be kept going for a while at least, and that it should have a part in the welcome home given our boys, because its members had worked so patriotically to sustain them while they were away. It was engaged on several occasions for this purpose and bills were rendered, as all other musical organizations were being paid and there was no reason why the members of the Liberty Loan Band should continue to serve without pay when they had already rendered so much service free of charge.

Their last engagement was on June 9. All bills were held up and none was paid until August 21, when all but two were included in a warrant for \$1,125.00 issued to the Liberty Loan Band. As the active factor in organizing this

band for the purpose of rendering free-will patriotic service, and as the one who looked after its interests, I received this warrant, deposited it and immediately started to pay out to the men to whom the money was coming. Cancelled checks in my possession will substantiate this statement and will show that practically the whole amount of it has been paid to the men who earned it.

There are but three specific cases in which there have been demands for payment on the part of the members of the band which have been refused. Two of these are men who failed to turn in their uniforms. The other is the case of a man who has pay coming for May 3, the one and only engagement still due, and which has not been paid by the City of Pittsburgh.

There has never been a demand made upon me for payment by any member of the band which has been refused, providing the said member has complied with our rules. If any men have told Mr. McArdle they have not been paid he did not take the matter up with me to ascertain the truth of their statements or to find out whether any money was due them.

The Liberty Loan Band was paid for its services on bills approved by four executive officers of the Mayor's Committee of Welcome, by the Mayor, by the Finance Committee of Council and finally by the Controller. That closed the transaction insofar as the City of Pittsburgh is concerned. If some members of the band have complained to McArdle, as he alleges, their recourse is against me and the Liberty Loan Band and not against the City of Pittsburgh. I am here and I am responsible.

The Liberty Loan Band does not intend to return this money to the City, because the City, by its proper officials, has acknowledged the debt and has paid the same. It would be absurd, when nearly all of the money has been disbursed to the members of the band to whom it was coming, to expect me or any one else acting for the band to go among the members, collect money from them which they received for services rendered and which they have probably spent, and turn it back into the City Treasury, because of the complaints of two or three disgruntled members, if there are any.

Yours very truly,
WALTER J. LLOYD.

The Chair:

The communication is before us. Mr. Lloyd are you prepared to submit the cancelled checks to the extent of the amount that has been paid members of the Liberty Loan Band?

Mr. Lloyd—Yes, sir.

Mr. McArdle—Mr. Chairman, I would like to ask Mr. Lloyd a couple of questions.

The Chair: Are there any objections? (After a pause). The Chair hears no objections.

Mr. Lloyd: I am willing to answer any questions Mr. McArdle or any other member desires to ask me.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—I would like to ask, how many members of the band are there for whom you filed a statement for pay coming to them out of this \$1,125.00 who have not been paid?

A.—I cannot tell you exactly, Mr. McArdle.

Q.—Are there more than three?

A.—I believe there are.

Q.—Are there more than 10?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—I would like to ask another question. Is it your view of this thing that it is your right to determine who should receive pay after it has been paid over to you by the City of Pittsburgh for a specific purpose—do you believe it should be left to your discretion as to who should and who should not receive pay?

A.—Certainly not.

Q.—Then, why did you raise that question in your communication, when you say you refused to pay a certain member of the band because he failed to return the uniform?

A.—I asked the man to return the uniform when he would receive his pay.

Q.—The City of Pittsburgh paid this money over to you on approval by the Committee on Finance, and I am sure that the members of that Committee did not intend that it should be paid you to be conducted and paid the members of the band as you personally saw fit?

A.—I paid every man who substantiated his claim. No one was refused. I never refused payment to any member of the band, and I desire to emphasize that fact.

Q.—It might be more emphatically said here what your course of action has been in regard to this matter?

A.—Do I have to explain to you my action?

Q.—You are not furnishing me anything. It is the Finance Committee that desires this information.

The Chair: The Council desires this information and if the information is not given us we will have to take action on the resolution without it. It was out of courtesy to you that you were asked to come here, and if you can give us the information sought the matter

drops there; but if not, the resolution if adopted will go to the City Controller and he will be compelled to carry out its provisions.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—I want to ask Mr. Lloyd whether Mr. D. D. Simpson has a claim against the Liberty Loan Band for services under this?

A.—I don't know; I cannot recall any particular name?

Q.—Has Mr. J. J. Ewing a claim?

A.—I don't know Mr. Ewing.

Q.—Has Mr. Charles Lovett a claim?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Mr. W. Knowles a claim?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Has D. S. Nycum a claim?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Has F. W. Fleer a claim?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Has W. H. Prytherch a claim?

A.—I don't know, Mr. McArdle; I don't recall his name.

Q.—Has Mr. Robert Reoach a claim?

A.—Positively not.

Q.—Mr. Elmer Zink?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Mr. Joseph Durm?

A.—I am not familiar enough with the names.

Q.—Has Mr. William Kiel a claim?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Has Mr. Lothar Salinz?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—A gentleman by the name of Anderson?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Mr. Bert Bland?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Mr. Sam Stewart?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Has William Denardo a claim?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—I would say that Mr. Denardo makes no claim. Here are some 12 or 15 names that I read, and you don't know whether they have a claim?

A.—I am not familiar enough with the men in this band.

By Mr. Garland:

Q.—How many men were in the band?

A.—One hundred and nine men. It is impossible for me to say right off the reel how many men were not paid. Any one of the men who came forward were not refused payment—none of them were.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q. Mr. Chairman, I would like to read at this time and following Mr. Lloyd's statement this letter: (I don't know the writer of the letter):

"N. S., Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Nov. 27, 1919.

Hon. P. J. McArdle,
Care City Council,
County Bldg., City.

Dear Sir—I noticed in the morning paper where charges were preferred against Magistrate W. J. Lloyd, in reference to the money he received to pay the Liberty Loan Band players. I played on two jobs with this band and wrote Mr. Lloyd several letters in regards to my money and he replied to one of my letters stating, "When you write a letter like this to me you can go to h— and do as you please."

I do not remember the exact dates I played on but it was the time the students from Pitt came home. We marched them from Union Station to Fort Pitt Hotel where they had breakfast and then marched them to the Court House. The next job was when the 13th Engineers came home. We marched them to the Fort Pitt Hotel where they had breakfast and while there we played several pieces and then disbanded. The first job lasted a little over two hours and the second one a little longer than an hour.

It is impossible for me to attend the hearing and for that reason am writing this letter.

Trusting that this meets with your approval and that immediate action is taken, I am,

Sincerely yours,
ELMER F. ZINK,
1019 Chestnut Street,
North Side, City."

Q.—Is the facts alleged in that letter true?

A.—That's the man's name. You understand these bills were held up for a long time. I never heard from Mr. Zink until after the Primary Election when he began to write me sarcastic letters, and if the members of Council, or any of you, had received such a letter you would have sent him the same kind of a letter. I want to say frankly that this man never came to see me regarding any money that was due him. If he had I would have explained to him the delay in his receiving payment for his services as the money was not given me until August 21st. He never came near me and I wanted to get some of the letters that he wrote.

Q.—He did make a request through a communication for the money that was due him?

A.—He wrote me that I was holding out his money, as far as I can recollect. However, I don't recall his letter.

Q.—You regarded it as a request for payment to him for service as a member of the Liberty Loan Band, didn't you?

A.—He had been writing me right along.

Q.—You did get a request for payment that you did not meet?

A.—I never received—

Q.—You say Robert Reoch has no claim. You say that he did not play on April 2 or April 5—

A.—I didn't say anything of the kind.

Q.—Will you please wait until I finish my question. You say he did not play on March 22nd as a member of the band, rendering service for which you collected the money?

A.—I never said anything of the kind.

Q.—Do you say it now?

A.—I don't.

Q.—What dates was he paid for?

A.—If I had my receipts and cancelled checks I could easily give you that information.

Q.—You say he has no money coming at all?

A.—No, sir; if he were here—

Q.—When did you liquidate your indebtedness?

A.—The Saturday before you presented your resolution; I am not positive of the date.

Q.—How long would it take you to find out the date?

A.—As soon as I could get my bank book balanced?

Q.—I would say that I never saw this man but once and it was after the introduction of the resolution. He made the statement that he had not been paid for his services?

A.—I would not say positively the date it was liquidated. No man came forward and made a demand that was not met.

Q.—You regard it as perfectly alright to hold out money on people that is due them?

A.—I was not holding it.

Q.—But you are holding it until they make their demands?

A.—I thought it was right.

Q.—I would not think anything of the sort?

A.—If it was wrong, it was wrong.

The Chair:

I would say that Mr. Reoch called me up time after time and said that he tried to collect this money and I said to him, "Why don't you write him a letter?" and he said he did not desire to write a letter. He had not received payment two days after the resolution was introduced in Council. He said he would come here if necessary.

(Mr. Reoch's name was called, but did not respond.)

Do you know W. W. Webster, 523 Cora street? Mr. Webster tells me that he had called on you and attempted to get in touch with you about the money

that is due him for playing with the band on March 25, April 5, 26, May 3, 6, 9 and June 9, for which he received no compensation.

By Mr. Henderson:

Q.—I would like to ask if it was a partnership or a corporation?

A.—It was neither.

Q.—It is either one or the other?

A.—It is neither.

Q.—What were you—President of it?

A.—I was president.

Q.—Did they organize it?

A.—Yes.

Q.—Elect officers?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Did they elect a president?

A.—A president and general-manager.

Q.—A secretary?

A.—Yes.

Q.—A treasurer?

A.—The band entrusted the entire business to me as president and general-manager.

Q.—Did you keep any minutes?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Did you keep a roster of the organization?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Then there is no record showing who actually comprised this partnership?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—You mentioned a minute ago that there were 109 members of this organization?

A.—I believe we had that many at one time playing on the street.

Q.—Those 109 were not supposed to turn out as an organization on every occasion?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—In other words, you did not propose to have a band of 109 members?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Are you a musician?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—You then did not play on any of these occasions?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Did you turn out on these occasions?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—In what capacity—drum major—and did you wear a uniform?

A.—Occasionally.

Q.—The men who were actually in this band came as volunteers?

A.—Not during these engagements that Mr. McArdle speaks of.

Q.—They were practically all volunteers to play if they wanted to?

A.—Yes, of course.

Q.—At the time you received this warrant from the Controller you did it as General-Manager of this organization?

A.—I did.

Q.—Following a bill rendered to the city for the service rendered by that band?

A.—Positively.

Q.—And you paid out the money to whom you thought it was justly due?

A.—To any man who came forward and could justify or substantiate his claim.

(At this time Mr. Oliver appeared and was recorded present).

By the Chair:

Q.—How would you ascertain the amount of money that was due each member of the band?

A.—When a contingent of soldiers was to be welcomed, the Mayor's Welcome Committee authorized the employment of a certain number of members of the band. The men who gave their services on each occasion were counted in order to know how much money to ask from the city. Their names were not taken; hence my reason for not knowing the names of the individuals to whom the remainder of the money is due.

Q.—Did you not take the names of the members playing?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—I don't know how the Controller could pay a warrant in such a way.

By Mr. Henderson:

The Controller paid him as General-Manager. The matter is in the hands of this partnership to deal with their duly elected president and general manager.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—How would you, Mr. Lloyd, determine whether they had established their claim or not if you had no record?

A.—I just took their word for it.

Q.—If any of the other members want to accept such a statement, I am not. I want to ask you if you did not have a record of the men who constituted this band of 109 members as to when they were wanted to fill engagements?

A.—I have. Mr. McArdle, a list of telephone numbers to call on short notice. It was frequently necessary to call these men from day to day and I kept those names. Since the band has disbanded I have not kept their names or addresses, because I did not think it was necessary.

Q.—Despite the fact that they had a claim for service rendered?

A.—If I had a claim against anybody I would go after it. If I had a claim against you I would come forward and make it.

Q.—That is another example of poor business method on your part, and you know that many of these men are working men and it is absolutely unreasonable and absurd to have these men lose a day's work to collect a half day's wages.

A.—That is a question. I am available to these men, day and night.

Q.—You were not available for this committee the other day. How then could a member of this band see you to establish his claim?

By Mr. Robertson:

Q.—How much of this money has been paid out?

A.—In the neighborhood of \$900.00.

Q.—You still then have approximately \$200.00?

A.—I would not say that is the exact amount.

By Mr. Garland:

Q.—Are you good for that money?

A.—Yes, sir.

By Mr. Henderson:

Q.—I would like to ask you, in presenting your bill to the city was that bill itemized, giving the names of the players?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—It did not specify—in what shape was it—the bill of the Liberty Loan Band for service rendered?

A.—The number of times played.

Q.—The city has no authority to ask him to return the money. It is a matter for the band through their properly constituted officers. The city paid the bill and it was rendered properly. The city has met its obligation and it has no business to go into the application of that fund.

By Mr. McArdle:

Ordinarily you would probably be right, Mr. Henderson. You understand that this bill was presented to the City of Pittsburgh or to this Mayor's Welcome Committee, and presented to the Committee on Finance and approved by the Finance Committee, and given by the City Controller's Office to a man who holds a public office in the City of Pittsburgh. Now, you may be able to satisfy your mind that this is just an ordinary business transaction that the good name of the City of Pittsburgh is not involved in it. I don't view it that way. The man who is being questioned is an office holder in the City of Pittsburgh, which in itself very gravely raises the question as to whether he had a right to be in the transaction at all and the fact that he is a member of this Mayor's Welcome Committee.

By Mr. Henderson:

It is a question to be settled in court. I don't see that the Finance Committee of Council has anything to do with it.

By Mr. Garland:

Isn't it a man's recourse against Walter J. Lloyd in an alderman's office? That resolution asks for the return of

\$1,100.00, and he has already paid out \$900.00, for which he has receipts or cancelled checks.

By Mr. McArdle:

Why, then, should we be interested in the return of the uniform?

By Mr. Garland:

We are not interested in that.

By Mr. McArdle:

This money was turned over to Mr. Lloyd because he was acting as the agent of the City of Pittsburgh and as agent for the other people. He is a magistrate in the City of Pittsburgh and was occupying a dual position in this matter.

By Mr. Henderson:

He was acting in this case purely as agent for this organization for which he was president and general-manager. By implication you can imagine that he was acting in a dual capacity, occupying the position that he does, but really in this particular case he was only acting as president and general-manager of this organization.

By Mr. McArdle:

They rendered this service and Mr. Lloyd himself set up a very good cause for the creation of the band and the justification for it being paid for the service it rendered. I know we all recognized that when we approved the bill in Finance Committee. Now, you are raising the question of the internal organization of the band.

By Mr. Lloyd:

A.—I didn't raise it.

Q.—You injected it here?

A.—I did not.

Q.—There are two refusals in this case, am I not right?

A.—There are, sir.

Q.—I don't care whether it is one or two—Whether it is a question of your refusal to pay for or failure to return the uniforms or not?

A.—There are one or two cases.

Q.—It is not a question of one or two cases where the uniforms have not been returned. The question of uniforms has nothing to do with it. The uniforms, I understand, were given to the men.

The Chair:

The subject of compensation is not for any service that was rendered previous to the signing of the armistice. Were the uniforms to be the property of the men?

A.—Positively not.

Q.—Who purchased the uniforms?

A.—A banker of Pittsburgh.

Q. He gave them to you as an individual?

A.—Yes, sir.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—Didn't the Liberty Loan Band receive payment for service rendered the Liberty Loan Committee?

A.—Yes, sir.

By Mr. Dailey:

Q.—Did you charge anything for your own services?

A.—No, sir.

The Chair:

Q.—How long would it take you, Mr. Lloyd, to have your bank book balanced showing the amount of money received from the Controller and the amount paid out by you to the various men for the service rendered?

A.—Probably a couple of days.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—Did you file with the Controller a statement as he requested?

A.—I did not.

Q.—Do you expect to.

A.—I wanted to see what develops here.

By Mr. McArdle:

Mr. Weible, did the Controller receive an answer from Mr. Lloyd as to whether he would or would not comply with the request of the Controller of the 18th day of November?

By Mr. Weible:

Not that I know of, Mr. McArdle, I never saw any written reply. Mr. Lloyd spoke to the Controller.

By Mr. McArdle:

The reason I asked that is, because the Controller informed me that he had written Mr. Lloyd under date of November 18, as follows:

"November 18, 1919.

Mr. Walter Lloyd, Magistrate,

North Side Police Station,

Pittsburgh, Pa.

My Dear Judge:

Will you kindly furnish me the names of the "singers" attached to the Liberty Band. The voucher was passed. It simply said so many "band men" and the bill attached stated Liberty Band and Singers. As I am apt to have trouble along this line, I desire to get all the information I can for my defense if need should require. The bands were authorized but not entertainers.

Respectfully,

E. S. MORROW.

City Controller.

By the Chair:

Q.—Was any part of this money given to singers or entertainers?

A.—Yes, sir.

The Chair:

It seems to me that enough has developed here at this hearing that we ought to have the names of the men paid and the amount of money paid each. The balance of the arrangements should be made to pay the men at once or the amount of money remaining in Mr. Lloyd's possession should be returned to the City Controller. The City Controller is accountable for this money. Mr. Henderson raised the question that the members of the band would necessarily have to go to court for recourse at law, yet from your statement there was not a regular band. It was made up for a specific purpose and the band is practically disbanded, and you stated to Mr. Henderson that no minutes of the organization were kept. You stated that you were manager of the band and would have some recourse at law in court. You really have no claim before the court, it seems to me, to back up your statement that you were the Manager. The easiest and nicest way out of this situation and for the men who performed the service is for you to pay them, and speaking for myself a receipted bill from those who have been paid is satisfactory to me, and if you need two days in which to get that in shape you ought to have it.

By Mr. Garland:

Q.—Do you have receipts from all the members of the band?

A.—I have the cancelled checks. In some cases the men were paid in cash.

Q.—You ought to have receipts from the men to whom you paid money for the service they rendered?

By Mr. Winters:

Q.—How many men does the amount that you have paid out represent?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—What were the amounts paid each?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Were they varying amounts?

A.—Yes, sir; averaging from \$20.00 to \$30.00 apiece.

Q.—Inasmuch as this has been going on for four months and suppose the men would never come forward personally for the money, what would you do with it.

A.—I would not know exactly. I did not give that a thought. The money is in the bank.

Q.—Did the banker that paid for the uniforms give any other money to the Liberty Loan Band, did he donate any money to it?

A.—Positively not.

Q.—Any others.

A.—He did not.

Q.—A man told me that he donated \$25.00 for this band.

A.—None that I recall, except the Bank of Pittsburgh.

Q.—This man is not connected with the Bank of Pittsburgh. He told me that he gave a donation of \$25.00 for the activities of this band.

By Mr. Henderson:

Q.—Did he say to whom he gave it?

By Mr. Winters:

He said he gave it to Mr. Lloyd.

The resolution in its present form was discussed, it being the consensus of opinion that it would have to be changed.

The Chair:

Mr. Lloyd, will you submit the data to us, showing the name of each member of the band who received payment if possible, how the money has been paid, the amount paid each and any information as to the amounts anybody received that will clear the situation. This list should contain information as to how the \$900.00 was disbursed, the names of the men who participated, the amount of time and the amount of service. It is very unsatisfactory to have four or five men who performed service for the City of Pittsburgh say that they did not receive payment for their services. When that information is received, and it is satisfactory to the Council, the resolution can be amended as Mr. Garland has suggested. Nobody expects to get back the money from any of the men who were paid for service they actually rendered.

By Mr. Winters:

When it comes to the adoption of the resolution it can be amended to suit the majority of the committee.

By Mr. McArdle:

At the time the resolution was prepared the people said they were not paid for their services.

Q.—Did I understand you right, Mr. Lloyd, that in at least one case you were holding back money because of the refusal of the individual to return a uniform which you regard as your personal property?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—And that the uniform became your personal property by gift from the Bank of Pittsburgh?

A.—Yes, sir; Mr. Dunbar of the Bank of Pittsburgh.

Q.—Then, if the statement is made that the Bank of Pittsburgh or whoever gave the uniforms was giving them to the members of the band, that is an error?

A.—Yes, sir; as far as I am concerned.

By Mr. Henderson:

Q.—Were uniforms given to the 109 men?

A.—I don't know the exact number. The original band comprised 80 or 90 men.

The Chair:

Q.—I would like to ask, whether those that were paid did they return their uniforms?

A.—The majority of them did; yes, sir.

The Chair:

Gentlemen, unless any of the members haven't anything else to ask we will postpone this meeting until such a time as is suitable to all.

Mr. Winters:

I move that we adjourn until 11:30 o'clock, Thursday, December 11, 1919.

By Mr. Oliver:

Q.—Mr. Lloyd, you rendered a bill to the City of Pittsburgh for the service certain men on certain occasions performed: (I may be going over old ground.) Do you know whether all the men who performed on those occasions knew at the time they were playing that they were to be paid?

A.—All realized they were to be paid; yes, sir.

By Mr. Garland:

Q.—When you started out?

A.—No, sir; not until after the armistice was signed.

And the question recurring on the motion of Mr. Winters, that the committee adjourn until 11:30 o'clock, Thursday morning, December 11, 1919.

The motion prevailed.

And the Committee adjourned.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

December 11, 1919.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

Committee met.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey,	McArdle,
English,	Oliver,
Garland,	Robertson
Henderson,	Winters.
Herron (President),	

The Chair:

This meeting as you all know, is a continuation of the hearing held on Monday last, and at that meeting it was understood that Mr. Walter J. Lloyd would submit a statement of the amount paid to members of the Liberty Loan Band and the balance remaining on

hand in the bank. Mr. Lloyd is present and I will ask him to submit that statement.

Mr. Walter J. Lloyd:

Mr. Chairman, I present the following letter for your files:

CHINA REFRACTORIES COMPANY.

1106 First National Bank Building.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

December 11, 1919.

To the President and Members of City Council,

Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gentlemen—I herewith submit to you the cancelled checks, and receipts of moneys, paid from the warrant of \$1,125.00, received by me on August 21st: Dean D. Simpson, August 22nd

(receipt)	\$ 14.50
M. S. Rocereto, August 23rd,	
(receipt)	341.50
H. L. Lent, August 26th,	
(receipt)	197.50
Charles Comley, September 3rd,	
(cancelled check)	12.00
W. J. Carlisle, September 3rd,	
(cancelled check)	24.50
Howard Patton, September 8th,	
(cancelled check)	262.00
A. J. Steinhardt, September 8th,	
(cancelled check)	25.50
Wm. Jones, September 15th,	
(cancelled check)	4.50
John P. Caspar, September 25th,	
(cancelled check)	4.50
W. C. Cooley, September 18th,	
(cancelled check)	7.50
Wm. DeNardo, October 8th,	
(cancelled check)	7.50
R. H. Smith, October 24th,	
(cancelled check)	30.00
Charles Mazzetti, October 24th,	
(cancelled check)	7.50
M. S. Rocereto, November 17th,	
(cancelled check)	68.00
Lawrence DeRoy, November 24th,	
(cancelled check)	4.50
Russell Mari, November 24th,	
(cancelled check)	4.50
Dom Sabetti, November 24th,	
(cancelled check)	4.50
John Mattio, November 24th,	
(cancelled check)	4.50
Michael Ruffin, November 24th,	
(cancelled check)	4.50
John Reach, November 24th,	
(cancelled check)	4.50
Jasper Astarino, November 24th,	
(cancelled check)	4.50
Charles Prizslesy, November 24th,	
(cancelled check)	4.50
Robert Reoach, date unknown	19.50

Trusting that this is satisfactory, I am,

Very truly yours,
WALTER J. LLOYD.

P.S.—Balance on hand in Third National Bank for distribution, \$62.50.
Which was read.

The Chair:

Q.—Mr. Lloyd, have you the cancelled checks?

A.—Yes, sir. (The cancelled checks were shown the members of the committee, but not filed as exhibits.)

By Mr. Dalley:

Q.—What was the date of the introduction of the resolution, Mr. Chairman?

A.—The Clerk will inform us.

The Clerk:

The resolution was introduced in the committee on November 26, 1919.

The Chair:

Q.—Mr. Lloyd, when you were here last Monday you thought you had a balance of \$225.00; have you paid any of these bills since that time?

A.—No, sir. I have any of the checks or receipts that you want.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—Robert Reoach is one of the men who complained to me that he had not received his money? What date did he receive his pay?

A.—I don't know; I have been unable to find his receipt; I have been unable to get hold of it.

Q.—I would like to ask about this item of \$262.00 given to Howard Patton. What does this \$262.00 represent—services rendered the band?

A.—It represents all the time that the singers gave. It was given to him to distribute to the singers.

By Mr. Garland:

Q.—He in turn paid the other singers?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Is that the case of Rocereto?

A.—Yes, sir.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—Can't you get a statement as to what distribution was made of this \$262.00?

A.—Yes, sir; I can. Here is the cancelled check.

(The check made out to Howard Patton was offered as an exhibit.)

Q.—Mr. Chairman, this list or letter shows the first item as being paid on the 22nd of August to Dean D. Simpson. Did you pay this with a check?

A.—No, sir; I have Mr. Simpson's receipt which is in his own handwriting.

Q.—How does it come that you did not pay him by check?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—There is a peculiar thing about that transaction, Mr. Chairman. Within a week Mr. Simpson told me that he did not receive any pay from Mr. Lloyd for

service rendered as a member of the Liberty Loan Band to the Mayor's Welcome Committee.

A.—He was either lying or did not know what he was talking about.

By Mr. Henderson:

The best evidence there is that he received his pay is the receipt.

By Mr. McArdle:

That is not the best evidence—

By Mr. Henderson:

You mean that the receipt is not the best evidence that the man did receive his money?

By Mr. McArdle:

Certainly it is; but I have here a list on which appears Mr. Simpson's name, and he furnished the gentleman who made up the list the information that this list contains and he verified it to me personally and said that he would come over here and tell it to the Council or the Committee. The gentleman who told that to me told it to me not later than last midnight that Mr. Simpson had told him that he did not receive his money since the hearing on Monday.

By Mr. Lloyd:

I have not seen the gentleman.

By Mr. Henderson:

In any court we all know that it is pretty hard to attack a written document. The best evidence before any tribunal is a written document. Did the man ever tell you that he was not paid?

By Mr. McArdle:

The gentleman or the man who said he was D. D. Simpson told me personally. I have no personal acquaintance with him.

The Chair:

Mr. Simpson is in a peculiar position now, and if there are no objections here, we will have our investigator interview Mr. Simpson.

By Mr. Garland:

Mr. Lloyd presented the written receipt of this man I don't think we ought to pursue the subject any further along that line. If there are any members of the band who have not been paid, it is his duty to pay them. I want at this time to testify to the patriotic service rendered by the members of the Liberty Loan Band; it was an inspiration to the people of Pittsburgh and helped in putting over the top the Loan Drives.

By Mr. McArdle:

I haven't any surprise to express that Mr. Garland would want to pursue the line indicated in his statement. It is quite the logical attitude for him to take.

The facts in this matter are that we are proceeding here on a resolution introduced into the body that assumed control over the disbursements of that appropriation—the Committee on Finance, and the Committee on Finance approved this bill for the payment of service rendered by the Liberty Loan Band.

By Mr. Garland:

When did the committee approve it?

By Mr. McArdle:

The bill rendered we approved. The bill was approved, and now we are making inquiry into the facts as set forth in the resolution which facts have to do with the disbursement of the money paid under that bill, and the subject is already in the Finance Committee where Council by councilmanic action placed it. I know as much about the procedure of this Council as anybody around City Hall, and an examination of this resolution will show that I make no charge against Mr. Lloyd. The preamble of the resolution is a mere statement of facts, which I think are susceptible of proof, which for the most part have been proven. The thing I am trying to bring to your attention is, that Mr. Lloyd today presents a receipt from a man whom I was told did not receive his money and that I had received this information not more than a day ago; the receipt Mr. Lloyd presents is of the same day that the warrant was cashed for this \$1,125.00. I don't know who is guilty of the misrepresentation, but I do know that somebody is guilty of it. I don't know whether one or two persons are involved in it, but I am only giving you the statement of facts as they came to me—that the man who made the original statement to me and the man who was introduced to me was that Mr. Simpson told him last night that this money had been paid since this hearing on Monday last, and told me that Mr. Simpson would not be here today. Mr. Simpson was not asked to be here by me. Mr. Simpson volunteered the statement to me that he would attend the hearing and another man said that he would be here at this hearing today.

By Mr. English:

I don't know much about this hearing, as I was in Washington on last Monday. My mind is not prejudiced for or against Mr. McArdle or Mr. Lloyd. I want to state that this committee can go into any question it cares to regarding the finances of the city, and I don't propose to prevent any man from trying to obtain information on the expenditure of city money, and if there are any objections raised at this hearing or any subsequent hearings should it be necessary to have them, I will offer a motion that will put you all on record. This money has been paid out by the City of Pittsburgh and signed for by Mr. Lloyd

as representing the Liberty Loan Band. The question is that Mr. Lloyd ought to produce a statement to this committee showing just what became of the \$1,125.00 which the city approved and paid over to him to be paid the members of this organization. He should also produce a list of the number of men in his band and who were paid and those that did not receive pay.

By Mr. Lloyd:

Mr. Lloyd is not going to produce a list of 109 men.

By Mr. English:

Mr. Chairman, I don't propose to allow this man to talk like that. If he does not know his place, we have an officer here to take care of him.

By the Chair:

There is no cause for us to get excited. If we all agree to allow every person to speak we will get along better. There is no use speaking in such a loud voice. This room is not that large.

By Mr. English:

Mr. Chairman, we have a perfect right to find out where this money goes. This is the first opportunity that I have had to look at the testimony that was offered on Monday last and I am surprised that this committee has allowed Mr. Lloyd to put in such a statement as it appears in the testimony before me. I don't propose to allow any man to scandalize a member of Council for trying to do his duty. I make a motion that we cut out the slanderous statement he makes when he accuses a member of Council of malice or political animosity for doing his duty. If I had been here I would not have allowed that statement to go unchallenged. We never have any malice or political animosity in Council only on election day when we try to get rid of a lot of political rats. And I want to say we are going to get rid of the rats and they had better awakened up to that fact; when one of them comes in here and makes such an attack on a member of this body I don't propose to stand for it.

By Mr. Lloyd:

If I were you Mr. English, I would go slow.

The Chair:

I did not notice this part of the statement when it was presented.

By Mr. Garland:

You were here when the statement was read.

The Chair:

The Chair cannot allow that. No one is privileged to attack the motive of any

person for causing an investigation to be made concerning the finances of the city. I believe if you had given this second thought, Mr. Lloyd, you would not have made it.

By Mr. English:

I move that that part of his statement be expunged from our record.

By Mr. Winters:

I move that everything in the communication of Mr. Lloyd of that character be expunged from the record.

By Mr. Garland:

I think we ought also to give some protection to citizens when they come here, Mr. Chairman. Mr. English's remarks about Mr. Lloyd when he calls him a "rat" ought to be expunged from the record.

The Chair:

Words once spoken cannot be recalled. The truth is mighty.

By Mr. Garland:

I want to say this, that I don't think it has been brought before this committee before by the men acquainted with the work done by the Liberty Loan Band. I want to say for the benefit of all present that the Liberty Loan Band did great work during the war. The band played at the Chamber of Commerce a number of times and at other patriotic affairs. The city did not pay anything for the service rendered it by this band. The man at the head of this band was out day and night making speeches and taking care of his band. I don't think he was compensated; I don't think he could be compensated for his service. Therefore some credit is due him. When the man comes in here and shows how the money was disbursed and what remains in the bank to be paid those who did not receive their pay yet, I think the matter should be dropped, and Mr. Lloyd pay the balance of the men. I think the thing is done and we should receive and file the resolution. We cannot send it to Council. It emanated in the Finance Committee where it should emanate. He only has a balance of \$50.00 or \$60.00 and he surely is good for that amount. If there is no dispute about the account, I think the matter should end. We are losing a great deal of valuable time on little things.

By Mr. McArdle:

I just want to recall that this procedure was at his suggestion—not at mine. The proposal to have Mr. Lloyd here came jointly from Mr. Garland and Mr. Henderson.

By Mr. Garland:

We admit that.

The Chair:

If you are perfectly satisfied to drop it, I am not.

By Mr. Garland:

I said he should have the hearing.

The Chair:

A hearing once granted should be permitted to go to its conclusion.

By Mr. Garland:

This proceeding constitutes persecution. Mr. Lloyd says he will pay the men who have not been paid and the papers in the case ought to be filed and the matter closed.

The Chair:

That is what you would like to do; but we are not going to do it.

By Mr. English:

I heartily endorse everything Mr. Garland says about Mr. Lloyd. I respect Mr. Lloyd and the band too, but I want to ask if he were one of those of the band and went to the Chamber of Commerce and played on occasions after the Armistice was signed whether he would not want his pay and whether he would not complain after he asked for his money and did not get it.

By Mr. Garland:

I say every man who is owed money should get it.

By Mr. English:

If you had rendered that service you would want your money.

By Mr. Garland:

Mr. Lloyd says these men will get their money.

By Mr. Henderson:

You were not here when this matter was started, Mr. English. This band was organized and represented by Mr. Lloyd as its president and general-manager, and he presented the bill to the city in his capacity as an officer of that band, and he officially goes there representing all the men to collect this money. So far as the city is concerned it is through with this transaction.

By Mr. English:

I don't agree with you. On that same basis we wouldn't have anything to do with money that we provide for city purposes.

By Mr. Henderson:

Are you bound to look into the application of these bills? Suppose you pay bills to Booth & Flinn, are you bound to see that all the laborers are paid?

By Mr. English:
Here is a peculiar transaction.

By Mr. Henderson:
It is a parallel case and the city's duty is done when it pays for the service rendered.

By Mr. English:
And you mean to say that these men are not justified in making their complaint before Council who appropriated the money and that Mr. Lloyd's action was alright? I don't propose to allow that kind of business.

By Mr. McArdle:
We ought to proceed upon a reasonable basis, and I would like to ask Mr. Henderson if he recognizes no difference in this transaction than if he would, as he would suggest in the case of Booth & Flinn, who entered into a contract with the city; in other words, the fact that Mr. Lloyd was a member of the Mayor's Welcome Committee which contracted this bill with Mr. Lloyd. Now, please get that. That this bill contracted with Mr. Lloyd was contracted by the Mayor's Welcome Committee, of which Mr. Lloyd and all the members of this Council were members and that Mr. Lloyd is a public officer of the City of Pittsburgh and whether the circumstances which are quite unusual in your judgment makes no difference in this case than the case of the carrying out the terms of a private contract, say between Booth & Flinn and the municipality.

By Mr. Henderson:
Do you mean to tell me that these receipts and cancelled checks are bogus?

By Mr. McArdle:
Yes, one of them at least.

By Mr. Henderson:
What?

By Mr. McArdle:
That will be considered later.

By Mr. English:
They could get after the bond of the City Controller.

The Chair:
When Mr. Lloyd was here the other day he was asked if he kept minutes of the meetings of the organization, and he replied that he did not.

Mr. English:
How did Mr. Lloyd know to whom to pay the money?

Mr. Lloyd:
I took the word of the men.

Mr. English:
That was poor business on your part. How did you know to ask for \$1,125.00?

Mr. Lloyd:
On each occasion that we played the city told us that we could have so many men and when those men came out to play they were checked by Mr. Livingston.

Mr. English:
Then if any man presented you with a bill for services you promised to check it up. Does one case like that exist now?

Mr. Lloyd:
Not to my knowledge. Two men were paid since this hearing.

Mr. English:
Did those men present you with bills?

Mr. Lloyd:
Two since this hearing.

Mr. English:
Do you care to give those names?

Mr. Lloyd:
Mr. Hutchinson and Mr. Crow.

By Mr. McArdle:
Q.—I asked for the receipt of Robert Reoach?

A.—I told you in the beginning that I was unable to get it.

Q.—You will recall that Mr. Reoach had not been paid prior to the presentation of this resolution and which Mr. Herron and I told the committee that Mr. Reoach had personally visited us to inform us that he had not been paid before the introduction of this resolution in the committee. Now, when the matter was before the committee the other day I read a list of names here with one or two exceptions that Mr. Lloyd did not know whether this man had claims against the Liberty Loan Bond or not. Among those names was that of Mr. Simpson, which is the very first name on the list that Mr. Lloyd claims was paid on August 22nd. He was the only one paid on the date set out, which was August 22nd, which happens to be the date he cashed the warrant.

A.—The warrant was cashed on August 21st.

Q.—The Controller informed me that it was the 22nd. At any rate there is no payment made prior to that and he was the only one paid up to that time, and for that reason I thought it should have been very easy for you to remember that. Now, when Mr. Lloyd was here on Monday, and an examination of

the record will show it, that he said there was a balance of \$225.00 in the bank.

A.—I wasn't sure about the amount; I told you that I didn't know the exact amount and I still hold to that statement.

Q.—The record is here and that record shows that at that time on Monday of this week you said there was a balance of \$225.00—

A.—Can I interrupt you a minute, Mr. McCardle—

Q.—No, sir. Mr. Lloyd alleged that something like \$900.00 was paid out and his memory was good enough to remember that far and it was good enough to remember that he had at least \$225.00, or approximately that amount, of a balance. Now, he submits a statement which shows a balance of only \$62.50 out of the \$1,125.00, and that was the subject under discussion, no other item being considered. And this statement shows that no payments were made later than November 24th, two days prior to the introduction of this resolution in this committee and no payments made subsequent to that date, except one for \$19.50, the record showing the amounts paid up to and including November 24th being \$1,040.00, and his statement to us was that he had paid out \$900.00 and had a balance of \$225.00. I bring this fact out because of the fact that I raised the question upon the information that I had received that some 14 or 18 men had claims against the band that had not been met on Monday of this week, and coupling that with the statement I made concerning the fact that Mr. J. J. Ewing had informed me within two days that he had received by special delivery a check from Mr. Lloyd covering the amount that he had claimed against him, and that Mr. Simpson had informed me that he also had since Monday received his money.

A.—I will defy you or any other man in existence to bring Mr. Ewing here or go to the Third National Bank and produce a single check that I ever paid Mr. Ewing or Mr. Simpson since Monday. I defy any man to say that Mr. Ewing has even talked to me since Monday, or Mr. Simpson either.

Q.—I am not questioning the last statement—

A.—I will defy—and I will deposit any amount that you want me to that you cannot produce or have Mr. Ewing produce any evidence that I ever sent him a check by special delivery, messenger or any other way. I have not even seen him. I have not had an agent see him for me either.

Q.—I have not alleged that he saw you or even got a check from you.

A.—I have not even mailed him a check. You can go to the Third National Bank to ascertain that from my cancelled checks.

Q.—The only thing that ought to be

susceptible to this committee, and if your statements are to be worth anything, is the variance between the statements you made here on Monday as to the state of your fund and your record as submitted here today.

A.—I made no definite statement to the committee the other day.

Q.—That is a matter of record.

By Mr. Dailey:

Q.—How many city employees played in the band?

A.—Right off the reel I cannot say.

Q.—Any of them that are on this list?

A.—I think Mr. Smith.

Q.—What department is he in?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Have all city employees been paid?

A.—I don't know whether Mr. Hutchinson is a city employee or not, and he has not been paid.

Q.—Any others that you know?

A.—None that I can recall.

Q.—Can you furnish this committee with a list of city employees that played on this band, those that were paid and those who did not receive their pay?

A.—All of those that are on this list have been paid.

Q.—What I want to find out is, how many city employees were members of this band as singers and players, get their names and bring them in here and see whether they were paid or not.

By Mr. Henderson:

What bearing has that got to do with it? They were volunteers.

By Mr. Dailey:

I understand among the singers were some city employees who were marked paid and not paid, who worked for the city. We can bring them in to find that out.

By Mr. Lloyd:

The best thing is to have Mr. Patton bring in his statement.

By Mr. Henderson:

Mr. Lloyd has answered the demands that have been made upon him. What are the next steps? Are you going to impugn his account that has been filed here, or are you going to accept it?

The Chair:

That is before the committee. I wish you gentlemen would not get into any idea that the service rendered by the Liberty Loan Band was not appreciated. They were out in our ward and they were appreciated.

By Mr. Lloyd:

You did not pay us, did you Mr. Herron?

The Chair:

No, sir; not one cent was paid to them, and any argument that we have here is for service rendered after the signing of the Armistice, and in no way does it involve the service rendered by the band previous to that time. Our action here is to see that the money for which the city appropriated goes to the men who rendered the service and that nobody goes away dissatisfied. Now, if the members of the Liberty Loan Band and the singers, Mr. McArdle has given the names, if they did not receive any compensation, or have not since been paid, will they be paid?

By Mr. Lloyd:

Yes, sir. There is a check still due me for \$90.00. I see a gentleman in the audience who played on the band and I would like to ask him a few questions. (There were no objections.)

By Mr. Lloyd:

Q.—This man's name is Steinhardt, A. J., whose name appears on the list before you, Mr. Chairman. I would like to ask Mr. Steinhardt if you were paid all your money?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Did you have any difficulty getting your money?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Do you know of anyone who had any difficulty getting theirs?

A.—No, sir. I did hear complaints, but I did not pay any attention to them.

Q.—Did I treat you fair and right?

A.—You treated me fair.

Q.—This man was in every engagement of the Liberty Loan Band?

By Mr. English:

Q.—How much was it?

By Mr. Steinhardt:

A.—I think it was \$25.50.

Q.—How many days was it for?

By Mr. Lloyd:

After the Armistice every engagement that he played.

Q.—What were the nature of the complaints that you did hear that you did not pay any attention to?

A.—Just what is up for discussion now?

Q.—Some of them that Lloyd refused to pay them?

A.—About three weeks ago I joined the union and I had an opportunity to talk with the men who played on the band and some of them said that they had heard for the first time that Judge Lloyd had the money. I don't know how that happened. At different times I had heard it at the union headquarters that the money was there. I never heard how they never got the information—those that were not paid.

Q.—How did you get the information?

A.—At the local union headquarters.

Q.—They told you that Lloyd had the money?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Are all the men union musicians?

A.—All since the third of March—a majority of them.

Q.—Did you ever hear complaints about it at the union?

A.—It was quite natural to hear complaints at the union.

Q.—When did you receive your money?

A.—I cannot recall the date; it is on the check; I believe it was the first Sunday after he lifted the voucher.

By Mr. Robertson:

Q.—How many times did you demand your money from Mr. Lloyd?

A.—Only once. I heard that he had the money and I went and got it without any question.

Q.—Did you present any bill to him before August 21st?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—You did not know that you were to get the money until Lloyd told you?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Did the fellows know that you

were to get paid? Did you play voluntarily?

A.—During the Fourth Liberty Loan Drive all of us volunteered our services.

Q.—After the Armistice was signed was there an understanding that you would be paid?

A.—Since I happened to join the union it was understood that we were to be paid.

By Mr. English:

Q.—You played for the welcome home of returning soldiers and you never presented any bills to him and you were not sure that you were to get paid?

A.—The union sees to that.

Q.—If you played for Nirella, would you present him with a bill for your service?

A.—I have not been in the game long enough. I leave it to the director who hires me.

Q.—You would not present him a bill?

A.—Not unless they would ask me. I work for Jones & Laughlin and they don't ask me for a bill every month for the service I render.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—I would like to ask whether it is true that during each engagement played some member connected with the band wrote out the names of those taking part in the engagements and handed them to you, Mr. Lloyd?

By Mr. Lloyd:

A.—They wrote them on a sheet of paper and I shoved them in my pocket.

Q.—They were a sufficient record for you to know to whom you owned money on those particular occasions?

A.—Yes, sir; if I had preserved the notes; I am sorry to say that I did not.

Mr. Winters:

I would like to ask if anyone in the audience has a grievance against Mr. Lloyd for not being paid.

The Chair:

Are there any persons in the audience who played on the Liberty Loan Band and who have not received their money?

(Five persons stepped forward and were interrogated.)

Mr. C. E. Crow said:

I presented a bill through the mail and the Judge said that he did not get it, which is likely to happen, and the other time I had an appointment with him, which was last night and I was there and he did not get there. I have a list of engagements which takes in everything.

The Chair:

Let us have the list.

Mr. Crow:

Yes, sir.
(The statement was handed in to the clerk.)

By Mr. English:

Q.—How many engagements did you participate in?

A.—Six or seven.

Mr. E. F. Zink said:

Mr. Chairman, I played on two occasions. I wrote Mr. Lloyd a letter wherein I asked him for the money and the letter I wrote him I was not sure of the date. I gave him what jobs I played.

The Chair:

Q.—Did you ever go to see him?

A.—No, sir. Some time about the 26th day of August I heard from one of Rocereto's men that he was paid. I wrote Mr. Lloyd and I may perhaps have been a little sarcastic; it may have been a little slip, and he wrote me an answer worse than the letter I wrote him. That is the only request I ever made.

By Mr. English:

Q.—What did he say?

A.—Mr. McArdle has the letter. In it he said "when you write me letters like this you can go to H—l, if you please."

Wm. Kiel:

Mr. Chairman, I never made any personal efforts to get the money.

The Chair:

Q.—You never went after it?

A.—When we played at a job we gave our name in and we were told that the check would be mailed; that was my understanding.

Q.—To whom did you give your name?

A.—To a leader in the band.

Q.—You gave it to the leader?

A.—We had different leaders.

Q.—Not the same leader at all times?

A.—No, sir.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—You are sure that you were told that when the money was available a check would be mailed you?

A.—Yes, sir, that was my understanding.

Q.—Was that the reason you did not feel it incumbent upon you to ask for the money?

A.—I didn't think it was necessary to go after the money when I was told that it would be mailed to us.

Charles Lovett:

I had two engagements. We always depend upon the secretary for our money. He claimed that he did not get it.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—Who do you mean by secretary?

A.—The secretary of the band. We always look to the secretary of the band to get our money.

L. W. Saling:

I played on seven or eight engagements and I never sent in a bill for it for the reason that I understood the money would be sent us. I played for Rocereto and I told him to leave the money at the union. I never bothered in presenting Mr. Lloyd with a bill. I never put in a bill for salary where I work and I did not think it was necessary in this case. I have not been paid up to the present time.

The Chair:

Q.—And you notified the secretary of the band?

A.—I did not notify anybody; they always had some one on the job. I took one or two lists of the men.

Q.—What would you do with them?

A.—I would give them to the Judge.

Mr. Jas. Hutchinson:

I played in all engagements and when I presented him with a bill he said he would check it up.

The Chair:

Q.—Did you go to the secretary?

A.—He generally came around.

By Mr. Winters:

Q.—When you presented Mr. Lloyd with a bill did he refuse to pay you?

A.—No, sir; he asked for the list and said he would check it up.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—Can you recall the last time you discussed the matter with Mr. Lloyd?

A.—I cannot; it was within the last two months.

By Mr. Lloyd:

You were in my office last night?

Mr. Hutchinson:

Yes, sir.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—When Mr. Lloyd said he would check it up did he say how he would check it up?

A.—He would check it up with his list.

Q.—And you understood from him that your word as to your engagements and the length of them would not be final of determining the amount that he owed you?

A.—I think he had all the dates down of the engagements and the hours.

Q.—Was it your impression that Mr. Lloyd had a record against which he would check yours to determine whether your claim was right or not?

A.—I did not put the hours in; just the engagements.

The Chair:

Did any of you men ever hear Simpson complain?

Mr. Lovett:

Yes, sir.

Mr. McArdle:

Q.—Did you ever hear him complain within the last month or so?

A.—I met Mr. Simpson on Diamond street about two months ago and he said that he would go after the money.

Q.—He lead you to believe that he had not been paid?

A.—That he had not been paid, yes, sir.

Q.—Are you sure that the date upon which you met him and he made this statement to you was later than August 22nd?

A.—I cannot say; it was some time about two months ago.

Q.—Was it later than Labor Day?

A.—I cannot say.

Q.—Was it before election day?

A.—I don't remember what day it was.

Q.—I am trying to figure out whether it was longer than two months ago? Can you recall any events in your mind which would carry you back to this time?

A.—I cannot.

Mr. Hutchinson:

Mr. Simpson told me over the 'phone (it sounded like his voice) that he received his claim in full.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—When did you receive this telephone call?

A.—Yesterday morning. He told me that he received the money, I think on the evening before, that being Tuesday evening.

By Mr. Winters:

Q.—Is it anything uncommon for you men to wait for money that is coming to you?

A.—No, sir.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—In view of the statement Mr. Lloyd submits and in view of the statements this man makes, and if we are to determine the facts we will have to do it upon the evidence in some degree and the credence that we can give to that evidence. What I want to get clear from this gentleman is the statement that Mr. Simpson or the gentleman who claimed to be Mr. Simpson had talked to him and told him at that time which was within this week that he (Mr. Simpson) had received his money and closed the incident?

A.—It was yesterday morning that he talked to me.

By Mr. Dailey:

Q.—Did he call you?

A.—He called me; yes, sir.

Q.—Prior to this, has he talked to you about this matter?

A.—No, sir; not within a month or two, probably six weeks.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—Have you had a conversation with Mr. Simpson prior to the one which you say took place yesterday morning and at a time later than August 22nd during which he said he had not been paid?

A.—It has been since August 22nd.

Q.—Ever discuss this subject with Mr. Ewing? Do you know Mr. Ewing?

A.—I know Mr. Ewing. We just see each other on the street and in passing I asked him if he got his money. Aside from that I have had no discussion with him.

By Mr. Robertson:

Q.—Mr. Lloyd, do you admit the claims of these gentlemen?

A.—Yes sir; I do now.

Mr. Winters moved

That each of the men present Mr. Lloyd with a statement of the amount due him.

Mr. Crow said that he did not know how much was due him at the time, but after figuring up his engagements, said \$31.00.

Mr. Zink—\$8.00.
Mr. Kiel—\$17.00.
Mr. Lovett—\$8.00.
Mr. Salling—\$30.00.
Mr. Hutchinson—\$32.00.

The Chair:

The Investigator will be asked to get in touch with Mr. Simpson to ascertain when he received his money.

Mr. McArdle:

Mr. Simpson ought to be subpoenaed to be here, Mr. Chairman, and I make a motion that he be summoned to appear before this committee.

Which motion prevailed.

(Messrs. Henderson and Robertson voting No.)

Mr. Winters moved

That the resolution lay on the table for the time being.

Which motion prevailed.

It was announced that Mr. D. D. Simpson was employed in the Purchasing Department of the Carnegie Steel Company, Carnegie Building.

And on motion the committee adjourned.

Pittsburgh, Pa.
December 12, 1919.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

Committee met.

Present—Messrs.

Dailey	McArdle
English	Oliver
Garland	Robertson
Henderson	Winters
Herron (Chairman)	

The Chair:

At the hearing yesterday morning, the name of Mr. Simpson was prominently mentioned and a motion was adopted that he be summoned to appear before the committee to testify to certain things which were brought out in the hearing. Mr. Simpson came here voluntarily and if there are no objections, we will hear him now. (After a pause). The Chair hears no objections. Mr. Simpson will you please tell us what you know about this matter?

Mr. English:

I would suggest that the testimony taken at the hearing yesterday morning be read for the information of Mr. Simpson so that he might know what was said concerning him.

(The testimony at the hearing held Thursday morning was read by the clerk.)

The Chair:

Proceed, Mr. Simpson.

Mr. D. D. Simpson said:

I received my money on the evening of December 9th at Mr. Lloyd's office. My case is just this: I received word from Mr. Lloyd that if I would come over on Tuesday evening of this week I would get my money. I went over to his office and after I received the money he requested that I date the receipt August 22. I hesitated about doing this, saying that I did not want to get into trouble, and he asked me to send other members to him if they had not been paid. I did not receive the money until Tuesday evening—not the date of the receipt as of August 22nd.

By Mr. Dailey:

Q.—When did you see Mr. Lloyd?

A. In the evening at his office in the North Side Police station in the rear of the building, and on leaving he asked me to send any members I knew who were not paid over to him on the following evening. I called up three or four fellows, but I don't know whether they went over or not.

By Mr. Oliver:

Q.—What is the amount of the receipt you signed for?

A.—\$14.50.

Q.—How was it paid to you?

A.—In cash.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—I want to ask Mr. Simpson whether he asked Mr. Lloyd for the payment of this bill or the amount of money due him at any time after August 22 and prior to the date on which he actually received the money?

A.—I went on my vacation about the first of September and came back about the middle of September. I had a Saturday free and I went over to see Mr. Lloyd. At that time he did not have the money and he told me to come back the following Monday, but I was too busy to run around for the money and I went over with another fellow on Sunday and at that time he did not give me the money. I mailed him a bill at one time, a carbon copy of which I may have.

Q.—Was that after these two attempts you made personally to see Mr. Lloyd?

A.—I think it was after I went over on Saturday morning.

Q.—At any event it was later than September 1.

A.—I am sure; yes, sir.

Q.—You believe you signed this as of August 22nd at Mr. Lloyd's request.

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Did Mr. Lloyd ask you to refrain from attending any hearings before Council?

A.—Well, while he did not say so openly, he suggested that I need not go, assuring me that a subpoena could not be issued for my appearance. I told him that I did not want to get into trouble, and after seeing what transpired here yesterday in the newspaper. I came here voluntarily. I might state further that when I talked to Mr. Lloyd I would not come before Council unless I was sent for. I told him that I would not go voluntarily as I was too busy.

The Chair:

Gentlemen, you have heard the testimony of Mr. Simpson, and you heard the testimony of Mr. Lloyd. It seems to me that Council cannot be too careful about the kind and caliber of men who are put in our police courts. It is evident that there is a discrepancy somewhere. The integrity of the entire city is at stake and this has gone too far, and the Mayor ought to be informed what took place here yesterday and he ought to be asked whether he approves of conduct of that kind on the part of a police magistrate. Mr. Simpson, the young man with you, does he care to say anything?

Mr. Simpson:

This is Mr. Ewing, a member of the band.

Mr. McArdle:

Mr. J. J. Ewing to whom I have referred yesterday is the gentleman with Mr. Simpson. I don't know whether Mr. Ewing desires to make a statement or not.

The Chair:

Will you please tell us what you might know.

Mr. Ewing:

I am here to answer any questions that might be asked of me?

Mr. McArdle:

I would like to ask Mr. Ewing, if you had money coming to you for service rendered as a member of the Liberty Loan Band to the Mayor's Welcome Committee?

A.—I had about \$18.50 coming to me until yesterday morning.

By Mr. English:

Q.—I think the date should be specified?

A.—Thursday morning, December 11, 1919.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—Did you receive your compensation yesterday morning?

A.—I received \$18.50 in cash yesterday morning.

Q.—Where did you receive it?

A.—At Mr. Lloyd's office.

By Mr. Dailey:

Q.—From Mr. Lloyd?

A.—Yes, sir; from him personally.

Q.—Did you tender any bill to him prior to that?

A.—How do you mean?

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—Had you been sent money in payment of your service or been sent a check?

A.—I had been sent a check by registered mail by Lloyd, but it was not from Walter Lloyd. It was for service I rendered R. B. Lloyd of Cleveland, O. It was for \$10.00 more than I had coming from Walter Lloyd. Mr. McArdle asked me if I had received a check by registered mail and I told him on Wednesday evening that I had, but it was not from Walter J. Lloyd.

By the Chair:

Q.—Did you render any service at Cleveland, Ohio?

A. Yes, sir; for R. B. Lloyd.

Q.—It has no connection with this case?

A.—No, sir.

By Mr. McArdle:

Q.—I made the statement to the committee yesterday, the substance of which was that I had been told by you on the night previous that you had received from Mr. Lloyd a check by registered mail, the check of which you endorsed over to your wife but which I did not mention at the meeting. What I am trying to do is to have you explain whether I was not correct in making that statement?

A.—You were correct in making that statement. I got the initials of Mr. Lloyd wrong. I happened to be in bed at the time the mail was opened and I endorsed the check and gave it to my wife to be cashed, as she was going out, and she cashed it. I was mistaken in informing you.

Q.—But up until that time you had not been paid by Mr. Lloyd?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—The check you received was from another party then?

A.—Yes, sir.

The Chair:

Q.—Did you talk to Mr. Lloyd?

A.—Positively on Thursday morning. I talked to him in his office in the rear of the building.

The Chair called on Mr. Simpson:

Q.—How about you Mr. Simpson?

A.—I was over to his office.

Mr. Winters: I move you that this matter—

Mr. English:

Wait a minute; I want to ask Mr. Simpson a few questions:

Q.—Were you paid on August 22nd as of the date of this receipt?

A.—No, sir; it was December 9th, Tuesday evening.

Q.—Did you sign that receipt yourself?

A.—I did sign it.

Q.—Did he say anything to you about this matter being under investigation?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Did he ask you to sign it as of that date?

A.—Yes, sir; he requested me to sign it as of that date.

Q.—Did you make any request for your money prior to this request?

A.—Three different times.

Q.—And when he paid you he requested that you get in touch with other members who were not paid and send them over to him?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Have you those names?

A.—I cannot give the names; they were all brought up here yesterday.

By Mr. Dailey:

A.—Mr. Ewing, did Lloyd ask you to stay away from the hearing?

A.—Mr. Lloyd asked me to stay away from the hearing. I signed my name to a blank receipt. My receipt was positively blank.

Q.—How much did you receive?

A.—\$18.50.

By Mr. Garland:

Q.—The receipt was blank as to amount and date?

A.—Yes, sir.

By Mr. Dailey:

Q.—Mr. Simpson, did he tell you to stay away from the hearing?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Both of you gentlemen know Magistrate Lloyd?

A.—(Simpson). I am personally acquainted with the gentleman. When I signed that receipt as of August 22nd I questioned Mr. Lloyd about it and he said it was alright as there would be no trouble about it.

Q.—Were you with anybody when you went over to see Mr. Lloyd?

A.—No, sir.

By Mr. Ewing:

I would have been at the hearing only I over-slept.

The Chair:

Are you gentlemen satisfied that your statements are true? Will you swear to them as being true?

Both answered in the affirmative, and they were sworn to by the City Clerk, E. J. Martin, after the testimony was read to them.

By Mr. Simpson:

I went over to see Mr. Lloyd and when I signed the receipt I said to him, "How about Council?" He said, "You will have to use your own judgement." I said, "Well, they might subpoena me." He said, "They could no more subpoena you than I could make you go down on your knees and scrub the floor."

The Chair:

If there is nothing further, these gentlemen will be excused; but before they go I want to thank them for coming here and giving us this information.

Mr. Simpson:

I want to thank you gentlemen on behalf of the members of the band, for if Council had not taken up this matter we might not have obtained our money.

Mr. Winters:

Mr. Chairman, I move you that the circumstances and the minutes of this entire transaction be sent to Mayor Babcock for his information and that he be requested to notify Council of his decision in the matter, and that Council finds the introduction of the resolution justifiable and the author of it be vindicated of the charges made by Magistrate Lloyd as his reason for its introduction here.

Mr. English:

I suggest the Mayor submit his findings within 48 hours.

The Chair:

If he does not act in 48 minutes after he reads this testimony then he ought to be asked to take another look at his oath of office. The integrity of the entire city is at stake in an affair like this.

And the question recurring on the adoption of the motion.

The motion prevailed.

And on motion of Mr. Dailey

The Committee adjourned.

Hearing Before Howard James, Alderman of the Twenty-sixth ward, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., Held in His Office, 2020 East Street, Friday evening, December 19, 1919.

HEARING BEFORE ALDERMAN
HOWARD JAMES,

In re:

Walter J. Lloyd

vs.

Dean D. Simpson

On the Charge of Perjury.

Hearing before Alderman Howard James, in the above-entitled case, was held in Alderman James' Office, 2020 East street, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Friday evening, December 19, 1919, at 8:00 o'clock.

E. K. Trent, Esq., attorney representing Walter J. Lloyd.

James H. Gray, Esq., attorney representing Dean D. Simpson.

Alderman James:

The hearing will now proceed. Mr. Walter J. Lloyd, will you please give me a list of your witnesses?

Mr. Walter J. Lloyd:

They are: E. J. Martin, Robert Helfrey, C. H. Cassilly and Harry W. Gordon.

Mr. Dean D. Simpson:

J. J. Ewing, W. H. Roy and R. N. Smith.

Alderman James:

All witnesses in the case will be sworn.

(The oath was administered to all the witnesses.)

Alderman James:

Mr. Simpson, we have a charge of perjury against you preferred by Walter J. Lloyd in an information made on December 16, 1919. Are you guilty of this charge, or not?

Mr. Simpson:

I am not guilty.

Mr. E. J. Martin, called as a witness, and having been sworn, testified as follows:

By Mr. Trent:

Your Honor, will you please let me see the information.

(The information was shown Mr. Trent.)

Q.—Mr. Martin, will you please testify?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—What is your full name?

A.—E. J. Martin.

Q.—What is your office?

A.—City Clerk?

Q.—Of what city?

A.—City of Pittsburgh.

Q.—How long have you occupied that office?

A.—For a number of years.

Q.—And did you occupy that office during the past two years?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—As City Clerk, did you administer an oath to Dean D. Simpson on the 9th day of December, 1919?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—And did Dean Simpson take oath to what you incorporated in your affidavit?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Have you with you a copy of that affidavit?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Produce the affidavit.

A.—Yes, sir.

(Mr. Martin produced the affidavit, which was inspected by Mr. Trent.)

Q.—Is there in this room a copy of the testimony given by Mr. Dean Simpson before the Committee on Finance at its meeting held Friday, December 12, 1919?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Produce that testimony?

A.—Yes, sir.

(The testimony was produced by Mr. Martin and marked Exhibit "A.")

Q.—Were you present at the meeting of the Committee on Finance of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh on December 12, 1919?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Do you know a man named D. D. Simpson?

A.—I know him now; yes, sir.

Q.—Is that the man there? (pointing to Simpson).

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Did D. D. Simpson testify at the meeting of Council referred to?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Were you present yourself?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—I show you Exhibit "A" in this case?

Mr. Trent:

Mark your initials on that Exhibit, Mr. James, so that there may be no dispute as to this Exhibit, also the date, if you please.

(Mr. James marked his initials and the date on the Exhibit as requested.)

Q.—Mr. Martin, state whether or not the defendant, D. D. Simpson—I withdraw that question—before the meeting of the Committee on Finance of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, held on December 12, 1919, I ask you to state whether or not D. D. Simpson was present and examined under oath?

A.—Do you mean D. D. Simpson?

Q.—Yes, sir; D. D. Simpson?

A.—He was present and was examined and swore to his testimony after his examination according to that affidavit.

Q.—I ask you whether D. D. Simpson testified as follows: "I received my money on the evening of December 9th at Mr. Lloyd's office?"

Mr. Gray:

If the Court please, I object. Mr. Martin, of course, did not take the notes of the testimony and the stenographer

who took them is the proper person to authenticate those notes and prove what he said.

Mr. Trent:

Mr. Martin can testify as to his recollection of this transaction.

The Court:

His stenographer here can testify afterwards, but we can also hear Mr. Martin on his recollection, which is competent evidence. The objection is overruled.

Mr. Trent:

We can hear Mr. Martin on his recollection, which is competent evidence.

Mr. Gray:

The best evidence is the stenographer's notes.

Mr. Trent:

That is not the best evidence. The best evidence is the recollection of witnesses. Stenographer's notes are of secondary importance as evidence and is not in the class with the recollection of witnesses.

Q.—I ask you, Mr. Martin, whether Mr. D. D. Simpson said at the meeting of the Council, "I received my money on the evening of December 9th at Mr. Lloyd's Office?"

A.—I think he said that.

Q.—Were you present at that time when Mr. Simpson testified?

A.—I was; yes, sir.

Q.—Is your testimony from your recollection of Mr. Simpson's testimony at that time?

A.—It is.

Mr. Trent:

Cross-examination.

Mr. Gray:

No cross-examination.

Walter J. Lloyd, having been sworn, testified as follows:

Mr. Trent:

Mr. Lloyd, be sworn.

The Court:

He has been sworn.

Mr. Trent:

What is your name?

A.—Walter J. Lloyd.

Q.—What office do you hold under the City of Pittsburgh?

A.—Police Magistrate.

Q.—How long have you held that office?

A.—Since January 23, 1917.

Q.—Do you know D. D. Simpson?

A.—I do.

Q.—Who is he?

A.—The gentleman standing there (pointing).

Q.—Which gentleman?

A.—Right here (pointing).

Q.—In what capacity did you come in contact with him?

A.—He played on a number of occasions with the Liberty Loan Band, of which I was head.

Q.—And did he become entitled to any wages for playing with the Liberty Loan Band?

A.—He did.

Q.—State whether or not you paid him any wages on the evening of December 9th in your office?

A.—I did not.

Q.—Where is your office?

A.—Federal and Ohio streets.

Q.—What building is that in?

A.—City Hall.

Q.—Of the old City of Allegheny?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—What office do you hold there?

A.—Police Magistrate.

Q.—Do you remember the evening of December 9, 1917?

A.—I do.

Q.—Were you in your office in the old City Hall that evening?

A.—I was.

Q.—At what time?

A.—From about ten minutes of seven until about a quarter of eight.

Q.—During that time was D. D. Simpson in your office?

A.—He was not.

Q.—Did he receive any money in your office on the evening of December 9th?

A.—He did not.

Q.—Did he receive any money from you on the evening of December 9th in your office or anywhere else?

A.—No, sir; he did not.

Mr. Trent:

Cross-examination.

Cross-examination by Mr. Gray:

Q.—Mr. Lloyd, you are a police magistrate?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—You are accustomed to administering the oath to people before you?

A.—I am.

Q.—You know what it means?

A.—I do.

Q.—You know Simpson very well, don't you?

A.—Very well.

Q.—He played in your band quite a bit?

A.—A good bit.

Q.—You are very friendly with him?

A.—Not overly friendly.

Q.—You can call him by his first name?

A.—Oh, yes.

Q.—He was in your home during the course of that band?

A.—Oh, yes.

Q.—You are as familiar with him as you are with the average man with whom you are acquainted?

A.—I am.

Q.—You could not be mistaken about meeting him at any time?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Do you know his handwriting?

A.—No, I do not.

Q.—Did you ever see him write?

A.—I cannot say that I ever have, no.

Q.—How much money was he entitled to?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Has he gotten it?

A.—He says he has and I have a receipt from him.

Q.—How much was that for?

A.—The receipt was for \$14.50, I think.

Q.—Do you know whether he has received that money or not?

A.—No, aside of that receipt I don't.

Q.—You have no recollection at all?

A.—No recollection whatsoever.

Q.—Did you not make arrangements to have him and the other boys who had not been paid to come to your office on the evening of December 9th?

A.—No, sir; Mr. Ewing called me.

The Court:

Answer that question, yes or no.

Mr. Lloyd:

No, not with Mr. Simpson.

Q.—You did with someone else?

A.—I did with Mr. Ewing.

Q.—And you were at your office on December 9th for the purpose of paying those who had not been paid?

A.—No, sir; not for that purpose.

Q.—Didn't you make that arrangement with Mr. Ewing?

A.—If I told Ewing I told him I would be there in order to meet any man who came to my office at any time.

Q.—Did you tell him Tuesday evening, December 9th?

A.—I told him that I would be in my office most every night of last week.

Q.—You were in Council on Monday, December 8th, were you not?

A.—I think that was the date.

Q.—And December 9th was Tuesday evening?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Well, was Simpson at your office on the evening of the 8th?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Or the 10th?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—When had he been at your office?

A.—He has not been at my office.

Q.—Was he ever at your office?

A.—Oh, yes; many times during the band engagements he was often there.

Q.—Where did you have your band rehearsals—at your office?

A.—Second floor, in the front part of the building.

Q.—And was he never over to see you

at any time except at the band rehearsals?

A.—That is all.

Q.—You are positive of that?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—By himself or anybody else?

A.—With anybody else or himself was he at my office except at the time the band was in existence.

Q.—Well, did you know that any of this money you received from the city was coming to him by you?

A.—Well, if he made a claim he was paid for it. Personally I had no record of it.

Q.—He was in the band—you know that?

A.—Oh, yes.

Q.—And he must have been entitled to some wages for that?

A.—Evidently if he claimed that he was.

Q.—And you reported to Council that he was paid?

A.—I presented a receipt for \$14.50 of Mr. Simpson.

Q.—You did not have that receipt on the 8th when you were before Council?

A.—No, sir; I did not.

Q.—You took that receipt in on the 11th when you took the rest of them?

A.—Yes, sir; when I took the rest of them in.

Q.—And that receipt purported to evidence that he received his money when?

A.—August 22nd.

Q.—That was the first one on the list that you paid?

A.—I don't remember.

Mr. Gray:

The stenographer will please produce the statement.

The statement was produced.

Q.—That is the statement you presented to Council?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—And in that statement you represented to them that he was paid \$14.50 on August 22nd?

A.—Just what that statement says I represented to them.

Q.—Then you did represent to Council that he was paid on August 22, did you not?

A.—I represented just what that statement says.

Q.—Do you remember the day of August 22nd?

A.—I don't.

Q.—Do you remember anything about his coming to you on that day?

A.—I don't.

Q.—You don't remember whether he was to you on that day?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Do you remember whether he saw you on that day?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Do you remember him giving you that receipt?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Or the circumstances?

A.—I didn't know that I had the receipt until I dug it out of my files.

Q.—You don't recall a thing about it?

A.—I don't recollect a thing about it, excepting that it was there.

Q.—When you were in Council on the 8th of December you said that you did not know whether Simpson had a claim or not?

A.—I did say that.

Q.—Was that true?

A.—Yes, sir, positively; it was to my knowledge of it.

Q.—Hadh't you received a bill from this young man for his wages?

A.—I did not; not to my knowledge.

Q.—Didn't you talk with him on the telephone on or about the 7th, 8th or 9th of December?

A.—He called my home on Saturday a week ago—last Saturday.

Q.—That would be the sixth?

A.—I didn't know. I didn't remember the day. He called my home, and talked first to my mother-in-law. Afterwards he called again and I happened to be home and he talked to me.

Q.—He asked you for his money?

A.—No, sir; he did not.

Q.—What did he say?

A.—He said he called me up to assure me he had no hand in anything that was going on. I said, "Dean if you have it is up to you entirely. There is nothing I fear of care for you to conceal. You do exactly as your own judgment dictates." He said back, "I just wanted to assure you that I am positively doing nothing." He also told the same thing to my mother-in-law.

Q.—And he said nothing about coming over to your office to see you?

A.—He did not say anything. I said, "You have not been around to see me, Dean." He said "No." I said, "Your money is here if you have a claim. I didn't remember whether he was paid.

Q.—You had no recollection of it?

A.—Absolutely none.

Q.—Didn't you have any recollection of the people that you paid or records of it?

A.—I had these receipts and cancelled checks which I began digging up.

Q.—In that receipt book from which these receipts were taken, did you keep a stub?

A.—I don't know that I took them from any receipt book.

Q.—Did you keep a stub of the receipt?

A.—I didn't keep a stub.

Q.—Where did you find this receipt?

A.—I believe I found that in my safe drawer at my office.

Q.—Between the 8th and 11th of December?

A.—I don't remember exactly what day. I believe I found it the day before I presented it to Council.

Q.—That is, the first day after you

had been in Council on the Monday?

A.—Yes, sir; after the first day I was in.

Q.—You had not then any recollection that you had paid this young man?

A.—None, nor now.

Q.—And none now?

A.—Positively none.

Q.—Do you know whether you paid him or not?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Do you know that that receipt is his receipt?

A.—I don't know.

Mr. Trent:

You saw him sign his name to it, didn't you?

Mr. Lloyd:

I cannot remember whether he signed it or not.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—Then you don't know whether it is his handwriting or not?

A.—Only that his name is signed to it.

Q.—You recall in Council you said that you had his receipt in his own handwriting?

A.—I said it belonged to him and I believe that right now.

Q.—And you said a minute ago that you did not know?

A.—I am under oath. I cannot swear positively.

By Mr. Trent:

It is his handwriting?

Mr. Lloyd:

As far as I know it is his handwriting.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—How do you make out that it is his handwriting?

A.—I have no means of knowing it is his handwriting.

Q.—You have no knowledge that it is his receipt in his handwriting?

A.—Positively none, excepting that his name is signed to it.

Q.—Is it only because you found a receipt in your safe with the name Simpson on it that you say he got his money and you reported to Council that he got his money?

A.—Yes, sir; positively.

Q.—If I say now that he did not receive his money, would you say he received it?

Mr. Trent:

I object to that question as being incompetent and immaterial. It is just a conclusion that the questioner seems to draw. It has no bearing and throws no light on this case before your honor. I object to that question.

The Court:

I sustain the objection. Go ahead.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—Did Mr. Simpson come to see you at the North Side Police station with Mr. Smith another member of your band on Sunday morning, October 12th, 1919?

A.—I don't remember.

Q.—To demand their money for wages as services for the Liberty Loan Band?

A.—Indeed, I could not tell you. I would not say whether he did or not. I don't recall.

Q.—You will not say whether he did or not?

A.—I don't recall.

Q.—You don't recall it?

A.—I don't recall it; no, sir.

Q.—Did Mr. Simpson go over to see you about the 13th of September?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—To demand his money?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—You say he didn't?

A.—I don't know. You set a date. I don't know

Q.—Any time in the fall?

A.—Not to my recollection.

Q.—I believe you said he had not been over there except at rehearsals?

A.—As far as I can recall; yes, sir.

Q.—Where do you live Mr. Lloyd?

A.—4738 Maripoe street.

Q.—Where did you go from to your office on the evening of December 9th?

A.—What?

Q.—Where did you go from on the evening of December 9th?

A.—From Hammell's restaurant.

Q.—Over to the North Side Station?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Where is your office in the station?

A.—On the second floor, rear.

Q.—You particularly remember the date, December 9th, Tuesday?

A.—Positively.

Q.—How do you come to remember that circumstance?

A.—Well, I received a letter from Mr. H. L. Smith, of East Liverpool, who is head of the Smith-Taylor Potteries, saying that he would arrive in Pittsburgh from Cleveland anywhere from 10:30 to 11 o'clock and asked me to meet him in his room at the Colonial Annex. That is the reason.

Q.—And you are sure that the evening you speak of was not some other evening?

A.—December the 9th. It was Tuesday evening, December the 9th.

Q.—It was the second evening after your first appearance in Council?

A.—It was Tuesday evening, December 9th.

Q.—Was that the second evening after you were in Council?

A.—It was Tuesday evening, December 9th.

Mr. Trent:

I object to this repetition of questions. He has answered that. You have no right to ask witnesses several times the same question.

The Court:

I sustain the objection.

Mr. Gray:

If the court please, I think I have a right to make the Magistrate identify the happenings of this evening with relation to the councilmanic meeting. That is all I am trying to get at. A man might be mistaken about the time. I want to know if it was the second evening after he was in Council. He tried to identify the date as far as possible by stating that he was to meet a man from East Liverpool, Ohio.

Mr. Trent:

He said he was in Council on December 8th.

Mr. Gray:

I am trying to find out whether it was the second evening after he was in Council. It has a significance to me and I am trying to ascertain that. I have a definite object in view. There is no reason why he cannot say whether it was or not. He knows it was the 8th of December when he was in Council, That was Monday.

A.—It was December the 8th that I was in Council. Why do you say December the 8th?

Q.—Were you in Council the day before this evening that you are speaking of?

A.—I was there in Council on Monday, the 8th.

Mr. Trent:

He was in Council on Monday. That answers your question.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—Alright, that is what I want to know. That is the second evening then. Who was about your office that evening?

A.—Mr. Helfrey and Mr. Cassilly, these two gentlemen (indicating).

Q.—Did they spend that time from a quarter of seven until 7:40 with you there?

Mr. Trent:

You ask them that question.

A.—Yes, they did.

Q.—They were there all evening with you?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—And Simpson was not there?

A.—Positively he was not in my office Tuesday evening, December 9th.

Q.—Did you tell Simpson that when he talked to you on the telephone to arrange to send the boys in to see you?

A.—Saturday evening when he telephoned me I told Mr. Simpson I would be in my office almost every night and they were welcome to come over any time.

Q.—Did you ask him to arrange with the men? Did you tell him if he saw any of the boys to tell them to come over that their money was there?

A.—I told Mr. Simpson that I would be in my office most every night.

Q.—Did you tell him to ask the boys to come over?

A.—I told him if he saw any of the boys to ask them to come over. That goes yet.

Q.—And you did ask him to send some of the boys over?

A.—Yes, sir; there is a lot of them yet that have not come. I wish they would come.

Q.—Was Ewing over to see you between the 8th and 11th?

Mr. Trent:

I object, because it is immaterial and irrelevant. We are trying this man, Simpson, not Ewing. We will come to him later. I object to that. We are trying Brother Simpson.

Mr. Gray:

If the court please, I want to find out from the Magistrate whether he made any arrangements with Ewing to get Simpson over there on this evening. I think that is a competent question to ask the witness.

Mr. Trent:

We will get to Ewing later. When we get to Ewing we will make it hot for him.

Mr. Gray:

I am glad to hear you tell of these things, Mr. Trent.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—Did you, Mr. Lloyd, on the evening of December 5th after leaving the Bank of Pittsburgh with Ewing ask him to send the boys who had not received their money over to you for a little meeting on December 9th?

A.—I cannot answer that question, yes or no.

The Court:

Answer yes or no.

Mr. Lloyd:

I could not answer that question yes or no.

Mr. Trent:

There is no testimony produced here

that he left the Bank of Pittsburgh.

The Court:

Did you leave the Bank of Pittsburgh?

Mr. Lloyd:

Yes, I did.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—And you had a talk with Ewing about this matter that was up in Council and the boys who had not been paid?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—And did you not make arrangements with him to round up the fellows who had not been paid to come over on the evening of the 9th?

The Court:

He can answer that yes or no.

Mr. Lloyd:

I cannot answer yes or no. I got to explain.

Mr. Trent:

There is nothing in the Ewing case. The Ewing case is coming again.

The Court:

You can answer that question yes or no.

Mr. Lloyd:

I cannot answer yes or no.

Mr. Trent:

It has nothing to do with this case. It is a different case entirely. We are trying Simpson.

Mr. Gray:

Stenographer, read the question. The question was read.

Mr. Trent:

I object. It is irrelevant.

Mr. Gray:

Nevertheless, it is relevant, if the court please. If the Magistrate made those arrangements through Ewing to get those boys over on the evening of the 9th it is perfectly relevant to this inquiry.

The Court:

The better way to settle that is. I cannot ask your question for you, but did you make arrangements with Ewing as stated?

Mr. Gray:

Go ahead and answer him.

Mr. Trent:

It is objected to as irrelevant. In-

competent and having to do with another prosecution pending before your honor. We have nothing to do with Ewing, but we will have before we get through.

The Court:

Put your question to Brother Lloyd. Cut that question out altogether.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—You said, Lloyd, that you talked about the matter with Ewing, leaving the bank on Fourth avenue on the evening of the 5th?

A.—I talked to Ewing, yes.

Q.—You talked to him about the men who had not been paid?

A.—Mr. Ewing talked to me and I told him exactly that the money was there for any of the boys to be paid any time they came after it and I said I would appreciate it if he saw any of them who did not have their money to send them over.

Q.—And did you particularly mention to get them over on the evening of that week?

A.—Positively not.

Q.—Did he mention that to you?

A.—Positively not.

Q.—You were looking for them on that evening?

A.—Positively not.

Q.—Didn't you go to your office for that purpose on that evening?

A.—Positively not.

Q.—You deny that you saw Simpson on that evening?

Mr. Trent:

Get down to what evening.

Q.—Tuesday evening?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Didn't he meet you at the door of the North Side Police Station as you came in that evening and go to your office?

A.—Positively not.

Q.—And didn't you give him three \$5.00 bills and he gave you back 50 cents change?

A.—No, sir.

Mr. Trent:

Did you see him there at all?

Mr. Lloyd:

No, sir.

Q.—Did you ask him to go over to the drugstore?

A.—No, sir.

Mr. Trent:

He said he did not see him at all.

Q.—Did you give him any money at all?

A.—I didn't see him at all Tuesday evening, December 9th, any time, any place, anywhere.

Q.—Did he go to the drugstore for

cigars for you?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Did he go to the drugstore for you at any time?

A.—No, sir.

Mr. Gray:

He is a very fine fellow?

Mr. Trent:

He must be.

Mr. Gray:

We are going to show that he is.

Mr. Trent:

Yes, and we will show that he ain't.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—You don't maintain that you paid this boy his money on August 22nd, Mr. Lloyd?

A.—I don't maintain anything; only what that receipt shows.

Q.—You know him very well. You could not be mistaken?

A.—I know him very well.

Q.—You have not the slightest idea whether you paid him or not?

A.—No, sir; I would not know unless the receipt was there.

Q.—You don't know whether you paid any of these men on this list?

Mr. Trent:

I object to that as being irrelevant, immaterial and incompetent.

The Court:

He said that he did not pay Simpson only what the receipt shows.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—Mr. Lloyd, you got this warrant from the Controller on August 21st?

A.—I think it was the date.

Q.—And you deposited or cashed it at the Third National Bank?

A.—I deposited it.

Q.—You deposited it to your own private account?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Mixed it up with your own funds?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—You did not keep an account as trustee, manager or secretary of some organization?

A.—I put it in my own private account.

Q.—Of course, you recall that incident?

Mr. Trent:

What incident?

Q.—The deposit of this warrant, you recall that?

A.—I don't recall it, excepting my bank book shows it was deposited.

Q.—You don't remember an item of \$1,125.00 you got from the City Controller?

A.—My bank book shows it was deposited on that day.

Q.—That is all you recall of it?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—This receipt is dated the next day after you got that money?

A.—I know only what the receipt shows.

Mr. Trent:

Produce the receipt.

Q.—According to this statement Simpson was the first man you paid?

Mr. Trent:

That is objected to as being immaterial. It does not matter who was paid first.

Q.—Isn't that so?

Mr. Trent:

You don't need to answer that.

Mr. Gray:

I am trying to find out whether he paid him or not.

The Court:

He said, "I don't know whether he paid him or not."

Mr. Gray:

Q.—If this receipt is correct, he is the first man that was paid?

Mr. Trent:

Why don't you produce Simpson's receipt?

Mr. Gray:

Here is Simpson's receipt.

Mr. Trent:

Here is your own client's statement for it. I presume it is correct.

Mr. Gray:

Yes, you presume a lot.

Q.—Take a look at that?

The Court:

Do you want to look at it?

Mr. Trent:

What they want to show is Simpson's receipt. That is cross-examination.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—If you got this money on the 21st, and you say you did, and you paid Simpson on the 22nd—

A.—Don't that statement tell you what was done?

Q.—and you paid him on the 22nd?

A.—That statement shows what was done.

Q.—Is it possible that you cannot recall the day after you got this warrant?

A.—I don't remember the date I got the warrant. Why should I remember what took place the day after. My receipt is there.

Q.—Are you accustomed to depositing large sums without recalling the incident a few months later?

Mr. Trent:

I object to that as being incompetent, irrelevant and immaterial.

Q.—You want us to believe that you don't recall this money was given you and deposited?

A.—That is my statement and that is all I know of.

Q.—You don't know anything about these payments at all.

Mr. Trent:

You don't need to argue with this guy at all. (addressing Lloyd). You don't know anything about that at all?

Mr. Lloyd:

I have receipts and cancelled checks to show for every one of them.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—You don't know when you got this one or when you gave it?

A.—Only what it shows there.

Mr. Gray:

This is all.

Robert Helfrey, called as a witness for the prosecutor, and having been sworn, testified as follows on examination by Mr. Trent:

Q.—What is your name?

A.—Robert Helfrey.

Q.—Where do you live?

A.—1655 Perrysville avenue.

Q.—Do you know Walter J. Lloyd.

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Do you remember the night of December 9, 1919?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Where were you on that night?

A.—At the North Side City hall. It was the first day I was out for two weeks because I was sick. It was the first day I went to work and the first night I was downtown for two weeks.

Q.—How long ago was that?

A.—A week ago last Tuesday night.

Q.—And what day did you leave your house after your sickness?

A.—That was the first day.

Q.—What day?

A.—Tuesday morning, December 9th.

Q.—How do you happen to remember it was Tuesday a week ago that you got over being sick?

A.—Because it was the last Tuesday, and the Tuesday before that.

Q.—And where did you go on that evening?

A.—I went down to the city hall and was setting there when I met Mr. Lloyd.

Q.—What time was that?

A.—I judge between the hour and 10 minutes to 7.

Q.—And where was you sitting and where did Lloyd go?

A.—I was sitting in the hall, in City Hall.

Q.—What time?

A.—I got there I judge—it just struck quarter of 7 by the clock at Carnegie Library and I was there a short time when Mr. Lloyd came in.

Q.—How many minutes?

A.—About five minutes.

Q.—What did you do when the Judge came in?

A.—When the Judge came in Mr. Cassilly was with him, and the Judge said, "Come on up, Bob" and we went up to his office on the second floor.

Q.—Where is his office.

A.—Second floor, City Hall, North Side.

Q.—How long were you there?

A.—I was there until the clock struck quarter of eight.

Q.—What clock?

A.—Carnegie Library clock.

Q.—During that time was this man, Dean Simpson, sitting behind his honor with a green muffler around his neck—was he there?

A.—Nobody was in that office outside of us.

Q.—Did you see Dean Simpson there?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—At a quarter of eight what happened about the Judge?

A.—He said he was going to the Academy and see the boxing bouts and asked both of us to go along.

Q.—Did either of you go?

A.—Being sick and it being my first night out I said I would not go. I went home.

Q.—Did you accompany him out of the building?

A.—We walked down to the pavement and the judge got in his car and said "Good night" and away he went.

Q.—Where did you see the last of the judge's car?

A.—I saw it going down the street.

Q.—Did you see it beyond Boogs & Buhl's?

A.—No, sir; I didn't see him that far; I just watched the car go away.

Q.—Did you see Dean Simpson there at any time?

A.—No, sir; I never saw him.

Q.—Were you in his office from quarter of seven to quarter of eight?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Wasn't D. Simpson there at that time?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—You recognize the gentleman, Dean Simpson?

A.—Only when you pointed him out to me.

Q.—You never saw him before?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—That is all.

Cross-examination by Mr. Gray:

Q.—What is your name? I didn't get it?

A.—Robert Helfrey.

Q.—Where do you live?

A.—1655 Perrysville avenue.

Q.—What is your position?

A.—Watchman?

Q.—Where?

A.—City of Pittsburgh, North Side Market.

Q.—Were you off duty during this sick spell?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—And does the record show you were away during that time?

A.—They got a doctor's certificate.

Q.—What days were you away?

A.—I took sick Tuesday night before Thanksgiving.

Q.—Can you tell us what date that was?

A.—No, I cannot.

Q.—Does anybody know what day Thanksgiving was on?

(He was given the information that it was Thursday, November 27, 1919.)

Q.—And it was the Tuesday before Thanksgiving you took sick?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—How long were you sick?

A.—I was sick up until the following Sunday when the doctor was up to see me.

Q.—And you said before that you were sick until December 9th?

A.—I said I didn't go to work until Tuesday morning, December 9th.

Q.—You said that was the first day you were out?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Then you were home from the Tuesday before Thanksgiving until Tuesday, December 9th?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Do you know Magistrate Lloyd pretty well?

A.—I have known him for two years.

Q.—Do you spend your evenings over there much?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Do you go there in the evenings?

A.—I generally loaf around the city hall.

Q.—Around the city hall?

A.—Around the city hall; yes, sir.

Q.—How do you know it was not Monday evening, or some other evening?

A.—It was Tuesday evening, December 9th. It was my first evening out. It was my first day out to work.

Q.—And that is the way you mark your presence in this place?

A.—That is how I mark the evening, Tuesday, December 9th.

Q.—Who else did you see in this station that night?

A.—I was talking to the Desk Sergeant.

Q.—Who is he?

A.—Harry Roseberg.

Q.—Anybody else?

A.—Clarence Hutchinson, the cell sergeant.

Q.—Any one else?

A.—I don't recall.

Q.—There are plenty of people around there?

A.—There is a lot of officers there and I cannot recall who were all there. There were plenty of them going in and going out.

Q.—Do you wear a uniform as an employee of the City of Pittsburgh?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—What kind of clothes did you have on that night?

A.—The same as I have on now.

Q.—What kind of a hat?

A.—There it is right there.

Q.—Same one?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Same overcoat?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Did you have that button on?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—How do you fix the time that you were there in that office?

A.—That evening?

Q.—Yes, sir.

A.—I just got off the car when the clock on the Carnegie Library struck quarter of seven.

Q.—And you went away quarter of eight?

A.—We were sitting in the office when it struck quarter to eight and the judge pulled out his watch and left the office and said he was going to the Academy.

Q.—And there is no reason why the judge had not been back?

A.—No, sir; I left at quarter of eight.

Q.—Did this gentleman go away then (pointing)?

A.—Yes, sir; Mr. Cassilly.

Q.—You account for from quarter of seven to quarter of eight and no other time?

A.—No other time.

Q.—And it was not Monday or Wednesday?

A.—I am talking about December 9th, Tuesday evening.

Q.—With whom have you talked to about this case?

A.—Absolutely nobody.

Q.—When did you confer with Magistrate Lloyd about it?

A.—He told me the other day that he had me as a witness out at Alderman James' office.

Q.—Did you discuss with him this case?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—You came at his suggestion?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Did you follow these proceedings in Council?

A.—Well, I read the papers. Any man who reads the paper can read.

Mr. Walter J. Lloyd recalled by Mr. Trent, and examined as follows:

By Mr. Trent:

Q.—Mr. Lloyd, I want to ask you one more question. What time did you leave your office at the North Side Police Station on the evening of Tuesday, December 9, 1919?

A.—At about a quarter of eight.

Q.—Was you back in your office on that evening?

A.—No, sir.

No cross-examination.

C. H. Cassilly, called as a witness for the prosecution, having been sworn, testified as follows, on examination by Mr. Trent:

Q.—Where do you live?

A.—1115 Pennsylvania avenue.

Q.—Do you know the prosecutor here, his honor, Walter Lloyd?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—How long have you known him?

A.—Probably two years.

Q.—Did you see him the evening of Tuesday, December 9th?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Tuesday, a week?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Where did you see him?

A.—Getting out of his machine in front of the city hall.

Q.—Where were you—did you join him?

A.—In front of the Carnegie Library. I hollered and went across and spoke to him, and he asked me to his office.

Q.—Did he ask you up with Mr. Helfrey, the last witness who testified here.

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—What time was it?

A.—About 10 minutes of 7.

Q.—Did you look at the clock?

A.—No, sir; I had a transfer.

Q.—What happened?

A.—Well, we walked in and we saw Helfrey and the judge asked us in and we went upstairs. We sat there and talked in general until a quarter of eight. The judge said he was going to the Academy to see the boxing bouts and asked us to go along. Neither of us went along. We went downstairs and he got in his car and drove away and Helfrey got his car and I took a Bellevue car.

Q.—Look on the defendant in this case, Mr. Dean Simpson, who is sitting there with the green muffler around his neck, and I will ask you whether you saw him in Judge Lloyd's office that night?

A.—No, sir; I did not.
 Q.—Did you ever see him?
 A.—No, sir; that I know of.
 Q.—Did you see Judge Lloyd go down the street that night?
 A.—I saw him get in his machine and go away.
 Q.—How far had it gone when you last saw it? Was it beyond Ohio and Federal streets?
 A.—Going down Federal street?
 Q.—Yes, sir?
 A.—I didn't pay any attention when the car pulled away.
 Q.—Was Mr. Simpson in the office of Judge Lloyd during the time you were there?
 A.—No, sir; not while I was there.

Cross-examination by Mr. Gray:

Q.—Did you say you lived at 1115 Pennsylvania avenue; that's lower North Side, isn't it?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—What is your business?
 A.—Clerk in the Bureau of Light.
 Q.—Where is your office located?
 A.—On Brockett street, North Side.
 Q.—That is some sub-station?
 A.—That is the distributing station. It used to be the old North Side plant.
 Q.—How long before December 9th were you in Magistrate Lloyd's office.
 A.—How long before?
 Q.—When were you there that night?
 A.—I have been there a hundred times.
 Q.—You are a friend of his, aren't you?
 A.—In a friendly way, yes.
 Q.—Do you always spend your evenings around the North Side City Hall?
 A.—Not as a rule I don't spend my evenings around the North Side City Hall, but I have had occasion to go up Federal street.
 Q.—You drop in there frequently?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—And you spend your time in his office?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—You and he are friendly enough to do that?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—May be I didn't pay any attention to what you said, but I didn't happen to get just how you happened to be there at that time?
 A.—That is a transfer point where I get my car.
 Q.—And you went over because you saw the magistrate get out of his car?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—You have been following these proceedings in Council?
 A.—Only what I saw in the paper.
 Q.—Do you recall that this evening we speak of was the day after the hearing in Council?
 A.—Yes, it was the next day after Monday.
 Q.—It was the next day after the magistrate was in Council?

A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—You don't know where he went or whether he came back or not?
 A.—He said he was going to the Academy and see the boxing bouts.
 Q.—Did you go home when you left there?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—Are you a married man and have you a family?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—Does your family live there?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—What time did you go home?
 A.—About a quarter or 20 minutes after eight.
 Q.—You don't know this boy at all?
 A.—I never saw him.

Mr. Trent:

Who do you mean by this boy? You are pointing around here.

Mr. Gray:

I am pointing to Simpson.

Mr. Cassilly:

I don't know him.

Mr. Trent:

You are the only boy here.

Mr. Trent:

Q.—Mr. Cassilly, I ask you whether you saw Simpson around the North Side City Hall or the office of Magistrate Lloyd on the evening of December 9, 1919?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Did you see him before tonight?

A.—No, sir.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—He might have been there for all you know?

A.—Yes, sir.

Mr. Trent:

You cannot answer questions like that. We ask that this defendant be held for court to answer on the charge of perjury.

D. D. Simpson, having been sworn, testified as follows on examination by

Mr. Gray:

Q.—Where do you live, Mr. Simpson?

A.—Mt. Washington, 112 Kathleen street.

Q.—Where do you work?

A.—Carnegie Steel Company, Purchasing Department.

Q.—How long have you worked there?

A.—Almost four years—four years last part of January.

Q.—Were you a member of the Liberty Loan Band?

A.—I was.

Q.—You know Walter Lloyd?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—He was the leader of that band?
A.—Manager.

Q.—And you met him frequently in the course of your work for it?

A.—Yes, sir; very often.

Q.—How long did you serve in that organization?

A.—Through the four Liberty Loan drives and on four occasions of home-coming celebrations.

Q.—In the Liberty Loan drives you worked for nothing, I believe?

A.—Absolutely.

Q.—And for the four home-coming engagements you were to be paid?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—How much was due you for that service—the four times you were to be paid?

A.—\$14.50.

Q.—By the way, where did this band practice?

A.—In the North Side Police Station in the large rooms in the front.

Q.—Were you over there frequently?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—You know where Magistrate Lloyd's office is?

A.—In the rear of the building.

Q.—You and he were on friendly terms?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—You had been to his house?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—And he called you by your first name?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—You never had any differences with him at all at any time?

A.—None at all.

Q.—Mr. Simpson, did you get the \$14.50 that was due you for service in this band?

A.—I did.

Q.—Did you get that money on or about the 22nd of August, 1919?

A.—I did not.

Q.—Did you make any efforts to collect that from Mr. Lloyd?

A.—Three attempts I made to collect it.

Q.—Were you ever over to the North Side Police Station to see the Magistrate other than at the times you went there for rehearsals?

A.—I went over on the Saturday morning about the middle of September to collect my money.

Q.—How can you fix the time?

A.—I recall the day very well because I had gone on my vacation and was due back to work on Monday. I returned to the city on the Friday before and had Saturday at my leisure. Having this time I thought it would be a good opportunity to go over and call on him for my money.

Q.—Did you go?

A.—I did.

Q.—Did you see the Magistrate over there?

A.—Yes, upstairs. He just stuck his head outside the door.

Q.—Did you have any conversation with him?

A.—I told him I came over to see if I could get my money. He told me that he did not have all the money yet; to come back some other time.

Q.—Were you over there any other time?

A.—I went over there some time later—two or three weeks later.

Q.—What date was it?

A.—I don't know what the date was—I think it was on Sunday, October 12.

Q.—Have you any way of fixing the day?

I had a record of it in a memorandum book and it was recalled by a gentleman who remembered that day.

Q.—Have you got your memorandum book?

A.—Yes, sir; I have.

Q.—Will you refer to it? Does the memorandum book contain a note that you were over there?

A.—I have written, "Called on Lloyd."

Q.—And did you see Lloyd on that day?

A.—I did.

Q.—Did you have any conversation with him?

A.—He came in very hurriedly and said, "Good morning." We were there before he got there and he went in and did his work and we waited for him.

Q.—Was some one with you?

A.—Mr. R. N. Smith. He is standing back there.

Mr. Trent:

You mean the man standing in the corner (pointing)?

Mr. Simpson:

Yes, sir.

Q.—Was he a member of the band, too?

A.—Yes, sir; he was a member of the band.

Q.—And he accompanied you that morning?

A.—He did.

Q.—For what purpose—to collect your money?

A.—Yes, sir; to collect our money.

Q.—What did you say to Mr. Lloyd?

A.—We waited until he finished his cases and came out and he started to pass us up. I asked about our money and he said he was too busy to see us at that time. He said to come back some other time. I asked him what time and he said almost any time.

Q.—That was Sunday, October 12th?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Did you make any further efforts to get your money?

A.—I mailed him a bill and marked it personal on the outside. I don't recall or have any record of the date.

Q.—Did you make any other effort later than that to collect your money from him?

A.—I did on the evening I received it.

Q.—Well, did you have any conversation with him or communicate with him before that evening?

A.—I got word indirectly that he was to be in his office and I called him up to make sure because I did not want to make a trip over there and not find him there.

Q.—What time did you call him?

A.—I don't remember—I believe it was the Saturday before I was there.

Q.—You heard the testimony he gave?

A.—I didn't talk to his mother-in-law. A lady answered the 'phone and then called him. I did not explain my case to her or say who I was or what I wanted.

Q.—What was your conversation? You know the magistrate well enough to know that he was on the line? What was the conversation?

A.—I said I got word from Mr. Ewing that he wanted to see the boys at his office and I asked him if he would be there. I didn't say much more. I said I didn't want to be mixed up in this affair, but wanted to get my money and settle it all. He said he would be there and to come over.

Q.—He made the appointment?

A.—He said he would be there when we came over.

Q.—That was Tuesday evening, December 9th?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—The day after he first appeared in Council?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Now, how did you get word that the magistrate was looking for you to pay the money?

A.—I got word from Mr. J. J. Ewing.

Q.—When did you get that word?

A.—On Saturday—I don't know what date that would be—about the 8th—no the 5th or 6th I believe. The Saturday before the 9th however.

Q.—Did you get word that the magistrate was looking for you to pay the money?

A.—I did not get word that he was looking for me direct to come to his office, but wanted all the members to come to his office.

Q.—Who told you that?

A.—Mr. Ewing.

Q.—You told him that Ewing had told you to come to the office to collect the money?

Mr. Trent:

I object to the question.

Mr. Gray:

If the court please, I am not trying to tie Lloyd up to anything here. I want to show why this lad went over there.

Mr. Trent:

Why he went there has nothing to do with this case.

Q.—Did Ewing tell you that he talked to Lloyd and that Lloyd wanted the boys to come over?

Mr. Trent:

I object to that, your honor.

The Court:

What Ewing told him will not go.

Mr. Gray:

It proves that this boy had some incentive to go there and he went there. What his reasons were are perfectly legitimate. We will follow that by other proof of Ewing of course.

Q.—You got the word that Lloyd was looking for you?

Mr. Trent:

It is the same question. I object to it.

The Court:

Answer yes or no.

A.—I did.

Mr. Trent:

That is not evidence. What he did, not what he heard. What he did is evidence in this case—not what he heard.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—You then called him up?

A.—I called him up.

Q.—And acting on that point you went to his office?

A.—I did.

Q.—And how do you know that was December 9th?

A.—Of course several days later I was called upon to say which day I got the money and it was not hard to recall that Tuesday evening was the ninth.

The Court:

That is not a good answer to that question.

Q.—You were in Council later on Thursday and you identified the day because it was two days prior to that?

A.—I recall it for a good many reasons. I was invited to go out to Wilkinsburg, and if you will refer to the papers about that time, you will see that the Sheraden Sabre Band held a concert on the ninth. I had to cancel that engagement to go to Lloyd's office.

Q.—You did?

A.—I did.

Q.—You went over there—when did you go there?

A.—I got there about 2 or 3 minutes to 7.

Q.—At the North Side Police Station, old City Hall?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Was Lloyd there at the time?

A.—He was not.

Q.—Did he come in later?

A.—I went upstairs and looked into his office and inquired in the court room if he had been there and I went out in the front and stood there. I had not been there more than 2 or 3 minutes until he came.

Q.—Mr. Simpson, have you any way of determining exactly what the time was or are you simply estimating?

A.—Mr. Ewing told me to meet them in town under Kaufmann's clock at a quarter of 7 and go over in a body. I got there at the appointed time and not finding any of them there I did not wait long and proceeded right over and it did not take me more than 10 or 12 minutes to walk from Kaufmann's to the North Side.

Q.—So you estimate it was about 7 o'clock when you got there?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—You did not hear any clock ring or you didn't look at your clock?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—And you know it was about that time of the evening?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—When he got there you met him at the front door?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Was he with any one or alone?

A.—He was alone.

Q.—What did you do then?

A.—He invited me to go up to his office.

Q.—Did you go?

A.—I did.

Q.—Was there any one else in his office?

A.—There was another man in his office when I got there.

Q.—Either of these men who testified—either Helfrey or Cassilly, either of these?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Did you know the man?

A.—I did not.

Q.—What happened there, Mr. Simpson?

A.—On arriving in the office he asked me how much money he owed me. I told him the dates I played and he made a record in a book.

Q.—What kind of a book?

A.—Some sort of a ledger or a check book about the size of this book (pointing) only it opened the other way.

Q.—He made a note of it?

A.—We figured it out together what it would amount to and he drew out his check book. He started to write a check. The first thing a fellow would do would be to put down the date. He looked at me and asked me what day I received that on. I figured a minute and told him the day was September 9th—I mean December 9th.

Q.—You are talking about the receipt and he was making a check. What did he do then?

A.—He was making a note in the front of the book and the amount.

Q.—Did he start to write you a check.

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Did he give you the cash?

A.—Not until I wrote the receipt.

Q.—Did he give you a receipt in blank and tell you to write the receipt?

A.—He handed me a receipt book.

Q.—Did you write the receipt in the book?

A.—I wrote it in the book and handed it back to him with it in.

Q.—What did you write with?

A.—With a lead pencil.

Q.—For what amount was it?

A.—\$14.50.

Q.—And you signed it?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—And did you date it?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—What date was put on it?

A.—August 22nd.

Q.—How did you come to put that date on?

A.—At Mr. Lloyd's request.

Q.—What did he ask you?

A.—He asked me when I received the money. I looked around at the calendar and told him December 9th. He said, "Does it make any difference to you when that receipt is dated?" I said it might make a lot of difference if I were called into Council. He said there was not much danger of that unless I went there voluntarily. Then I put down August 22nd. I could not see any objection to it.

Q.—It was at his request?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—You delivered the receipt to him at that place

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—What did he give you?

A.—He gave me three \$5.00 bills and I gave him 50 cents change.

Q.—What else happened?

A.—He requested that I go down in front of the building and see if any of the other fellows were outside and in the meantime he asked me to go across the street to the drugstore and get a couple of cigars.

Q.—Did you do it?

A.—Yes, sir; I did it as a favor.

Q.—Did he give you the money?

A.—Yes, sir; 25 cents.

Q.—What drugstore?

A.—Right cattacornor from the old city hall. I got the cigars and took them right to his office.

Q.—You took them in the office?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Was the man still there who was there when you called?

A.—He was still there.

Q.—You didn't see these men there (pointing)?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—How long did you stay?
A.—Altogether I don't think I was in his office more than 20 minutes.
Q.—And you left and he was still there?

A.—Yes, sir.
Q.—Where did you go?
A.—Back over to town.
Q.—Did he request you to send the other fellows in?

A.—Just before I left he requested me if I knew of other members of the band who were not paid to send them over on the following evening and he would be there about 7 or half-past to pay them.

Q.—Did you do that for him?
A.—I did.
Q.—Did you communicate with some of the men?

A.—I did.
Q.—With whom?
A.—Mr. Saling.
Q.—When did you call him?
A.—I called him about half past nine the following morning.

Q.—Any one else?
A.—I then called Mr. R. N. Smith and asked him to notify Mr. Hutchinson. A few minutes after I called Saling.

Q.—What did you tell those fellows?
A.—I told them that I was at Mr. Lloyd's office and received my money. I told them that if they knew anybody else who had not received their money to send them over and they would get theirs and told them to get them there at the time he appointed.

Q.—And you appeared in Council on Thursday morning, the 11th of December?

A.—No, sir; it was Friday.
Q.—You were not there on Thursday morning?

A.—No, sir.
Q.—It was Friday. You were not there at the hearing on Thursday. You went there at their request and told them what you told here and swore to it?

A.—I did; yes, sir.
Cross-examination by Mr. Trent:
Q.—What time did you go to the North Side?

A.—I left Kaufmann's clock at about quarter of seven and started to walk.

Q.—Did you walk over?
A.—I did.
Q.—How long did it take you?

A.—Ten or 15 minutes.
Q.—Did you walk from Kaufmann's to the North Side in 10 or 15 minutes?

A.—I could.
Q.—Where were you going that night?
A.—I was going to see Mr. Lloyd.
Q.—How did you know you were to meet him?

A.—He sent for me through Ewing.
Q.—What time did you get over there?

A.—Two or three minutes to 7.
Q.—And you walked over in 15 minutes?

A.—Yes.
Q.—What time did you leave Kaufmann's clock?

A.—About a quarter of seven.
Q.—How old are you?

A.—21.
Q.—How long have you been in Pittsburgh?

A.—I moved here when I was three years old.

Q.—Where do you work?
A.—Carnegie Steel Company.
Q.—In what capacity?

A.—Clerk in the Purchasing Department.

Q.—Where is your office?
A.—1224 Carnegie Building.
Q.—How long have you worked there?

A.—I have been with the Carnegie Steel Company since I was a youngster.
Q.—What instrument do you play?

A.—Cornet.
Q.—Write down the words, "Walter Lloyd and August 22, 1919"?

Mr. Simpson did as requested.

Mr. Trent:

I ask your honor to make your initials and put the date on that paper written by this gentleman in order that it might be produced in evidence at the trial of the case in the Court of Quarter Sessions.

Mr. Gray:

Please don't crumple up that receipt if you have it in your hand.

Mr. Trent:

Please mind your business.

Mr. Gray:

I am minding my business.

Mr. Trent:

Q.—Now, Mr. Simpson, I show you this paper and ask you whether that is in your handwriting?

A.—That is the one I wrote.
Q.—What is the date?

A.—August 22nd.
Q.—When did you write it?

A.—December 9th.
Q.—When you wrote August 22nd you were not telling the truth?

A.—Why wasn't I? I believe I was doing right.

Q.—You bet you weren't?
A.—I believe I was.

Q.—When did you get to the North Side Police Station—at 10 minutes of 7?

A.—At about 7 o'clock.
Q.—Did you see this officer there (indicating)?

A.—No sir; I did not.
Q.—Did you see anybody else there?

A.—There was one man in Mr. Lloyd's office.

Q.—Do you know his name?
A.—I never heard of him. I don't know him.

Q.—Was it the gentleman right there (indicating)?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Was it the gentleman standing in the door (Helfrey)?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—Was it Mr. Helfrey the bald-headed man?

A.—No, sir; it was not.

Q.—Well, was it Mr. Cassilly, the man with a lot of hair?

A.—No, sir; it was not.

Q.—Well who was he?

A.—He was a man about the same size as myself, but possibly a little heavier with dark hair.

Q.—What hour was that?

A.—It was about 2 or 3 minutes after 7.

Q.—How long did you stay?

A.—About 10 minutes when he sent me down for the cigars, and I came back there and stayed about 5 minutes longer and left.

Q.—What did the man look like that was there?

A.—He was a man of the size and built as I am, only he had a red face.

Q.—How old was the man who was with Lloyd?

A.—I judge between 40 and 45.

Q.—Wasn't you introduced to him?

A.—No, sir; I wasn't.

Q.—Did you talk to him?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—What time did you go for the cigars?

A.—After I had been there for about 10 minutes. After I had written the receipt and got the money. It was somewhere around 7:10.

Q.—Did you come back again?

A.—I got the cigars and was out not more than 10 or 15 minutes.

Q.—How long did you stay after that?

A.—Two or three minutes.

Q.—How long did you stay in the office the first time.

A.—Five minutes.

Q.—Who was in the office?

A.—Mr. Lloyd and the man in the office.

Q.—How long did you stay then?

A.—Five minutes.

Q.—Where is your home?

A.—Mt. Washington.

Q.—Where did you go then?

A.—I went home.

Q.—What were you doing in Allegheny that night?

A.—I went over to get my money from Mr. Lloyd.

Q.—What time did you leave his office?

A.—About 25 minutes after the hour.

Q.—How many times did you play in this band?

A.—Four different times that I was to be paid for.

Q.—What was your agreement or contract?

A.—He just told me to come and play and I was to get paid at the Musical Union scale.

Q.—What is the Musical Union scale?

A.—\$3.00 for the first hour and 50 cents for every half hour thereafter.

Q.—Who told you that?

A.—Mr. Lloyd there. That was the understanding with every man in the band. We are union men.

Q.—Who told you? When did Lloyd tell you?

A.—Mr. Lloyd telephoned me these different dates.

Q.—When did he tell you?

A.—I don't remember the occasions.

Q.—Whereabouts did he tell you?

A.—Over the telephone. He would call up and tell me when and where to appear. I appeared the time and days he told me to come.

Q.—Where did he tell you?

A.—That is a good deal to remember.

Q.—Where did he tell you?

A.—I don't remember.

Q.—Did he tell you over the telephone, or where did he tell you that? Where did he tell you that?

A.—Don't holler that way in my ear. I can hear you alright.

Mr. Gray:

I object to this attorney browbeating this boy.

Mr. Trent:

He is a boy 21 years old. He is swearing a crime against this man here.

Q.—How long have you worked for the Carnegie Steel Company?

A.—Almost four years.

Mr. Gray:

I object.

Q.—In what capacity are you employed?

A.—As a clerk.

Q.—What do you do as a clerk?

Mr. Gray:

I object to this.

The Court:

He said he was a clerk in the Purchasing Department.

Mr. Trent:

We are finding something out now. We are going to find out everything before we get through. We are going to find out everything about this boy here before we get through.

Mr. Simpson:

Don't get your breath so near my face.

Mr. Trent:

Q.—Do you live with your family?

A.—I room with a lady on Mt. Washington.

Q.—What lady?

A.—Mrs. Grossclause.

Q.—Where is your family from?
 A.—My family lives in Connellsville. I have always been here.
 Q.—How long have you been in Pittsburgh?
 A.—I have always been here.
 Q.—What do you mean?
 A.—About three years ago my family moved away. I had a good job so I stayed here.
 Q.—What is your job?
 A.—I work for the Carnegie Steel Company.
 Q.—What is your job?
 A.—Clerk in the purchasing department.

Mr. Gray:
 Go ahead and examine the witness.

Mr. Trent:
 I don't need any assistance from you. I can attend to this.

Mr. Gray:
 I think you need assistance from more than me.

Mr. Trent:
 Q.—How did you happen to get in this band?

A.—The band was organized before the four Liberty Loan drives and I was playing with a band on Mt. Washington and we went in as a unit and I have been playing with the band since it united.

Q.—What was your agreement at that time as to how much you were to be paid?

A.—I agreed to play during the Liberty Loan drives and didn't belong to the Musical Union at that time. We joined the Musical Union about the close of the four Liberty Loan drives.

Q.—What were the rates of the union then?

A.—Our rates to pay into the union?
 Q.—What rates were you supposed to get for playing?

A.—\$3.00 for the first hour, parade rates, and 50 cents every half hour thereafter.

Q.—How many times did you play?

A.—Four different engagements.

Q.—What are the dates? Can you recall them?

A.—I don't recall them.

Q.—About what were the dates?

A.—They were about the latter part of April and the first part of March.

Q.—These four times were in the latter part of April and the first part of March?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—What payment had you coming to you?

(At this time a fight started between witnesses R. N. Smith and Robert Helfrey, and the Court ordered both put out of the office.)

Mr. Gray:
 Smith is one of my witnesses.

The Court:
 Let Smith stay in here if he is a witness.

Mr. Trent:
 Q.—Now, Mr. Simpson, let me ask you whether your signature and the date August 22, 1919, whether that is your writing there on that receipt?

A.—Yes, sir; that is my writing. On this and that too.

Q.—And you wrote down August 22nd, 1919?

A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—And that was your pay for the times you talk about—the three times in March and April?

A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—You know your signature. That is it signed under there, isn't it?

A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—You are a truthful young man?

A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—And when you wrote August 22, 1919, you were not telling the truth were you?

A.—Sure I was.
 Q.—You are sure were you?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—Who was talking to you since December 9th about this case?

A.—No one since the date of the receipt.

Q.—Since the date of the receipt who has talked to you about this case?

A.—I have been up before Council and questioned about it.

Q.—What day were you up in Council?

A.—The 11th. On the 11th of December, two days after I got my money.

Q.—And who talked to you the day before?

A.—The day before?
 Q.—Did anybody talk to you the day before?

A.—What do you mean?
 Q.—About this case?

A.—I had no case.

Q.—How did you come up before Council on December 12th?

A.—I went there on my own free will.

Q.—Who asked you to go there?

A.—I went there of my own free will.

Q.—How did you know about the case?

A.—I went there because I had read in the paper where Walter Lloyd said I received my money on the 22nd of August and I went to defend my name.

Q.—The receipt was not the truth?

A.—No, sir; it was not.
 Q.—You lied when you signed the receipt?

A.—I signed that receipt at his request. It was not right but it did not necessarily lie.

Q.—Why didn't it necessarily lie?

A.—I don't know what you are trying to get at.

Q.—Is the receipt true?

Mr. Gray:

Tell him over again just what it is.

Mr. Trent:

We will examine him.

Mr. Gray:

I am protecting the witness.

Mr. Simpson:

I am not a liar.

Mr. Trent:

Just answer the question.

Mr. Gray:

Examine him right, just as a lawyer should.

Mr. Trent:

I will examine this witness the way I think best.

Mr. Gray:

I object to the manner in which you are asking him the questions.

Mr. Trent:

Look here, who is testifying here? Why don't you be sworn and testify and tell about these facts? If you are going to talk be sworn. If you want to testify be sworn.

The Court:

Go ahead and examine the witness, Mr. Trent, but do it right.

Mr. Trent:

Q.—You signed your name to a receipt of August 22nd?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Was that true?

A.—I did it according to Mr. Lloyd's request.

Q.—You signed something that was not true?

A.—The date was not true; it was at Mr. Lloyd's request.

Q.—It was not true?

Mr. Gray:

The date was incorrect and he said so. I object to further badgering the witness. Let him go on.

Mr. Trent:

Look here, you will get your turn and if you want to answer questions just try it.

Mr. Gray:

If you don't want to ask any questions, just let up. You are a talkative young man.

Mr. Trent:

I will not dry up.

Q.—Was that receipt correct about August 22nd?

A.—It was not correct.

Q.—You told a lie then?

A.—I didn't. The receipt was a good receipt as long as it was not dated before I played the engagements. Even if it had no date at all.

Q.—You wrote it yourself; it is your handwriting?

A.—Yes, sir; I did it as a favor to Mr. Lloyd.

Q.—And you wrote down August 22nd?

A.—I did.

Q.—It was not August 22nd that you got the money?

A.—No, sir.

Q.—August 22nd is your own handwriting?

A.—It is my handwriting. I acknowledge that.

Q.—You told a lie when you wrote that date?

A.—I didn't.

Q.—Did you sign it as August 22nd?

A.—Yes, sir.

The Court:

He signed August 22nd and has said so.

Mr. Gray:

Q.—In Mr. Lloyd's presence?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—It was at his, Lloyd's request?

A.—Yes, sir.

Mr. Trent:

Q.—Who was present, the gentlemen around him now?

A.—No, sir. The gentleman I talked about was standing across the desk. I have not seen him in this room.

Q.—You wrote that receipt on December 9th?

A.—On December 9th, yes, sir.

Q.—You told a lie when you wrote the date August 22nd? Isn't that a lie?

A.—If that is a lie he asked me to write a lie.

Q.—You wrote a lie, did you or didn't you?

A.—Yes, sir; I wrote that date.

Q.—He said he wrote a lie. That is all.

Mr. R. N. Smith, called as a witness for the defense, having been sworn, testified as follows on examination by Mr. Gray:

Q.—What is your name?

A.—R. N. Smith.

Q.—What is your business?

A.—Draughtsman in the Bureau of Water, City of Pittsburgh.

Q.—Where do you live?

A.—111 Maple Terrace.

Q.—Were you a member of the Liberty Loan Band under Manager Lloyd?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—You know Lloyd very well?

A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—You know Simpson very well?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—Did you go with Simpson to see Lloyd to get his pay?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—Do you recall the time?
 A.—I do because I have it in my diary. It was October 12th.
 Q.—What does the diary say?
 A.—I have been in the habit of keeping a diary for several years and I am glad that I have this. It just says, "October 12th, D. Simpson and I went to North Side Hall to see Lloyd. Didn't get money for band jobs."
 Q.—You know it was the 12th of October and that was Sunday?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—Did you see Lloyd over there?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—What did you say to him and what did he say to you?
 A.—There wasn't much said. Walter—Mr. Lloyd—he was late getting in that morning. We went over there a few minutes to nine, understanding that court was to open at 9:00 o'clock. When he passed us we didn't interfere. He was in a hurry and we waited until court was over. Going out we understood from those around that he had to go to the South Side and was in a hurry then. He walked past us. We walked out and made casual mention. He said just a minute or something like that. He said we would have to come back again as he was in a hurry then and did not have time. We asked him to mention just what time when we should come back. I said to him, will you fix a time? He said most any time. He said I have part of the money and I will fix you up as best I can.
 Q.—Neither you or Simpson had your money at that time?
 A.—I didn't and had reason to believe he didn't.
 Q.—You learned subsequently that he got his money?
 A.—Later than that, yes, sir.
 Q.—When was that?
 A.—On Wednesday morning.
 Q.—Wednesday morning when?
 A.—Wednesday morning.
 Q.—What day?
 A.—Wednesday, December 10th. He called me and said that he had gotten his money from Mr. Lloyd the evening before and Mr. Lloyd wanted us to notify any of the other fellows who had not been paid. He said to see Guy Hutchinson, who works in our building.
 Q.—Did this boy tell you anything about the receipt he gave Mr. Lloyd?
 A.—He did on the telephone.
 Q.—What did he tell you?
 A.—He said he signed it August 22nd and he hoped nothing would come of it; that he did it at Mr. Lloyd's request and

he thought he was doing him a favor by doing that.

Cross-examination by Mr. Trent:
 Q.—Did you go any place with Simpson?
 A.—At what time?
 Q.—About this case?
 A.—I went with Mr. Simpson.
 Q.—When?
 A.—On the 12th of October.
 Q.—Where did you go?
 A.—Over to the police court.
 Q.—Who did you see?
 A.—I suppose a dozen in the court waiting for him.
 Q.—This was October 12th?
 A.—October 12th, Sunday morning.
 Q.—How long have you lived in Pittsburgh?
 A.—All my life.
 Q.—What is your business?
 A.—Draughtsman in the Bureau of Water.
 Q.—How old are you?
 A.—34.
 Q.—How long have you worked for the City of Pittsburgh?
 A.—11 years, since 1908.
 Q.—Did you have any job before that time?
 A.—Yes, I was with the Carnegie Steel Company.
 Q.—How long?
 A.—Four or five years. In the invoice department as a clerk doing comptometer and other work.
 Q.—And did you go with Simpson to the North Side Police Station on October 12th?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—Did you see Magistrate Lloyd there?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—Did you get paid?
 A.—Not then.
 Q.—When did you get paid?
 A.—I got paid on the 24th day of October. I received a check from Mr. Walter Lloyd.
 Q.—Are you paid in full?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—What instrument do you play?
 A.—Piccolo in the band.
 Q.—You got paid in full?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—You have no claim at all?
 A.—No, sir.
 Mr. J. J. Ewing, called as a witness for the defense, having been sworn, testified as follows on examination by Mr. Gray:
 Q.—What is your name?
 A.—J. J. Ewing.
 Q.—Where do you live?
 A.—Mt. Washington, Ruth street.
 Q.—Where do you work?
 A.—Monongahela incline.
 Q.—Were you a member of the Liberty Loan Band?
 A.—Yes, sir; from beginning to end.
 Q.—Do you know Walter Lloyd?
 A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Do you know Dean Simpson?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Quite well?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—Are you personally acquainted with both of them?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—Do you know them quite well?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—Did you see Lloyd about this matter of the unpaid men—about this band matter on December 5th or 6th?
 A.—On December 6th I saw him at the Bank of Pittsburgh.
 Q.—Did he see you?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—And did you converse with him?
 A.—Yes, sir; I did; we conversed together.
 Q.—Did he make any appointment with you or authorize you to make any appointment with the unpaid men to go over to see him?
 A.—I would not say he did—I made it. I say it was a meeting arranged for Tuesday evening, December 9th.
 Q.—You and Lloyd arranged that?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—What were you to do about it?
 A.—I was to get in touch with all unpaid men I knew and have them go over there.
 Q.—To go there for what purpose?
 A.—To go over to get their money.
 Q.—Did you tell Simpson to go?
 A.—I did.
 Q.—When did you see and tell Simpson?
 A.—I don't know whether it was the Saturday or the Monday after.
 Q.—Either December 6th or 8th?
 A.—Either the 6th or 8th of December. I was in Cleveland on December 9th at a funeral of my uncle and came home and the conductor I relieved on the incline said that Simpson was there and told him that he got his money that night.
 Q.—And you were to do something with the boys?
 A.—I had nothing more to do with them after I told Simpson to get the boys over there. We had arranged to get them over there.
 Q.—Did you arrange for the other men to go there on that night?
 A.—I sent notice to those I knew.
 Q.—Do you recall any of those?
 A.—I do.
 Q.—Who were they?
 A.—Guy Hutchinson, Luther Saling, William Kiel, Pryterch and Fleeer, Knowles, Nycum and Lovett.
 Q.—And you sent word to those men?
 A.—I did.
 Q.—What did you say in substance?
 A.—I told them I met Mr. Lloyd on Friday, December 5th, at the Bank of Pittsburgh; that he asked me or I him if we could have a meeting with him; he arranged a meeting for 7:00 o'clock Tuesday, December 9th; and that he told me he would be in his office any night

that week.
 Q.—There was an appointed night, was there?
 A.—Arranged the time as 7:00 o'clock, yes, sir.
 Q.—Did you know Simpson didn't have his money?
 A.—Under the reasons, yes, sir.
 Q.—That is the reason you told him?
 A.—That is the reason I told him, yes, sir.

Cross-examination by Mr. Trent:

Q.—Where do you live?
 A.—Mt. Washington, Ruth street.
 Q.—How long have you lived there?
 A.—All my life.
 Q.—Where do you work?
 A.—Monongahela incline, as conductor.
 Q.—How long have you worked there?
 A.—I will say three years next April.
 Q.—How old are you?
 A.—23 years.
 Q.—What instrument do you play in the band?
 A.—Saxophone.
 Q.—Did you get paid by Magistrate Lloyd?
 A.—I did.
 Q.—When and where?
 A.—December 11th at his office.
 Q.—How did you get paid?
 A.—I got paid in four \$5.00 bills. I gave in return Mr. Lloyd \$2.00.
 Q.—Were you before Council?
 A.—Yes, sir; the day after Mr. Lloyd was in Council.
 Q.—When were you before Council?
 A.—On December 12th; I think it was Friday.
 Q.—Were you sworn?
 A.—Mr. E. J. Martin swore me.
 Q.—Under oath?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—And you testified?
 A.—Yes, sir.
 Q.—Did you say you had gotten a check from Mr. Lloyd at that time?
 A.—I did not.
 Q.—You have that in the statement?
 A.—I got a check from Mr. R. B. Lloyd.
 Q.—Who is R. B. Lloyd?
 A.—He works on the stage as a Saxaphonist.
 Q.—How much was the check for?
 A.—I don't know whether it was for \$28.75 or \$38.75.
 Q.—When did you get it?
 A.—I say I got it the day after I went to Cleveland.
 Q.—When was the day you went to Cleveland?
 A.—December 9th I went to Cleveland. The day Mr. Lloyd was to pay Simpson.

Mr. Gray:

If the court please, I think he has gone far enough.

Mr. Trent:

You can examine him in chief after I cross-examine him.

Mr. Gray:

Anything about this transaction is proper—

Mr. Trent:

Whatever I examine him in chief on you can cross-examine him.

Q.—What day did you get that check from R. B. Lloyd from Cleveland?

A.—It had nothing to do with that case.

Mr. Trent:

Here is a man who said he was paid by this band and swore he got this check from Magistrate Lloyd.

Mr. Gray:

He said he did not and said it was an entirely different transaction.

Mr. Trent:

He said it had to do with this transaction.

Mr. Gray:

I object to any such testimony.

The Court:

Go ahead and examine the witness.

Mr. Trent:

We want to examine this witness about what was said in Council.

Q.—Whom did you get this check from?

A.—R. B. Lloyd.

Q.—Who is R. B. Lloyd? How long have you known him?

A.—I met him in Pittsburgh at the Union.

Q.—What year?

A.—I met him in the Liberty Loan drives of 1919. He is a theatrical man.

Q.—Where did you meet him?

A.—At the Union Station.

Q.—What did he pay you this check for?

A.—I sold him a saxophone in Pittsburgh.

Q.—At what place?

A.—At the Anderson Hotel.

Q.—What room in the Anderson Hotel?

Mr. Gray:

If you honor please, what he swears to with relation to the charge brought before your honor by Lloyd against Simpson is relevant, but this has nothing to do with the band matter.

Mr. Trent:

It has no relation to the band trouble?

Mr. Gray:

It has not.

Mr. Ewing:

I answered that in Council.

Mr. Trent:

You are under oath. I am going to ask you questions.

Q.—In what room in the Anderson Hotel did you sell the saxophone to R. B. Lloyd?

The Court:

He can answer that.

A.—It was upstairs.

Q.—Where? What room?

A.—I don't remember the room.

Q.—Where?

A.—It was upstairs. We took an elevator.

Q.—Was R. B. Lloyd registered there?

A.—I could not say. He took me to the room of another man.

Q.—When was that?

A.—I will say before March.

Mr. Gray:

All this has nothing to do with the matter before your honor, and I object to this kind of cross-examination.

Mr. Trent:

The only ground that he makes replies on here is on the ground that he incriminates himself.

Q.—What floor was this on?

A.—I don't know; I could not say.

Q.—Do you know the man?

A.—I don't know the man and never saw him before.

Q.—How much did you get for the saxophone?

A.—\$50.00 at that time.

Q.—How much was paid you then?

A.—\$50.00.

Q.—What was the selling price?

A.—I don't remember whether it was \$87.50 or 67.50.

Mr. Gray:

I object to this kind of cross-examination.

The Court:

You are off the job on this, Trent. You want to cut it out.

Mr. Trent:

Whatever you rule is satisfactory to the prosecution.

Q.—I will ask him one more question. How much did you get cash down on your saxophone?

Mr. Gray:

I object to that as irrelevant. It has nothing to do with this case.

The Court:

I sustain the objection.

W. H. Roy, called as a witness for the defendant, and having been sworn, testified as follows on examination by Mr. Gray:

Q.—What is your name?

A.—W. H. Roy.

Q.—What is your business?

A.—I am Assistant Buyer with the Carnegie Steel Company.

Q.—Does Simpson work for you?

A.—Under me.

Q.—How long have you known him?

A.—I have known Dean for about four years.

Q.—You know something about him and his character?

A.—I know his character is of the best. He is honest in his transactions with the various concerns we deal with. He is truthful and honest in all such transactions. The company would not retain him if he were not.

Q.—He has a responsible position under you?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—You know he is a trust-worthy young man and his reputation is above reproach?

A.—If it were not the company would not retain him in his position.

Mr. Trent:

I object to any evidence of this witness as submitted to your honor for your consideration.

Q.—You know how he is esteemed in the social and business world among his friends and associates?

A.—I do.

Q.—And you know he is esteemed as a young man of the highest character and is a truthful young man?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Mr. Roy, where do you live?

A.—1114 Sheridan avenue.

Q.—Where does Mr. Simpson live?

A.—He lives on Mt. Washington. I could not give you his street address.

Q.—Did he ever visit in your house or you in his?

A.—I have seen him on the street and had him out to lunch at various times going over little business transactions.

Q.—Has he ever mixed with any people he knows outside the office of your company?

A.—Well, I have at times. I cannot recall the incidents. I have seen him outside.

Q.—Did you ever hear anything discussed about him that you saw outside?

A.—I have.

Q.—What was it?

A.—They told me in a business way Mr. Simpson is a very good clerk; a very

good buyer and a very nice man to approach.

Q.—Did they ever tell you that he was a young man of honesty?

A.—I never discussed that with them.

Q.—That is all.

Mr. Trent:

The prosecutor moves to have the testimony of the witness, Mr. Roy, stricken from the records.

Mr. Gray:

If the court please, I would like to discuss this case with you either now or at your convenience.

Mr. Trent:

Your honor, I have one more witness.

Harry W. Gordon, called as a witness for the prosecution, having been sworn, testified as follows on examination by Mr. Trent:

Q.—What is your name?

A.—Harry W. Gordon.

Q.—Where do you live?

A.—3437 Fleming avenue, North Side.

Q.—Mr. Gordon, do you remember the night of December 9th?

A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—How do you happen to remember it?

A.—That morning I had hearings before Judge Lloyd on red tags. That night I went to the Academy. I was off duty at 10 instead of 11 that night with my Lieutenant's permission to see the bouts—there was to be amateur prize fights.

Q.—What day of the week was that?

A.—Tuesday, a week ago.

Q.—What day of the month?

A.—The 9th of December.

Q.—Where were you in the afternoon until 10 o'clock that night—from 5 o'clock on?

A.—Around through Allegheny. I have the whole Allegheny District and go to No. 12 Police Station to report to the police operator in Pittsburgh. I report on the hour and I was there at 4, 5 and 6 and from 6 until 7 was my lunch period and I went over to Mr. Good's in the Diamond and got my supper and was back there at 6:30.

Q.—Tell where you were from 6:30 on?

A.—I went in the back room and had a smoke. I talked to the sergeant for a while and one of the officers and the cell sergeant. Just as the clock struck quarter of 7 o'clock I went out to the steps on Federal street. Just then a machine came up and I met Judge Lloyd, and this gentleman (indicating Mr. Cassilly), met Judge Lloyd before he came up to the steps. I said good evening Judge, and ever since he knows me he just calls me "Gordie." I followed him in and went to the toilet and coming

out I met him with Mr. Helfrey, and all three started up the steps and I stood on the front until the clock struck 7, and I called up the operator and stood out in the front from 7 to quarter after 7. I wasn't riding that night and I walked down Federal street and I went to Mr. Neff's store on Federal street, and I reported again to the station at 15 minutes to 8, and was standing outside on the lower step when Mr. Lloyd and these two gentlemen came out. I didn't speak to Mr. Lloyd when he came out and he got in the machine and drove down Federal street.

Q.—What time was that?

A.—Just 15 minutes or may be 12 minutes of eight. The clock just struck.

Q.—When did you see him again that night?

A.—I saw Mr. Lloyd again, I judge in the evening about quarter after 10.

Q.—Where?

A.—At the Academy theatre.

Q.—Where is that?

A.—On Liberty street.

Q.—Take a look at Mr. Simpson, the defendant in this case, and I will ask you whether you saw him at the North Side Police station on Tuesday evening, December 9th?

A.—I never saw him until tonight when he was called out by name.

Q.—Did you take notice who went up into Magistrate Lloyd's office that night?

A.—As I said before, this gentleman and this gentleman went up the steps with him (indicating Mr. Helfrey and Mr. Cassilly).

Q.—Did you see any one else go up?

A.—No, sir; I do not know; I went to the toilet and then went out.

Q.—Mr. Gordon, please tell his honor once again what hours you were there from the time you got there until the time you left?

A.—Do you mean in the afternoon?

Q.—No, in the evening?

A.—As I left there I reported at 6 o'clock and was back again at 6:30 and went back in the back room and had a smoke and came out quarter of seven.

Q.—How long were you there then?

A.—I stayed until a couple of minutes of seven when I reported to the sergeant and police operator.

Q.—Between the time you reported to the sergeant and quarter of eight, where were you?

A.—I was out in the front until quarter after seven and I went down street and came back and I was there again about quarter of eight.

Q.—What time did you notice Magistrate Lloyd leaving?

A.—It was just about quarter of eight.

Cross-examination by Mr. Gray:

Q.—You were away a half or three-quarters of an hour?

A.—From a quarter after seven until about a quarter of eight.

Q.—You cannot say who was about the North Side City Hall?

A.—Not while I was away.

Q.—Well, while you were there?

A.—I could not say whether they were or not; they might have gone in and out, I don't know.

Mr. Trent:

Q.—Mr. Simpson testified that he waited in the doorway until about half past seven for Magistrate Lloyd. Did you see Simpson there?

A.—I saw nobody but a street car motorman and conductor in the vestibule and Mr. Lloyd with these two gentlemen.

Q.—Did you notice anybody else?

A.—Nobody outside this motorman or conductor.

Q.—That is all.

Mr. Gray:

No cross-examination.

The Court:

Are all the witnesses in now?

Mr. Trent:

Your honor please, I ask you that this defendant be held for court to await the action of the Grand Jury on the charge of perjury.

Mr. Gray:

Your honor please, I ask you to discharge this young man for the very simple reason that the prosecutor has not come anywhere near making a case of perjury.

Now, I will call your honor's attention to the Act of Assembly in reference to this matter, which is like this: If any person shall wilfully or corruptly commit wilful and corrupt perjury or shall by any means procure or suborn any person to commit wilful and corrupt perjury, on his oath legally administered before any court or committee of the Legislature of this Commonwealth, or if any person or federation may be injured thereby, such a person wilfully and corruptly making this oath may be adjudged guilty of perjury.

The elements of the offense are that the facts testified to are false, or that the person charging the witness believes they are not true. If he believes they are true the offense of perjury must be established, and that the oath was corruptly and wilfully made falsely. It must be shown that there was some ulterior motive to defraud somebody, and if the court will read the law, the comments and the cases, you will find that the matter sworn to, even if falsely or corruptly made, must be material to the issue in which it is made. If it is not material it don't make any difference how false it is. You cannot base a charge of perjury thereon.

Now let us turn to that matter of materiality. This prosecutor has not proven—has not undertaken to prove to you what the issue over in that Council chamber was. What was it? I don't know—you don't know, and the prosecutor don't know. We have no basis for any judgment on that matter, and unless it does appear what the issue is and that this testimony was material to that issue and had a direct tendency to prove it or had an effect to injure the prosecutor, there is no charge of perjury established. He has not proven anything. Let us discuss it. The testimony of this young man was taken in a hearing before the Finance Committee of Council of the City of Pittsburgh, and that hearing took place on a resolution presented in that Council, and the resolution was in substance this: That Magistrate Lloyd should be required to return to the City the \$1,125.00 which he had gotten on a warrant on account of this Liberty Loan Band, and with it a list of those who were entitled to wages as members of that band in order that the money might be distributed among those entitled to wages—there being an allegation and proof positive that some of the men were not paid by Mr. Lloyd.

The issue is simply this: It was an effort to get the money to the rightful parties that they might be paid and, of course, as Magistrate Lloyd in his answer raises the question that if it had been paid to all rightful parties it should not be returned to the city, and as to those who had been paid and as much of that money as had been paid, the resolution could not prevail. Now, the Magistrate came into Council and he presented a list of names that—

Mr. Trent:

Let's stick to what is in this case and what was in evidence before your honor.

Mr. Gray:

You are quite right.

Mr. Trent:

You bet I am.

Mr. Gray:

He alleged before Council that Dean Simpson has received the money that was due him for services in this band, and Dean Simpson went into Council a little later and also told the Council he had received his \$14.50 and was paid in full, and there were others also who were shown to be paid in full, so that as far as Simpson was concerned—as far as this issue was concerned—it makes no difference at all—none at all—when this money was paid to Simpson. Whether it was on August 22nd or December 9th. It is absolutely immaterial. If he had his money he could not get it

again, and if paid to him the city could not get it. Therefore, the resolution failed as to every man who had received his money. It could not prevail as to any man who had received his money and the purpose was to get the money for those who were entitled to it. So, if there was any materiality to the whole proceeding this testimony that Simpson gave there, even if false, had absolutely no effect on the transaction at all. It don't make any difference when he got the money. They all agree he got it. Therefore, there is between Lloyd and the City and Simpson no issue. They did not take any action—could not take any action, so the matter of date is absolutely irrelevant and immaterial, and has no effect and importance in this case, so that the only thing at issue in this case is whether he got his money at one date or another and swore to a different date. It makes no difference whether he swore to a hundred different dates; he had his money and it does not make any difference what the date of the receipt was. What could the Council do? Absolutely nothing. The purpose of the resolution was satisfied as far as the Magistrate was concerned. Simpson was satisfied and the City was satisfied. Simpson had his money. So that if you want to go outside the record here they have not proven what the case was. There is nothing before your honor to indicate what Council was debating about and what was before the Council, or why they had Lloyd in or Simpson in. They did not show you what the issue was before Council. The testimony taken before Council is immaterial and even if true it would not convict Lloyd of something. It could not be perjury even if he swore falsely. I am sure he did not swear falsely. There is not one reason to prove that a crime was committed.

That preceding took place before the Council of the City of Pittsburgh. They talked about most everything. There was testimony submitted on everything and anything relating to the band matter. The evidence was not like in a court of justice where the evidence is kept down to the point at issue. It run anywhere and everywhere, and there was a whole lot of talk about everything. Now, I think if you will read the record of what took place there that you will conclude that the matter of this date is of no consequence. There was no dispute as to when he received the money. The date is altogether insignificant. Now, in addition to that, this is just a receipt given to evidence the payment of money. It is not like a contract or solemn instrument. I want to show that a receipt can be explained just as any other kind of statement. It is only prima facie evidence. The only thing in question is, Did he get his money? And the date is a minor

matter. It relieves him—this young man—of the charge of perjury. He did not do it with an attempt to injure or hurt Mr. Lloyd. Who could be injured by his putting that date as of August 22nd? Not Lloyd. Lloyd was not injured by that. I think he was benefited by that, and this young man says he requested him to date it August 22nd. He could not commit perjury by testifying that he dated the receipt August 22nd, whereas he only received his money on Tuesday, December 9th. The setting back of the date was a decided benefit to Mr. Lloyd. It could be of no damage to him. What evil purpose could this young man do by dating the receipt August 22nd, and this was no injury to Mr. Lloyd. Therefore, there is no wilfulness or corruptness in it. This man does not pretend that he got the money on August 22nd.

Mr. Simpson said that he and another man went over on October 12th to see Mr. Lloyd at the station house. Mr. Lloyd does not remember that; he does not contradict it; he does not say that he paid this money on the 22nd, and it is certain that he did not pay him on the 22nd, and he had not paid him on October 12, and the gentleman saw him after that, and when Mr. Lloyd appeared in Council he said he did not know whether this boy had a claim against the band or not. When did he pay that money to him? Some time after October 12th and after December 8th. But there is one very good reason and a very weighty reason why this boy ought not to be held for court. Not only have they showed that this had no significance in the matter or that any evil could come to this man or any damage or evil, and here is where their case absolutely fails.

Under the criminal laws of Pennsylvania, page 484, it says that a charge of perjury must be proven by more than one witness. The only witness who said that this young man did not get the money on December 9th is Walter Lloyd. He is the man who says that he did not get it on December 9th, and nobody else. And Simpson says that he did get it on December 9th, and the evidence is very suasive that he is to be believed and not Walter Lloyd. Now, Helfrey did not say this boy did not get it; neither did Cassilly or this officer. Mr. Gordon, because none of them are willing to say it. There is not one of them in a position to say that this boy did not get this money on the evening of December 9th. Nobody is trying to set the clock. Officer Gordon was away and it might be that this boy saw Lloyd in the time while he was away, and as to the other men it is altogether possible that they could not have seen him there. They say they did not. He says he saw Lloyd there and got his money

and gave him a receipt. Lloyd says he did not give him the money that evening, but his recollection is very poor as to when he did give it to him. There is one witness who testified that this boy did not have his money on October 12th, and only one witness who says that he did get his money, and there is very persuasive corroborating evidence that he did—he did not have it before that, and he did have it after that.

This boy Ewing testified that there was some arrangement for a meeting on Tuesday, December 9th. Why in the world would that boy testify to that if there was not some truth in it? And Simpson telephoned around to these other boys and wrote to Saling and advised them that there would be a meeting over there and that they might expect to get their money. It is admitted that they did not get their money and why would they meet there except to get their money, and Lloyd arranged that meeting and the boy went over and he got his money and he gave him a receipt, and to help his friend out he dated the receipt August 22nd, and telephoned other fellows to go over and get their money as he had gotten his. Well, he got his money. When did he get it? On the evening of December 9th. It is easy enough to change the date. A certain prominent politician when he was charged with a serious crime proved an alibi that he was at a certain place on a certain date, and he got free from that charge.

Mr. Trent:

Name the politician you are speaking about.

Mr. Gray:

It was simply a case of one said this and the other said that. Now, it is altogether possible that these men might be mistaken about the date. It is easy enough. They might have been there Monday night or Wednesday night. It is of great consequence that they were with Lloyd on a certain night, and they fitted it together to precision. This boy got his money from Lloyd. Why would he say he got it from Lloyd? Does anybody doubt he got his money, \$14.50? Consequently, I would not say there is any doubt. He said he got it on or about December 9th, and the only man to say that he did not get it is Walter Lloyd. The circumstances are all against him. His friends who have done the best they could for him have proved that he did or did not pay Simpson on December 9th. Suppose the time was one hour or less when these men might have been there, a little later or earlier. Simpson was over there on a particular day and got his money and is willing to say that he got it and he communicated to his friends and they know he got it and

know that he did not get it before and others went over.

And I submit to the court that in all this chaos and muss that we have had here and the voluminous testimony that has been submitted no crime has been shown. Take their testimony. No crime has been shown, because it does not make any difference when he signed the receipt. It had no weight in the proceedings before Council, and it could not effect Lloyd one way or another, and there is only one witness against him, and that is Walter Lloyd, and I submit to you your honor ought to discharge this lad.

Mr. Trent:

If the court please, as far as the alderman and the layman is concerned, perjury consists in subscribing to a false oath. I will submit to your honor that the false oath this witness Simpson subscribed to before Council was a false oath because he admits that he took a false oath. Let us get back to what this matter was about. It was an investigation by the City Council where an oath was administered under the law by Mr. Martin, the City Clerk, and after this defendant here, Simpson, was sworn and stated these facts, and he stated them in the absence of the prosecutor, Walter Lloyd, who had not been given an opportunity to be confronted by his accuser as every American citizen is guaranteed that right. Walter Lloyd was not there. He did not have an opportunity to be heard and cross-examine Mr. Simpson. He had no opportunity to ask Simpson any questions, which would have shown that this man Simpson, lied when he signed August 22nd, which he admitted here to your honor out of his own mouth. Walter Lloyd had no opportunity to be face to face with his accuser, which every American citizen is guaranteed under the law. He was not there.

Council sat there and heard Simpson without Walter Lloyd being present. Now, what does Walter Lloyd say? He says he gave him \$14.65. What does Simpson say? He says he got \$14.50 on the evening of December 9th in the North Side Police Station. We proved to your honor by a number of witnesses—witnesses who were not biased, who had nothing at stake—that Simpson was not there that night. Lloyd says that he was there from 10 minutes of 7 until a quarter of eight, and we proved by enumerable witnesses that Simpson was

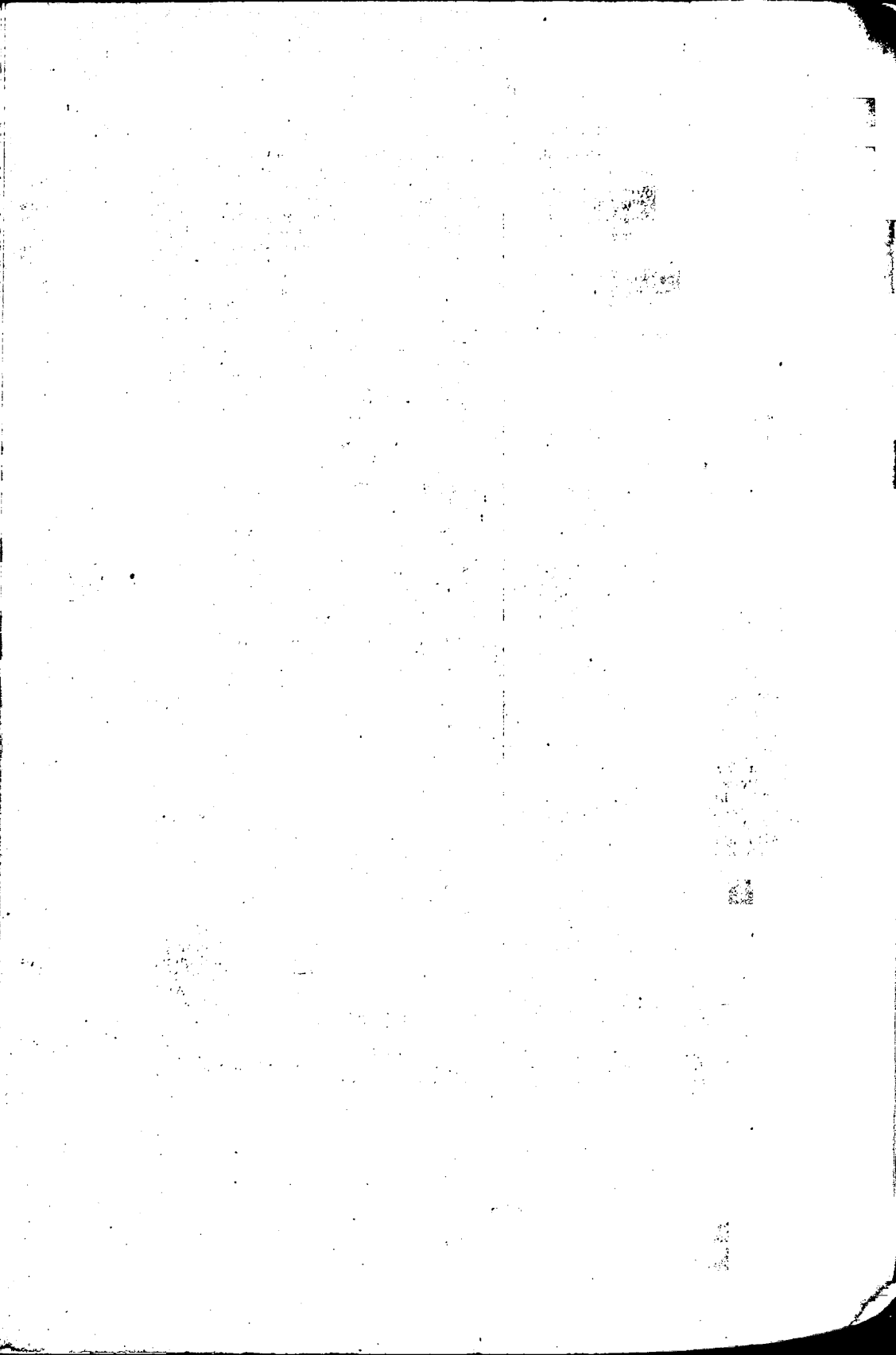
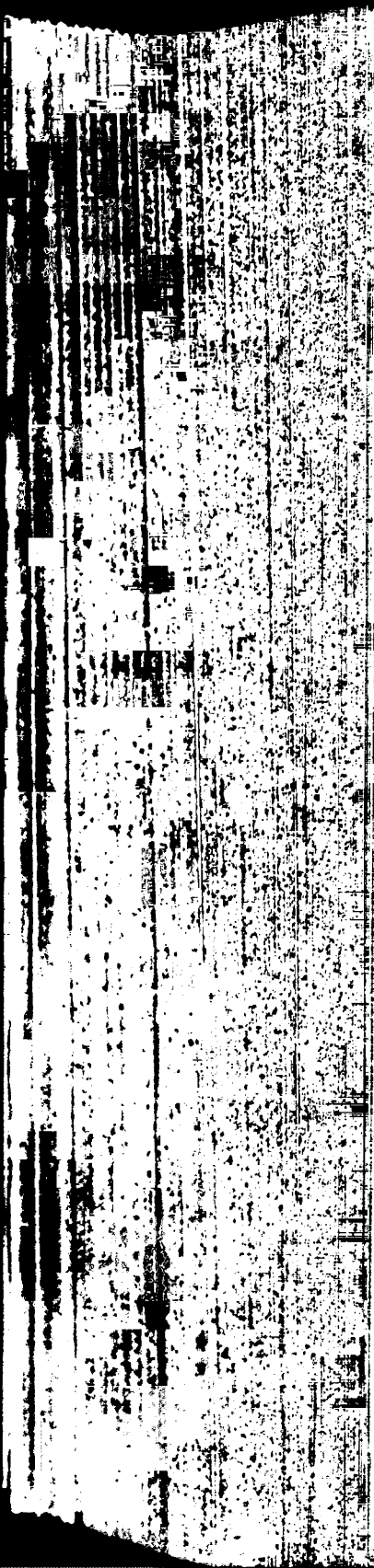
not there. We proved by testimony that Lloyd went there and we submitted that to you by a number of witnesses that he was there.

We submit to you that Mr. Lloyd should have had an opportunity to ask Mr. Simpson questions when he was before Council, because in all American courts of justice it is the right of every American citizen to face his accuser and that right is guaranteed to him by the law. Walter Lloyd should have had an opportunity to refute the testimony of Mr. Simpson at that hearing, and he should have had a chance to produce Mr. Helfrey and Mr. Cassilly and Mr. Gordon before the Council to show that this man Simpson was lying, as he has admitted to your honor out of his own mouth, because he said to you that he wrote the words, "August 22nd, 1919. And when we get this man before a jury he will be convicted on his own handwriting, and your honor will be asked to identify your initials. He lied once and he is accused of perjury because he swore before the City Clerk to receiving his money on an evening when he was not present, and he swore that at a time when Walter Lloyd was not present and had no opportunity to cross-examine him, and had no opportunity to refute anything.

The crime of perjury is the taking of a wilful and corrupt oath, and I submit to you that you don't need more than one witness to prove that charge. Your honor is here and this man Simpson has committed perjury. Ewing has perjured himself and what the motive is is going to be developed later. It is shown by the testimony of Walter Lloyd and all of his witnesses that this man Simpson was not at the Station house on December 9th, Tuesday evening. Simpson said he was there and signed that receipt December 9th, and said he lied, and your honor we are going to ask that you hold this man for court and then we will ask that the court impose the sentence on him which he deserves. This has cast a reflection on this citizen who stands as a well known and reputable and honorable citizen, the reflection on his honor and the honor of Walter Lloyd demands a punishment imposed upon him if it is within the power of Walter Lloyd to demand. And we ask you to hold him to secure justice to Walter Lloyd.

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APPENDIX

No. 1

AN ORDINANCE—Setting aside and appropriating from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series "A" 1918, the sum of \$6,123.00 for the payment of Engineering, Mechanical and other services in the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That there is hereby set aside and appropriated from the proceeds received from the sale of Water Bonds, Series "A" 1918, the sum of \$6,123.00 for the purpose of paying the Salaries and Wages required for Engineering, Mechanical and other services performed by the employees of the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, in the improvement of an extension of water system, installation of meters, etc., in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said Bonds.*

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as "No. 187-C", Salaries and Wages.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 101.

No. 2

AN ORDINANCE—Amending an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract for repairing heating system at Penn Avenue Police Station, Bureau of Police," approved October 3, 1918, and recorded in O. B., Volume 30, Page 12.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Section 1 of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a*

contract for repairing heating system at Penn Avenue Police Station, Bureau of Police," approved October 3, 1918, and recorded in O. B., Volume 30, Page 12, which reads as follows, to-wit:

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals, and let a contract for repairing the heating system at the Penn Avenue Police Station, Bureau of Police, for a sum of money not to exceed six hundred dollars (\$600.00); in accordance with Act of Assembly entitled 'An Act for the government of cities of the second class' approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and City Ordinances in such cases made and provided; and charge the same to Code Account No. 1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police."*

Shall be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows, to-wit:

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals, and let a contract for repairing the heating system at the Penn Avenue Police Station, Bureau of Police, for a sum of money not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00); in accordance with Act of Assembly entitled "An Act for the government of cities of the second class" approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and City Ordinances in such cases made and provided; and charge the same to Code Account No. 1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police.*

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 6, 1919.
Approved January 9, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, page 101.

No. 3

AN ORDINANCE—Levying and assessing taxes and water rent for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1919, and ending December 31, 1919, upon all property subject to taxation within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That for the purpose of providing sufficient revenue for the payment of the ordinary current expenses of said city, for the payment of interest on the funded and floating indebtedness of said city and of the constituent units constituting the present City of Pittsburgh, created prior to their annexation to or consolidation with said city, for the payment of the amounts required to be paid to the several sinking funds for the retirement at maturity of the outstanding indebtedness of said city and of the constituent units constituting the present City of Pittsburgh, created prior to their annexation to or consolidation with said city, due or to become due during the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1919, and ending December 31, 1919, and for the payment of other liabilities of said city due or to become due during the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1919, and ending December 31, 1919, the following taxes shall be and the same are hereby levied and assessed upon all property taxable for state, county and city purposes within the limits of said city, viz: Fifteen and seven tenths (15.7) mills upon each dollar of the assessed valuation of land and ten and ninety-nine one hundredths (10.99) mills upon each dollar of the assessed valuation of all buildings.

Section 2. The Board of Water Assessors shall assess water rents for the period from January 1, 1919, to December 31, 1919, inclusive:

FOR EACH FAMILY USING FOR DOMESTIC PURPOSES.

One room	\$ 1.50
Each additional room, except bath room	1.00
For each premises using for domestic purposes in addition to the above:	
Sinks, slop sinks.....each	.75
Spigots, not otherwise specified	.75
Set washstands, one in bathroom.....	Free
Set washstands, self-closing.....each	1.00
Set washstands, other than self-closing	2.00
Tubs, each compartment	.50
Bath tubs	2.00
Baths, shower	5.00
Water closets, self-closing.....each	3.00

Water closets, other than self-closing	each 4.00
Water closets, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 35.00
Water closets, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	Metered rates
Water closets, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 55.00
Water closets, constant flow, with orifice larger than 1/4-inch not allowed.	
Water closets, outside.....each	3.00
Urinals, self-closing	each 1.50
Urinals, other than self-closing	each 3.00
Urinals, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 35.00
Urinals, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	Metered rates
Urinals, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 55.00
Urinals, constant flow, with orifice larger than 1/4-inch not allowed.	
Wash pave or other hose attachments, 1/2 inch or 3/4 inch (no hose connections larger than 3/4 inch allowed)	each 5.00
Lawn sprinklers	each 15.00
Hydrants, upright on public street or alley	each 10.00
Hydrants, self-closing, per family using	each .50
Hydrants, other than self-closing, per family using	each 2.00
Steam or water boilers for heating ten rooms or under.....	2.00
Additional for each room above ten	.20
Water motors for washing purposes, in houses of 1 to 4 rooms	each 3.50
Vacuum cleaners, in houses of 1 to 4 rooms	each 3.50
Water motors for washing purposes, in houses of 5 to 7 rooms	each 6.00
Vacuum cleaners, in houses of 5 to 7 rooms	each 6.00
Water motors for washing purposes, in houses, of 8 to 10 rooms	each 12.00
Vacuum cleaners, in houses of 8 to 10 rooms	each 12.00
Water motors for washing purposes, in houses of 11 to 13 rooms	each 15.00
Vacuum cleaners, in houses of 11 to 13 rooms	each 15.00
Water motors for washing purposes, in houses of 14 rooms and upwards	each 20.00
Vacuum cleaners, in houses of 14 rooms and upwards.....each	20.00
Water motors for any other purposes supplied only at metered rates.	
Motor washers shall be assessed as long as they remain on the premises.	

BOARDING AND ROOMING HOUSES.

In addition to the foregoing rates for domestic purposes:
Boarders and roomers, not exceeding five

Boarders and roomers, not exceeding ten	5.00
Boarders and roomers, not exceeding twenty-five	10.00
Boarders and roomers, each additional twenty-five	5.00

HOTELS, RESTAURANT, ETC.

Hotels of not more than twenty-five rooms	per room 1.25
Hotels of more than twenty-five rooms	per room 1.25

Bar, including water fixtures, each	30.00
	Metered rates

Kitchen, according to the number of draw cocks.....	\$10.00 to \$50.00
Sinks, slop sinks.....	each 6.50

Set washstands, cold, self-closing	each 3.00
Set washstands, hot and cold, self-closing	each 4.50

Set washstands, other than self-closing	each 7.00
Baths, private, for the use of guests	each 7.00

Baths, public	each 12.50
Baths, shower	each 15.00

Water closets, self-closing.....	each 5.50
Water closets, other than self-closing	each 9.00

Water closets, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 35.00
	Metered rates

Water closets, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 55.00
	Metered rates

Water closets, constant flow, with orifice larger than 1/4 inch not allowed.	
Urinals, self-closing	each 5.00

Urinals, other than self-closing	each 7.00
Urinals, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 35.00

	Metered rates
Urinals, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 55.00

	Metered rates
Urinals, constant flow, with orifice larger than 1/4 inch not allowed.	

Laundries attached to hotels, per room in hotel	.50
Steam or water boilers for heating, for each room from 1 to 10	.75

Additional for each room above 10	.50
Steam boilers for power purposes, per each h. p.	3.50

	Metered rates
Gas engines with circulating tanks, per each h. p.	1.50

	Metered rates
Gas engines without circulating tanks, per each h. p.	3.00

	Metered rates
Water for either cooling or flushing purposes supplied only at metered rates.	

Elevators, hydraulic, according to capacity.....	each \$100.00 to 1,500.00
Hydrants, upright, for watering horses	each 20.00

Wash pave	each 3.00
Hose, 1/2 inch or 3/4 inch.....	each 7.50

Hose, larger than 1/2 inch,	each 20.00
	Metered rates

Motor washers for washing, etc.	each 40.00
	Metered rates

Spigots for ordinary purposes not enumerated	each 8.00
Restaurants and eating houses in addition to above rates for hotels, restaurants, etc.:	

Guests, not exceeding 100 daily....	10.00
	Metered rates

Guests, not exceeding 200 daily....	20.00
	Metered rates

Guests, not exceeding 500 daily....	30.00
	Metered rates

Guests, not exceeding 1,000 daily..	50.00
	Metered rates

WORKSHOPS, STORES, OFFICES, AMUSEMENT PLACES, ETC.

Stores of any character, amusement places, meeting places, except regular meeting places of religious denominations, first floor, per 100 square feet.....

	1.00
All additional floors contained in the same building and occupied by one tenant, per 100 square feet	.75

When occupied by more than one tenant, per 100 square feet.....	1.00
Offices	each room 2.00

Office buildings, exceeding 25 rooms, shall be supplied only at	Metered rates
	Metered rates

Warehouses with water service on premises, per floor	10.00
	Metered rates

Warehouses, without water on premises	each 10.00
A warehouse is here defined as a building used solely and entirely for the storage of goods.	

In addition to the rates enumerated above:	
Sleeping rooms, with stationary washstand	each 4.00

Sleeping rooms, without stationary washstand	each 3.00
Set washstands, self-closing	each 1.50

Set washstands, other than self-closing	each 2.00
Baths	each 4.00

Shower baths	each 10.00
Water closets, self closing.....	each 3.00

Water closets, other than self-closing	each 5.00
Water closets, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 35.00

	Metered rates
Water closets, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 55.00

	Metered rates
Water closets, constant flow, with orifice larger than 1/4 inch not allowed.	

Urinals, self-closing	each 2.00
Urinals, other than self-closing	each 4.00

Urinals, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 35.00
	Metered rates

Urinals, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice each 55.00
Metered rates

Urinals, constant flow, with orifice larger than 1/4 inch not allowed.

Fixtures and water uses not enumerated under this heading shall be assessed under the heading, "Hotels, Restaurants, Etc."

Breweries, capacity 10,000 bbls. or less per annum per bbl. .03
Metered rates

Breweries, capacity 10,000 to 30,000 bbls. per annum per bbl. .02 1/2
Metered rates

Breweries, capacity 30,000 bbls. or more, per annum per bbl. .02
Metered rates

Billiard tables, from one to three tables each 1.00

Additional tables each .50

Bowling alleys, from one to three alleys each alley 1.00

Additional alleys each .50

Barber shops, no additional charge for stationary washstands, each chair 7.50

Blacksmith forges, one or two fires each fire 6.00

Blacksmith forges, additional fires each additional fire 4.00

Brick yards, summer yards, per gang of six men each gang 15.00

Brick yards, using machinery on all brick made per 1,000 .03
Metered rates

Bakeries, per bbl. of flour used per bbl. .05

Dye establishments, per tub or machine each 10.00

Laundries, per washing machine each 50.00
Metered rates

All establishments doing a laundry business for profit not using washing machines 50.00

Photograph or blue-print galleries, per bath each 15.00

Slaughter houses, per head dressed each .10
Metered rates

Hydraulic elevators, according to capacity from 100.00 to 1500.00
Metered rates

Bottling houses Metered rates

Malting houses Metered rates

Natatoriums Metered rates

Natatoriums, where the use of the same is given free to school children at least one time each week, 50 per cent of the
Metered rates

Refrigerating plants, large or small Metered rates

PUBLIC BUILDINGS OTHER THAN SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Steam or water boilers for heating, 1 to 10 h. p. per h. p. 1.00

Additional for each h. p. over 10 h. p. 2.00

Wash pave each 5.00

Fixtures or water uses not enumerated under this heading shall be assessed under the heading of "Hotels, Restaurants, Etc."

SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Rooms each 1.50

Wardrooms, cloakrooms, etc. Free

Water closets, self-closing each 3.00

Water closets, other than self-closing each 4.00

Water closets, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice each 35.00
Metered rates

Water closets, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice each 55.00
Metered rates

Water closets, constant flow, with orifice larger than 1/4 inch not allowed.

Set washstands, self-closing, each 1.00

Set washstands, other than self-closing each 2.00

Sinks, slop sinks, self-closing each 1.00

Sinks, slop sinks, other than self-closing each 2.00

Urinals, self-closing each 1.50

Urinals, other than self-closing each 3.00

Urinals, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice each 35.00
Metered rates

Urinals, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice each 55.00
Metered rates

Urinals, constant flow, with orifice larger than 1/4 inch not allowed.

Boilers for steam heating each 10.00

Boilers for power purposes per each h. p. 1.50

Gas engines with circulating tanks per each h. p. 1.50

Gas engines, without circulating tanks per each h. p. 3.00

Hose each 5.00

STABLES.

Livery and boarding stables per stall 3.00
Metered rates

Vehicles in livery or boarding stables each 3.00
Metered rates

Hose for use in livery or boarding stables each 25.00
Metered rates

Horses not in livery or boarding stables each 2.50

Vehicles not in livery or boarding stables each 2.00

Automobiles each 5.00

Cows each 1.50

Fixtures and water uses not enumerated under this heading shall, in case of public stables, be assessed under the heading, "Hotels, Restaurants, Etc." and in case of private stables, under the heading "Domestic Purposes."

SPRINKLING CARTS.

Capacity 250 gals. or less, per month 18.00

Capacity 550 gals. or less, per month.....	33.00
Capacity greater than 550 gals. per month.....	Metered rates

FOUNTAINS AND AQUARIA.

Flowing ten hours per day, six months per year, counter jets in stores, 1/16 inch.....each	8.00
.....Metered rates	
Gardens, etc., 1/16 inch jet.....each	8.00
.....Metered rates	
Gardens, etc., each additional jet.....each	3.00
.....Metered rates	
Gardens, etc., 1/4-inch jet.....each	10.00
Gardens, etc., each additional jet.....each	5.00
.....Metered rates	
Gardens, etc., 1/4-inch jet.....each	18.00
.....Metered rates	
Gardens, etc., each additional jet.....each	10.00
.....Metered rates	
Gardens, etc., 1/2 inch jet.....each	50.00
.....Metered rates	

BUILDING PURPOSES.

Stone.....per perch	.05
Brick.....per 1,000	.10
Plaster.....per 100 square yards	.50
Cement flooring.....per 100 square feet	.12
Concrete.....per cubic yard	.05

EXONERATIONS.

FOR VACANCIES—Where the premises is vacant and the entire supply of water, shall, at the owner's written notice served on the Board of Water Assessors, be turned off by their direction by the Bureau of Water, and such water shall be turned on only by the Bureau of Water, at the owner's written notice to the Board of Water Assessors, exoneration of ninety (90) per cent for the flat assessment for the period during which the water is shut off shall be issued; provided that the period during which the water is shut off is greater than sixty (60) days consecutively.

All requests for exoneration for excessive assessments must be made during the current year in which the assessments are made, or during twelve (12) months after the termination of said year, and no exoneration shall be granted after said period has expired.

FOR CHANGES IN WATER USES—

Where fixtures are removed and water uses discontinued, exoneration will be issued covering the discontinued use from the date of approval of a contract covering the revised water uses. In case any owner of any premises shall cause or allow water to be used for any purpose or in any fixture for which there is no approved water contract on file in the office of the Bureau of Water, the rate for such usage or fixture shall be at the rate specified in the foregoing schedule, and shall date from the pre-

ceding January 1, and the water for the entire premises shall be shut off until an approved contract for such additional water uses or fixtures has been signed and placed on file in the office of the Bureau of Water.

All fixtures on any premises, whether used or not, will be assessed as long as they remain in position.

WATER FOR FIRE PURPOSES.

No charge shall be made for water used during fires. All water used through fire systems, except during fires, shall be charged for at metered rates. All fire systems shall be metered, excepting sprinkler head systems, and the minimum charge for each quarter year shall be as follows:

2" and 3" meters.....	\$2.00 per quarter
4" meters.....	3.00 per quarter
6" meters and over.....	4.50 per quarter

EXPLANATION OF FOREGOING SCHEDULE.

In the foregoing schedule of rates, in cases where both flat and metered rates are specified, such flat rates shall govern until a meter or meters, controlling the entire supply of water, shall have been furnished by the City of Pittsburgh and installed, when the metered water rates, rules and regulations shall govern. In the foregoing schedule of rates, in cases where metered rates only are specified and the meter or meters are not in service or approved service during any portion of the water rent period, the registration for the portion of the water rent period during which the meter or meters are in approved service, or the registration during the preceding water rent period, shall be applied pro rata to the period during which the meter or meters are not in approved service. All water supplied at metered rates shall be at the following rates per quarter year:

METERED WATER RATES.

First 250,000 gallons or less.....	18c per 1,000 gallons
Second 250,000 gallons or less.....	16c per 1,000 gallons
Third 250,000 gallons or less.....	14c per 1,000 gallons
Fourth 250,000 gallons or more.....	12c per 1,000 gallons

Hospitals, dispensaries, and such other charities as are supported by public and private contributions, shall be charged at the rate of seven (7) cents per thousand gallons.

All hospitals and charitable institutions operating and maintaining laundries for commercial purposes, or maintaining and operating hydraulic power producing machinery, shall pay the usual and fixed rate for all water used for such purposes.

All hospitals or charitable institutions within the City of Pittsburgh which operate and maintain laundries for commercial purposes, or operate

hydraulic power producing machinery, shall maintain separate water lines for such laundries or hydraulic power producing machinery, and all water used for such purposes shall be separately and specially metered.

For all water taken, the rate for which is not specifically provided and which is not measured by meter, the quantities shall be estimated and charged for at the above metered rates; and provided, further, that in no case where metered water rates are in force shall the charge for each premises for each quarter be less than the amount specified in the following schedule:

25 cents per quarter for 1 and 2 roomed dwelling house premises.

50 cents per quarter for 3 and 4 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$1.00 per quarter for 5 and 6 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$1.25 per quarter for 7 and 8 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$2.00 per quarter for 9 and 10 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$2.50 per quarter for 11 and 12 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$3.00 per quarter for 13 and 14 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$4.00 per quarter for 15 and 16 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$5.00 per quarter for dwelling house premises of more than 16 rooms; and for all premises not included in the above schedule the minimum charge shall be 2½ per cent of the yearly flat assessment per quarter, excepting in each case where a premise is equipped with an auxiliary water supply consisting of a pumping engine of not less than 50,000 gallons per day capacity and a reserve tank of not less than 3,000 gallons capacity, the minimum charge for each quarter year shall be as follows:

For each ½-inch meter.....	\$ 2.00
For each ¾-inch meter.....	3.00
For each 1 inch meter.....	5.00
For each 1¼-inch meter.....	7.50
For each 1½-inch meter.....	10.00
For each 2-inch meter.....	12.50
For each 3-inch meter.....	20.00
For each 4-inch meter.....	30.00
For each meter larger than 4-inch.....	50.00

The meter or meters to be used must first be approved by the Bureau of Water, must be installed under the direction of and in a manner satisfactory to the Bureau of Water, shall at all times be accessible to the Board of Water Assessors and the Managing Engineer of the Bureau of Water, their agents or assistants. Metered rates charged to any premises cannot be changed to flat rates. All auxiliary meters and all meters for fire service must be furnished by and at the expense of the property owner.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same

is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 8, 1919.

Approved January 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 102.

No. 4

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Cowan street, from Southern avenue to Prospect street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the south curb line of Cowan street, from Southern avenue to Prospect street be and the same is hereby re-established, as follows, to wit:—

Beginning on the west curb line of Southern avenue at an elevation of 458.22 feet (curb as set); thence rising at the rate of five feet per 100 feet for the distance of 6.02 feet to the west line of Southern avenue to an elevation of 458.52 feet; thence rising at the rate of 12.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 127.12 feet to the east line of Norton street, to an elevation of 473.77 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 53.64 feet to the west line of Norton street, to an elevation of 476.45 feet; thence rising at the rate of 13.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 268.01 feet to the east line of Dilworth street, to an elevation of 512.63 feet; thence rising at the rate of 3.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 14 feet to the east curb line of Dilworth street, to an elevation of 513.05 feet; thence level for the distance of 22 feet to the west curb line of Dilworth street to an elevation of 513.05 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5.02 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 252.10 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 500.39 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 20.90 feet to the east curb line of Prospect street, to an elevation of 499.77 feet (curb as set).

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 13, 1919.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 111.

No. 5

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the widths and positions of the sidewalks and roadway and re-establishing the grade of Dilworth street, from Cowan street to Gray street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That

the widths and positions of the sidewalks and roadway and the grade of the west curb line of Dilworth street, from Cowan street to Gray street shall be and the same are hereby fixed and re-established as follows, to-wit:

The roadway shall have a uniform width of twenty-two (22) feet and shall occupy the central portion of the street, the center line of the roadway being coincident with the center line of the street.

The sidewalks shall each have a uniform width of fourteen (14) feet and shall occupy the spaces lying between the roadway as above described and the side lines of the street.

Section 2. The grade of the west curb line shall begin on the south curb line of Cowan street at an elevation of 513.05 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 9 feet to the south line of Cowan street to an elevation of 512.60 feet; thence falling at the rate of 11.02 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 260.76 feet to the north line of Gray street to an elevation of 483.87 feet; thence falling at the rate of 2.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 8 feet to the north curb line of Gray street to an elevation of 483.67 feet.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 13, 1919.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 112.

No. 6

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Cowan street, from Dilworth street to Southern avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Cowan street, from Dilworth street to Southern avenue be graded, paved and curbed.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price

or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of fourteen thousand (\$14,000.00) dollars which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 13, 1919.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 113.

No. 7

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the grading to a width of 38 feet, paving and curbing of Dilworth street from Gray street to Cowan street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Dilworth street, from Gray street to Cowan street be graded to a width of 38 feet, paved and curbed.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading to a width of 38 feet, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of nine thousand (\$9,000.00) dollars which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the

provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 13, 1919.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 114.

No. 8

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Fredonia street from Lorenz avenue to the city line, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Fredonia street, from Lorenz avenue to the city line be graded, paved and curbed.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of twelve thousand (\$12,000.00) dollars which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance. With special reference to Ordinance No. 260, approved June 20, 1916.

Passed January 13, 1919.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 114.

No. 9

AN ORDINANCE—Making appropriations to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City of Pittsburgh and for meeting the debt charges thereof for the fiscal year be-

ginning January 1, 1919, and ending December 31, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* the revenues of said City derived from taxes and other sources during the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1919, and ending December 31, 1919, are hereby appropriated in the sum of \$15,994,011.56 to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City of Pittsburgh and meeting the debt charges thereof during said fiscal year beginning January 1, 1919, and ending December 31, 1919, and all unencumbered balances of appropriations remaining open on the books of the City Controller at the close of the fiscal year shall be and the same are hereby ordered to be cancelled, except such amounts as shall be specially requested by letter from the Director or Chairman of the special activity having the matter in charge, certifying that the amounts requested are required for the purpose for which specifically appropriated, or such amounts as shall be directed to be carried over to the fiscal year 1919 by ordinance or resolution of Council.

Section 2. No liability shall be incurred against any appropriation item in excess of the unencumbered balance thereof, and said appropriation items shall be administered subject to and in conformity with the following terms and conditions:

(a) The heads of the several departments shall prepare their several payrolls for audit by the Controller in accordance with the items of the ordinance establishing the respective positions and rates of compensation, and no payroll shall be approved by the Controller unless the incumbents and the rates of compensation agree with the items of said ordinance.

(b) There shall be affixed to all payrolls a certificate made by the person preparing such payrolls to the effect that there is a time record on file in said department certified to by a person or persons having knowledge of the facts, showing the character of services and the exact time of employment of each person named in the payroll, and that the distribution of the time as shown on the payroll is in accordance with such time records.

(c) No transfer shall be made from one appropriation item to another except by resolution of Council, and such resolution shall in each case set forth the reasons for such request, and be accompanied by a certification from the Controller stating that there is a sufficient balance unencumbered and available in the appropriation item from which the transfer is to be made.

(d) All appropriations herein other

than for personal service are made under the following conditions:

(1) In so far as practicable, all contracts and open market orders for purchases to be charged against such appropriations shall be based upon specifications which are definite and certain as to character and quality and which conform with such standard specifications as may be established by Council.

(2) In so far as such standard specifications may be established by Council, the Controller at the time of certification of contracts shall also certify that the specifications therefor are in conformity with those previously adopted as standard.

(3) All open market orders issued for supplies, materials, equipment or machinery, for which standard specifications shall have been prescribed, shall contain a description of what is ordered which conforms with such standard specifications.

Section 3. The Director of the Department of Supplies is hereby authorized and directed to provide upon requisition by the head of any department, all necessary supplies, materials, equipment and machinery for such department; provided, however, that no requisition of any department shall be filled by the Director of the Department of Supplies in excess of the unencumbered balance of the appropriation properly chargeable. Payments on account of direct purchases shall be made from the amounts herein appropriated therefor respectively. Purchases

made by the Director of the Department of Supplies to go into stores shall be paid for from the fund provided for such purpose, and when and as directed by the Controller said fund shall be reimbursed from other appropriations to the extent of deliveries made from stores.

Section 4. The head of each department is hereby directed to furnish Council, within fifteen days after the close of each quarter, the following statements, which shall be made on forms to be prescribed by the Controller:

(a) Work accomplished or services rendered during the quarter and the cost thereof, on a consumption basis, classified according to the standard budget titles.

(b) Number of units of work or services in all cases where work or services can be measured in units, and the average cost per unit on a consumption basis.

(c) Inventory of supplies, materials and equipment:

(1) On hand at beginning of quarter.

(2) Purchased or received from general stores during quarter.

(3) Consumed or used during quarter.

(4) On hand at end of quarter.

Section 5. For purposes of administration and accounting control, the code symbols indicated herein shall be considered as part of the appropriation titles:

Code Acct.
Number. Class.

Amount
Appropriated. Total.

COUNCIL AND CITY CLERK.

I-A-13a-Council.

1001	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$58,500.00
I-A-13b-City Clerks.			
1002	A 2	Salaries, Regular Employees	14,070.00
1003	B	Miscellaneous Services	16,217.00
1004	C	Supplies	7,500.00
1005	M	Contingent Fund	1,000.00

BUILDING CODE COMMITTEE.

I-A-13c-Legislative Investigations.

1007	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	4,740.00
1008	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,450.00
1009	C	Supplies	1,400.00

DIVISION OF INVESTIGATION.

1010	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	9,750.00
1011	B	Miscellaneous Services	40.00
1012	C	Supplies	75.00
1013	M	Council's Investigation Fund	10,000.00
			\$124,742.00

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

I-B-14a-Mayor.

1014	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$32,880.00
1015	B	Miscellaneous Services	825.00
1016	C	Supplies	4,750.00
1017	E	Repairs	40.00

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
1018	F	Equipment and Machinery	375.00	
1018-A	M	Water Works Appraisal	10,000.00	
1018-B	M	Unpaid bills, Bureau of Housing	2,000.00	
		I-C-19a-Police Magistrates.		
1019	A-1	Salaries, Regular Employees	16,800.00	
1020	B	Miscellaneous Services	760.00	
1021	C	Supplies	500.00	
1022	F	Equipment and Machinery	75.00	
		Morals Court.		
1023	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	7,330.00	
1024	B	Miscellaneous Services	75.00	
1025	C	Supplies	225.00	
1026	F	Equipment and Machinery	1,800.00	
		CIVIC AND WAR COMMITTEE.		
		VIII-70b-Celebrations.		
1027	M	Civic and War Committee	25,000.00	\$103,435.00
		DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES.		
		IX-76f-Incidental Operating Accounts.		
1028	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$16,650.00	
1029	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	7,792.75	
1030	B	Miscellaneous Services	4,527.52	
1031	C	Supplies	8,500.00	
1032	D	Materials	9,000.00	
1033	E	Repairs	4,000.00	
1034	F	Equipment and Machinery	250.00	\$50,720.27
		BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY.		
		IX-76g-Incidental Operating Accounts.		
1035	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 3,590.00	
1036	B	Miscellaneous Services	20,088.00	
1037	C	Supplies	133,110.00	
1038	F	Equipment and Machinery	275.00	\$157,063.00
		CITY ARCHITECT.		
		IX-76b-City Architect.		
1039	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 9,370.00	
1040	B	Miscellaneous Services	65.00	
1041	C	Supplies	125.00	\$9,560.00
		TRANSIT COMMISSION.		
		I-B-17h-Traffic Investigation.		
1042	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$11,300.00	
1043	B	Miscellaneous Services	200.00	
1044	C	Supplies	500.00	\$12,000.00
		WAR FARM GARDENS.		
		I-B-14b-Executive Boards and Commissions.		
1045	M	War Farm Gardens	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
		Total, Mayor's Office		\$342,778.27
		DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER.		
		I-B-15a-Controller.		
1046	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$47,020.00	
1047	B	Miscellaneous Services	650.00	
1048	C	Supplies	1,240.00	
1049	D	Materials	250.00	
1050	E	Repairs	100.00	
1051	F	Equipment and Machinery	125.00	
		I-B-15f-Other Finance Accounts.		
1052	B	Registrar's fees and debt statements.....	7,500.00	
1053	B	Attorneys' fees, bond issues	1,500.00	\$58,385.00

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
BUREAU OF ACCOUNTING REVISION.				
I-B-15b-Special Accounting.				
1054	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$14,950.00	
1055	B	Miscellaneous Services	125.00	
1056	C	Supplies	1,500.00	
1057	E	Repairs	75.00	
1058	F	Equipment and Machinery	50.00	
				\$16,700.00
Total, Department of City Controller				\$75,085.00
DEPARTMENT OF TREASURER.				
I-B-15c-Treasurer.				
1060	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$43,730.00	
1061	A 2	Salaries, Temporary Employees	12,710.00	
1062	B	Miscellaneous Services	7,390.00	
1063	C	Supplies	6,800.00	
1065	E	Repairs	90.00	
1066	F	Equipment and Machinery	605.00	
				\$71,325.00
DEPARTMENT OF COLLECTOR OF DELINQUENT TAXES.				
I-B-15c-Collection of Revenue.				
1067	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$23,190.00	
1068	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,280.00	
1069	B	Advertising Delinquent Taxes	25,000.00	
1070	C	Supplies	875.00	
1071	E	Repairs	50.00	
1072	F	Equipment and Machinery	115.00	
				\$50,510.00
DEPARTMENT OF LAW.				
I-B-16a-City Solicitor.				
1073	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$54,860.00	
1074	B	Miscellaneous Services	9,080.00	
1075	B	Witness Fees	12,000.00	
1076	C	Supplies	1,400.00	
1078	F	Equipment and Machinery	225.00	
1080	M	Preparing and Prosecuting Litigation Against Public Service Companies	50,000.00	
1081	M	IX-77a-Settlement for Personal Injuries, Etc. Petty Claims Fund	\$ 1,500.00	
				\$129,065.00
DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENTS.				
V-44a-Rights of Way-Roadways.				
IV-36a-Sewers.				
1082	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 9,970.00	
1083	B	Miscellaneous Services	2,660.00	
1084	C	Supplies	350.00	
1086	F	Equipment and Machinery	57.00	
1087	H	100f-Miscellaneous Investments. Purchase of land, Sheriff's Sales	500.00	
				\$13,537.00
BUREAU OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.				
V-44a-Rights of Way-Roadways.				
IV-36a-Sewers.				
1088	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$18,960.00	
1089	B	Miscellaneous Services	3,295.00	
1090	C	Supplies	650.00	
1092	F	Equipment and Machinery	180.00	
				\$23,085.00
Total, Department of Law				\$165,687.00

Code Number.	Acct. Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSORS.				
I-B-15d-Assessment and Levy of Revenue.				
1093	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$64,430.00	
1094	A 2	Salaries, Temporary Employees	1,075.00	
1095	B	Miscellaneous Services	230.00	
1096	C	Supplies	2,150.00	
1098	E	Repairs	90.00	
1099	F	Equipment and Machinery	75.00	
				<u>\$68,050.00</u>
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.				
I-B-17b-General Executive.				
1100	M	Maintenance Fund	\$23,850.00	<u>\$23,850.00</u>
DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING.				
I-B-17f-General Executive.				
1108	B	Miscellaneous Services	\$ 100.00	<u>\$100.00</u>
ART COMMISSION.				
I-B-17a-General Executive.				
1113	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$2,270.00	
1114	B	Miscellaneous Services	\$700.00	
1115	C	Supplies	50.00	
1116	E	Repairs	25.00	
1117	F	Equipment and Machinery	50.00	
				<u>\$3,095.00</u>
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY—GENERAL OFFICE				
II-22-General Supervision.				
1126	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$32,530.00	
1128	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	47,774.25	
1130	B	Miscellaneous Services	700.00	
1131	C	Supplies	1,570.00	
1132	D	Materials	150.00	
1133	E	Repairs	5,450.00	
1134	F	Equipment and Machinery	3,700.00	
				<u>\$91,874.25</u>
DIVISION OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.				
II-27a-Inspection Weights and Measures.				
1135	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$14,620.00	
1136	B	Miscellaneous Services	200.00	
1137	C	Supplies	150.00	
1138	E	Repairs	10.00	
1139	F	Equipment	135.00	
				<u>\$15,115.00</u>
DIVISION OF BOILER INSPECTION.				
II-27c-Boiler Inspection.				
1140	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 7,040.00	
1141	B	Miscellaneous Services	100.00	
1142	C	Supplies	60.00	
				<u>\$7,200.00</u>
Total, General Office, Department of Public Safety				<u>\$114,189.25</u>
BUREAU OF POLICE.				
II-23-Police Department.				
1144	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$1,547,510.00	
1145	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	48,307.75	
1146	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	5,313.00	
1147	B	Miscellaneous Services	12,500.00	
1148	C	Supplies	7,750.00	
1149	D	Materials	2,100.00	
1150	E	Repairs	3,400.00	
1152	E	Repairs, Forty-third Street Station.....	850.00	
1153	E	Repairs, Mt. Washington Station.....	1,600.00	
1155	E	Repairs, Woods Run Station	2,600.00	

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
1156	F	Equipment and Machinery	8,870.00	
1159	O	Refunds for Uniforms	200.00	
1158	M	Local Secret Service Fund	750.00	
1158-A	M	Travelling expenses	750.00	
II-28d-Dog Pound.				
1160	B	Miscellaneous Services	10,500.00	
				<u>\$1,653,000.75</u>

BUREAU OF FIRE.

II-24a-Fire Department.

1161	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$1,541,580.00	
1162	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	41,127.40	
1163	B	Miscellaneous Services	3,200.00	
1164	C	Supplies	22,500.00	
1165	D	Materials	22,200.00	
1166	E	Repairs	24,375.00	
1168	F	Equipment and Machinery	109,800.00	
1169	F	Fire hose	16,800.00	
1169-A	M	Firemen's Equalization Fund	40,000.00	
B-105e-Firemen's Disability Fund.				
1170		Firemen's Disability Fund	27,630.00	
				<u>\$1,849,212.40</u>

BUREAU OF ELECTRICITY.

II-28a-Undistributed Cost.

1171	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$71,880.00	
1173	B	Miscellaneous Services	16,600.00	
1174	C	Supplies	1,750.00	
1175	D	Materials	12,300.00	
1176	E	Repairs	500.00	
1177	F	Equipment and Machinery	4,600.00	
1178	G	Miscellaneous Conduit Construction	1,500.00	
1178-A	M	Operators' Equalization Fund	600.00	
B-105e-Firemen's Disability Fund.				
1179	L	Firemen's Disability Fund	1,140.00	
				<u>\$110,870.00</u>

BUREAU OF BUILDING INSPECTION.

II-27d-Building Inspection.

1180	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$77,230.00	
1181	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,500.00	
1182	C	Supplies	700.00	
1183	D	Materials	70.00	
1184	F	Equipment	220.00	
B-105e-Firemen's Disability Fund.				
1185	L	Firemen's Disability Fund	270.00	
				<u>\$79,990.00</u>

Total, Department of Public Safety..... \$3,807,262.40

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—GENERAL OFFICE

III-30-Administration.

1189	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$12,940.00	
1190	B	Miscellaneous Services	70.00	
1191	C	Supplies	290.00	
1192	E	Repairs	35.00	
1193	F	Equipment and Machinery	35.00	
				<u>\$13,370.00</u>

BUREAU OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

III-32c-Other Treatment and Prevention of Communicable Diseases.

1194	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$10,480.00	
1195	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,090.00	
1196	C	Supplies	300.00	
1197	E	Repairs	10.00	
1198	F	Equipment	30.00	
				<u>\$11,910.00</u>

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DIVISION OF REGISTRATION.

III-31-Vital Statistics.

1199	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$3,510.00	
1200	B	Miscellaneous Services	624.00	
1201	C	Supplies	70.00	
1202	E	Repairs	10.00	
				\$4,214.00

DIVISION OF TRANSMISSIBLE DISEASES.

III-32c-Other Treatment and Prevention of Communicable Diseases.

1203	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$34,330.00	
1204	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	1,800.00	
1205	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,600.00	
1206	C	Supplies	15,300.00	
1207	D	Materials	20.00	
				\$53,050.00

DIVISION OF BACTERIOLOGY.

III-30-Administration.

1210	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$17,320.00	
1212	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	930.00	
1214	B	Miscellaneous Services	415.00	
1215	C	Supplies	1,080.00	
1216	D	Materials	40.00	
1217	E	Repairs	100.00	
1218	F	Equipment and Machinery	800.00	
				\$20,685.00

TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL.

III-32a-Tuberculosis Hospital, etc.

1219	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$33,300.00	
1221	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	17,208.15	
1223	B	Miscellaneous Services	85.00	
1224	C	Supplies	35,000.00	
1225	D	Materials	500.00	
1226	E	Repairs	950.00	
1227	F	Equipment and Machinery	2,500.00	
				\$89,543.15

MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL.

III-32b-Other Hospitals for Communicable Diseases.

1228	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$34,272.00	
1229	A 2	Salaries, Temporary Employees	1,200.00	
1230	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	23,196.65	
1231	B	Miscellaneous Services	530.00	
1232	C	Supplies	24,500.00	
1234	D	Materials	700.00	
1235	E	Repairs	530.00	
1236	F	Equipment and Machinery	1,500.00	
				\$86,428.65

Total, Bureau of Infectious Diseases. \$265,830.80

BUREAU OF CHILD WELFARE.

III-33-Conservation of Child Life.

1240	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$97,850.00	
1241	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	2,800.00	
1242	B	Miscellaneous Services	3,000.00	
1243	C	Supplies	22,500.00	
1244	E	Repairs	30.00	
1245	F	Equipment	580.00	
				\$126,760.00

BUREAU OF SMOKE REGULATION.

IV-41a-Smoke Prevention.

1246	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$13,880.00	
1247	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	300.00	
1248	B	Miscellaneous Services	460.00	
1249	C	Supplies	300.00	
1251	E	Repairs	30.00	
1252	F	Equipment and Machinery	10.00	
				\$14,980.00

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BUREAU OF SANITATION.				
IV-41d-Administration.				
1253	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$7,300.00	
1254	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	11,400.00	
1255	B	Miscellaneous Services	315.00	
1256	C	Supplies	140.00	
1257	E	Repairs	30.00	
1258	F	Equipment	3.50	
IV-37b-Refuse Collection.				
IV-38-Refuse Disposal.				
1259	B	Garbage and Rubbish Disposal	\$779,000.00	\$798,188.50
DIVISION OF PLUMBING AND HOUSE DRAINAGE.				
II-27h-Plumbing Inspection.				
1262	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$26,920.00	
1263	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	500.00	
1264	B	Miscellaneous Services	500.00	
1265	C	Supplies	200.00	
1267	E	Repairs	20.00	
1268	F	Equipment	5.00	\$28,145.00
DIVISION OF HOUSING AND SANITARY INSPECTION.				
IV-41b-Sanitary Inspection.				
1269	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$54,830.00	
1270	B	Miscellaneous Services	50.00	
1271	C	Supplies	300.00	\$55,180.00
Total, Bureau of Sanitation				\$881,513.50
BUREAU OF FOOD INSPECTION.				
III-34c-Food Inspection and Regulation.				
1275	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$7,300.00	
1276	B	Miscellaneous Services	50.00	
1277	C	Supplies	90.00	\$7,440.00
DIVISION OF DAIRY INSPECTION.				
III-34a-Dairy Control.				
1281	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$17,700.00	
1283	B	Miscellaneous Services	10,000.00	
1284	C	Supplies	90.00	\$27,790.00
DIVISION OF MEAT INSPECTION.				
III-34b-Other Food Regulation.				
1288	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$14,460.00	
1289	B	Miscellaneous Services	300.00	
1290	C	Supplies	20.00	\$14,780.00
DIVISION OF MILK AND MISCELLANEOUS FOOD INSPECTION.				
III-34c-Milk and Other Food Control.				
1291	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$20,720.00	
1292	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	2,160.00	
1293	B	Miscellaneous Services	400.00	
1294	C	Supplies	400.00	
1297	E	Repairs	25.00	
1298	F	Equipment	300.00	\$24,005.00
Total, Bureau of Food Inspection				74,015.00
Total, Department of Public Health				\$1,376,469.30

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES—GENERAL OFFICE.				
VI-54-General Supervision of Charities.				
1299	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$19,100.00	
1301	B	Miscellaneous Services	3,200.00	
1302	C	Supplies	260.00	
1304	E	Repairs	130.00	
1305	F	Equipment and Machinery	50.00	
VI-55a-Medical Service, by City Direct.				
1306	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$13,970.00	
1307	C	Supplies	1,000.00	
VI-55b-Other by City Direct.				
1308	B	Miscellaneous Services	7,000.00	
VI-56b-Other Civil Divisions.				
1310	B	Miscellaneous Services	300.00	
VI-57b-Care of Children-Other Civil Divisions.				
1311	B	Miscellaneous Services	4,750.00	
VI-58a-Other Charities—Undistributed Cost.				
1313	B	Miscellaneous Services	950.00	
VI-59c-Hospitals and Private Association.				
1314	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,000.00	
VI-60-Insane in Institutions.				
1315	B	Miscellaneous Services	312.00	
				\$52,122.00
MAYVIEW CITY HOME AND HOSPITALS.				
III-32a-Tuberculosis Hospitals.				
VI-56a-Poor in Institutions of City.				
VI-60-Insane in Institutions.				
1316	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$128,729.00	
1317	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	33,323.50	
1318	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	8,550.00	
1319	B	Miscellaneous Services	4,300.00	
1320	C	Supplies	245,000.00	
1321	D	Materials	12,800.00	
1322	E	Repairs	1,375.00	
1323	F	Equipment and Machinery	17,000.00	
1324	D	Special Materials	1,000.00	
MAYVIEW COAL MINE.				
IX-76a-Coal Mine.				
1325	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 2,100.00	
1325-A	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	31,850.00	
1325-B	C	Supplies	1,450.00	
1325-C	D	Materials	3,250.00	
1325-D	E	Repairs	500.00	
1325-E	F	Equipment and Machinery	1,200.00	
				\$492,427.50
Total, Department of Charities				\$544,549.50
DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.				
IX-76c-Purchase and Distribution of Supplies				
1326	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$28,190.00	
1327	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	5,528.00	
1328	B	Miscellaneous Services	3,755.00	
1329	C	Supplies	1,500.00	
1330	D	Materials	140.00	
1331	E	Repairs	220.00	
1332	F	Equipment and Machinery	1,420.00	
				\$40,753.00
BOARD OF WATER ASSESSORS.				
X-81-Water Supply Systems.				
1340	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$57,020.00	
1342	B	Miscellaneous Services	4,800.00	
1343	C	Supplies	1,200.00	
1344	D	Materials	10.00	
1345	E	Repairs	100.00	
1346	F	Equipment and Machinery	475.00	
				\$63,605.00

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CARNEGIE FREE LIBRARY, NORTH SIDE.				
VII-67-Libraries.				
1347	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$28,370.00	
1348	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	12,800.00	
1349	B	Miscellaneous Services	725.00	
1350	C	Supplies	5,350.00	
1351	D	Materials	75.00	
1352	E	Repairs	2,920.00	
1353	F	Equipment and Machinery	13,300.00	
				\$63,540.00
WOODS RUN BRANCH.				
1354	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 2,970.00	
1355	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	860.75	
1356	B	Miscellaneous Services	780.00	
1357	C	Supplies	150.00	
1358	F	Equipment and Machinery	3,320.00	
				\$8,080.75
Total, Carnegie Free Library, North Side.....				\$71,620.75
CARNEGIE FREE LIBRARY OF PITTSBURGH.				
1359	N	Salaries and Wages	\$160,610.00	
1360	N	Miscellaneous Services	2,500.00	
1361	N	Supplies and Materials	9,200.00	
1362	N	Equipment and Machinery	40,190.00	
				\$212,500.00
BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS.				
1363	N	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$57,130.00	
1364	N	Miscellaneous Services	2,000.00	
1365	N	Supplies and Materials	27,770.00	
1366	N	Equipment and Machinery	600.00	
				\$87,500.00
Total, Carnegie Free Library of Pittsburgh.....				\$300,000.00
ALLEGHENY PLAYGROUNDS ASSOCIATION.				
VIII-70d-Athletics and Playgrounds.				
1367	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$8,340.00	
1368	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	15,570.00	
1369	B	Miscellaneous Services	400.00	
1370	C	Supplies	6,000.00	
1371	D	Materials	375.00	
1372	E	Repairs	350.00	
1373	F	Equipment and Machinery	1,350.00	
1374	G	Structural and Non-Structural Improvements....	1,000.00	
1375	O	Taxes	725.00	
				\$34,110.00
PENNSYLVANIA ASSOCIATION FOR BLIND.				
VI-58b-Workshop for the Blind.				
1381	N	Maintenance Fund	\$29,000.00	
				\$29,000.00
SOHO PUBLIC BATHS.				
VIII-70c-Baths.				
1382	N	Maintenance Fund	\$10,000.00	
				\$10,000.00
PUBLIC WASH HOUSE AND BATH ASSOCIATION.				
IV-39-Public Laundries and Wash Houses.				
VIII-70c-Baths.				
1383	N	Maintenance Fund	\$6,000.00	
				\$6,000.00
VISITING NURSES' ASSOCIATION.				
VI-55d-Services Through Private Associations.				
1384	N	Maintenance Fund	\$2,500.00	
				\$2,500.00

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CELEBRATION OF MEMORIAL DAY.				
VIII 70b-Celebrations.				
1385	N	Grand Army of the Republic.....	\$3,200.00	
1386	N	Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U. S.....	500.00	
1387	N	United Spanish War Veterans	500.00	\$4,200.00
WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA HUMANE SOCIETY.				
II-28c-Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.				
1388	N	Maintenance Fund	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
FLOOD COMMISSION.				
II-28b-Other Protection to Person and Property.				
1389	N	Maintenance Fund	\$3,500.00	\$3,500.00
WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.				
VII-67-Libraries.				
1390	N	Maintenance Fund	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
WOODS RUN SETTLEMENT ASSOCIATION.				
VI-58c-Other Charities.				
1391	N	Maintenance Fund	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.				
I-B-17c-General Executive.				
1401	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees.....	\$17,540.00	
1402	B	Miscellaneous Services	235.00	
1403	C	Supplies	300.00	
1404	E	Repairs	40.00	
1405	F	Equipment	80.00	\$18,195.00
DIVISION OF ACCOUNTING.				
1406	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$14,380.00	
1406-A	B	Miscellaneous Services	25.00	
1406-B	C	Supplies	625.00	
1406-C	E	Repairs	25.00	
1406-D	F	Equipment	25.00	\$15,080.00
PHOTOGRAPHIC DIVISION.				
IX-76e-Photographs and Blueprints.				
1407	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$2,940.00	
1408	B	Miscellaneous Services	25.00	
1409	C	Supplies	430.00	
1410	D	Materials	85.00	
1411	E	Repairs	25.00	
1412	F	Equipment	50.00	\$3,555.00
Total, General Office, Department of Public Works.....				\$36,830.00
BUREAU OF ENGINEERING—GENERAL OFFICE.				
I-B-17d-General Executive.				
1413	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$15,240.00	
1414	B	Miscellaneous Services	2,875.00	
1415	C	Supplies	1,500.00	
1416	D	Materials	225.00	
1417	E	Repairs	250.00	
1418	F	Equipment and Machinery	130.00	
1419	D	Castings	10,000.00	\$30,220.00

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DIVISION OF SURVEYS.				
1420	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$64,130.00	
1421	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	3,543.75	
1422	B	Miscellaneous services	450.00	
1423	C	Supplies	750.00	
1424	D	Materials	800.00	
1425	E	Repairs	370.00	
1426	F	Equipment and Machinery	440.00	
				\$70,483.75
DIVISION OF DESIGN.				
1428	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$20,100.00	
1429	B	Miscellaneous Services	25.00	
1430	C	Supplies	500.00	
1431	D	Materials	5.00	
1432	E	Repairs	25.00	
1433	F	Equipment	100.00	
				\$20,755.00
DIVISION OF STREET SIGNS.				
V-45g-Street Signs.				
1439	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$3,420.00	
1440	B	Miscellaneous Services	100.00	
1441	C	Supplies	30.00	
1442	D	Materials	1,500.00	
1443	F	Equipment and Machinery	20.00	
				\$5,070.00
DIVISION OF BRIDGES.				
V-45c-Bridges Other Than Toll.				
1448	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$16,110.00	
1449	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	2,910.00	
1450	B	Miscellaneous Services	75.00	
1451	C	Supplies	240.00	
1452	D	Materials	5.00	
1453	E	Repairs	25.00	
1454	E	Repair Schedule	57,300.00	
1456	F	Equipment and Machinery	175.00	
				\$76,840.00
BRIDGE REPAIRS—CITY FORCE.				
1457	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$1,830.00	
1458	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	8,350.00	
1459	B	Miscellaneous Services	350.00	
1460	C	Supplies	175.00	
1461	D	Materials	5,000.00	
1462	E	Repairs	100.00	
1463	F	Equipment	255.00	
				\$16,060.00
BRIDGE REPAINTING—CITY FORCE.				
1464	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$1,830.00	
1465	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	12,000.00	
1466	B	Miscellaneous Services	250.00	
1467	C	Supplies	475.00	
1468	D	Materials	7,000.00	
1469	F	Equipment and Machinery	325.00	
				\$21,880.00
Total, Division of Bridges				\$114,780.00
DIVISION OF SEWERS.				
IV-36a-Sewers and Drains.				
1470	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$30,240.00	
1471	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	8,730.00	
1472	B	Miscellaneous Services	400.00	
1473	C	Supplies	300.00	
1474	D	Materials	10.00	
1475	E	Repairs	15.00	
1476	E	Repair Schedule	40,000.00	
1477	F	Equipment and Machinery	125.00	
				\$79,820.00

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DIVISION OF STREETS.				
V-43—General Administration of Highways.				
1482	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$36,540.00	
1483	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	8,720.00	
1484	B	Miscellaneous Services	600.00	
1485	C	Supplies	450.00	
1486	D	Materials	10.00	
1487	E	Repairs	100.00	
1488	F	Equipment and Machinery	145.00	
V-44—Roadways of Streets, Roads and Alleys.				
1489	M	Drilling and Test Pits.....	2,500.00	
1490	G	Retaining Wall Schedule	20,000.00	
1491	E	General Repaving	275,000.00	
				\$344,075.00
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF FENCES.				
V-45f—Fences.				
1492	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$ 1,795.00	
1493	C	Supplies	30.00	
1494	D	Materials	450.00	
1495	F	Equipment and Machinery	25.00	
1496	G	Structural and Non-Structural Improvements..	1,150.00	
				\$3,450.00
Total, Bureau of Engineering				\$688,653.75
BUREAU OF DEED REGISTRY.				
I-B-15d—Deed Registry.				
1497	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 7,920.00	
1498	B	Miscellaneous Services	25.00	
1499	C	Supplies	100.00	
1500	E	Repairs	100.00	
1501	F	Equipment	155.00	
				\$8,300.00
BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS AND SEWERS—GENERAL OFFICE.				
I-B-17e—General Executive.				
1502	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$17,180.00	
1503	B	Miscellaneous Services	625.00	
1504	C	Supplies	700.00	
1505	F	Repairs	70.00	
1506	F	Equipment and Machinery.....	75.00	
				\$18,650.00
DIVISION OFFICES.				
1507	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$98,210.00	
1508	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,370.00	
1509	C	Supplies	680.00	
1510	F	Equipment and Machinery	85.00	
				\$100,345.00
STABLES AND YARDS.				
IX-76d—Stables and Yards.				
1511	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$17,960.00	
1512	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	41,000.00	
1513	B	Miscellaneous Services	13,500.00	
1514	C	Supplies	1,700.00	
1515	D	Materials	500.00	
1516	E	Repairs	8,160.00	
1517	F	Equipment and Machinery	15,275.00	
				\$98,095.00
BUILDINGS.				
1518	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$ 1,250.00	
1519	D	Materials	800.00	
1520	E	Repairs	500.00	
				\$2,550.00

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CLEANING HIGHWAYS.					
IV-37a-Street Cleaning.					
1521	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees		\$558,000.00	
1522	B	Miscellaneous Services	.....	2,875.00	
1523	C	Supplies	.....	8,000.00	
1524	D	Materials	.....	5,000.00	
1525	E	Repairs	.....	3,500.00	
1526	F	Equipment and Machinery	.....	16,000.00	
					\$593,375.00
DUMPAGE.					
1527	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	.....	\$9,500.00	
1528	B	Miscellaneous Services	.....	2,400.00	
					\$11,900.00
REPAIRING HIGHWAYS.					
V-44d-Repairing Durable Pavements.					
1529	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	.....	\$150,000.00	
1530	B	Miscellaneous Services	.....	1,000.00	
1531	D	Materials	.....	12,000.00	
					\$163,000.00
REPAIRING SEWERS.					
IV-36a-Sewers and Drains.					
1532	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	.....	\$11,700.00	
1533	D	Materials	.....	3,000.00	
					\$14,700.00
CLEANING AND REPAIRING SEWER DROPS.					
IV-36b-Cleaning Sewers and Catch Basins.					
1534	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	.....	\$43,000.00	
1535	C	Supplies	.....	900.00	
1536	D	Materials	.....	1,640.00	
					\$45,540.00
BOULEVARDS.					
IV-37a-Street Cleaning.					
V-44d-Repairing Durable Pavements.					
1537	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	.....	\$11 300.00	
1538	D	Materials	.....	740.00	
					\$12,040.00
BOARDWALKS AND STEPS.					
V-45b-Sidewalks and Crosswalks.					
1539	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	.....	\$1,770.00	
1540	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	.....	21,200.00	
1541	D	Materials	.....	27,000.00	
1542	F	Equipment and Machinery	.....	75.00	
					\$50,045.00
BRIDGES.					
IV-37a-Street Cleaning.					
1543	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	.....	\$5,500.00	
					\$5,500.00
SIDEWALKS.					
V-45b-Sidewalks and Crosswalks.					
1544	B	Miscellaneous Services	.....	\$ 75.00	
1545	G	Laying Sidewalks	.....	5,000.00	
					\$5,075.00
DIVISION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.					
V-43-General Administration of Highways.					
1546	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	.....	\$15,210.00	
1547	B	Miscellaneous Services		450.00	
1548	C	Supplies		200.00	
1549	E	Repairs		25.00	
1550	F	Equipment		40.00	
					\$15,925.00

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ASPHALT PLANT.

V-44f-Replacing and Constructing Durable Pavements.

1552	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$23,090.00	
1553	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	138,000.00	
1554	B	Miscellaneous Services	8,000.00	
1555	C	Supplies	28,000.00	
1556	D	Materials	154,000.00	
1557	E	Repairs	4,650.00	
1558	F	Equipment and Machinery	6,000.00	
1559	G	Structural and non-Structural Improvements	3,500.00	
				\$365,240.00

Total, Bureau of Highways and Sewers..... \$1,501,980.00

BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY.

I-D-20a-General Expenditures.

1560	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$10,000.00	
1561	B	Miscellaneous Services	2,500.00	
1562	C	Supplies	140.00	
1563	E	Repairs	3,500.00	
1564	F	Equipment and Machinery	160.00	
1565	M	Decorations	2,000.00	
				\$18,600.00

CITY-COUNTY BUILDING.

1566	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$37,800.00	
1567	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	61,000.00	
1568	B	Miscellaneous Services	2,240.00	
1569	C	Supplies	32,000.00	
1570	D	Materials	1,200.00	
1571	E	Repairs	1,050.00	
1572	F	Equipment and Machinery	2,860.00	
				\$138,150.00

NORTH SIDE MUNICIPAL HALL.

1573	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$4,710.00	
1574	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	1,405.25	
1575	E	Repairs	2,380.00	
				\$8,495.25

DIAMOND MARKET.

X-84-Markets and Public Scales.

1576	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$21,900.00	
1577	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	20,600.00	
1578	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	1,080.00	
1579	B	Miscellaneous Services	600.00	
1580	C	Supplies	10,000.00	
1582	D	Materials	450.00	
1583	E	Repairs	1,700.00	
1584	F	Equipment and Machinery	3,300.00	
				\$59,630.00

NORTH SIDE MARKET.

1585	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$3,860.00	
1586	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	8,070.00	
1587	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	1,350.00	
1588	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,300.00	
1589	C	Supplies	5,900.00	
1590	D	Materials	260.00	
1591	E	Repairs	1,675.00	
1592	F	Equipment	250.00	
				\$22,665.00

ADAMS MARKET.

1593	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$636.60	
				\$636.60

SOUTH SIDE MARKET.

1594	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$4,290.00	
1595	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	5,350.00	
1596	B	Miscellaneous Services	115.00	

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
1597	C	Supplies	1,500.00	
1598	D	Materials	45.00	
1599	E	Repairs	12,715.00	
1600	F	Equipment and Machinery	430.00	
1601	G	Structural and non-Structural Improvements.....	2,000.00	
				\$26,445.00
WEIGH SCALES.				
1610	E	Repairs	\$300.00	
1611	G	New Scale	1,000.00	
				\$1,300.00
WHARVES AND LANDINGS.				
X-85-Docks, Wharves and Landings.				
1612	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$3,240.00	
1613	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	14,326.25	
1615	C	Supplies	50.00	
1616	D	Materials	195.00	
1618	F	Equipment	490.00	
				\$18,301.25
COMFORT HOUSES.				
IV-40-Public Convenience Stations.				
1619	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$38,760.00	
1620	C	Supplies	4,000.00	
1621	D	Materials	300.00	
1622	E	Repairs	2,500.00	
1623	F	Equipment and Machinery	260.00	
				\$45,820.00
STEPHEN C. FOSTER HOME.				
VII-69a-Museums.				
1624	C	Supplies	\$837.00	
1625	E	Repairs	100.00	
				\$937.00
Total, Bureau of City Property				\$340,980.10
BUREAU OF WATER—MANAGING ENGINEER'S OFFICE.				
X-81-Water Supply Systems.				
1631	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	7,470.00	
				\$7,470.00
ACCOUNTING DIVISION.				
1635	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$8,250.00	
1636	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	6,000.00	
1637	B	Miscellaneous Services	145.00	
1638	C	Supplies	200.00	
1639	D	Materials	425.00	
1640	E	Repairs	130.00	
1641	F	Equipment and machinery	300.00	
				\$15,450.00
FILTRATION DIVISION.				
1642	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$29,580.00	
1644	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	147,500.00	
1645	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	17,000.00	
1646	B	Miscellaneous Services	2,100.00	
1647	C	Supplies	12,000.00	
1648	D	Materials	3,300.00	
1649	E	Repairs	865.00	
1650	F	Equipment and Machinery	4,900.00	
				\$217,245.00
MECHANICAL DIVISION.				
1651	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$39,945.00	
1652	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	291,000.00	
1653	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	32,650.00	
1654	B	Miscellaneous Services	4,350.00	
1655	C	Supplies	465,000.00	
1656	D	Materials	36,000.00	

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
1657	E	Repairs	8,360.00	
1658	F	Equipment and Machinery	8,800.00	
				\$884,105.00
DISTRIBUTION DIVISION.				
1659	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$59,410.00	
1660	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	81,000.00	
1661	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	95,000.00	
1662	B	Miscellaneous Services	122,500.00	
1663	C	Supplies	5,000.00	
1664	D	Materials	20,000.00	
1665	E	Repairs	3,000.00	
1666	F	Equipment and Machinery	6,000.00	
1667	G	Aspinwall Dam	36,953.25	
				\$428,869.25
		Total, Bureau of Water		\$1,553,139.25
BUREAU OF LIGHT. V-49-Street Lighting.				
1668	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$10,400.00	
1669	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	34,500.00	
1670	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	3,380.00	
1671	B	Miscellaneous Services	490,800.00	
1672	C	Supplies	46,600.00	
1673	D	Materials	14,400.00	
1674	E	Repairs	800.00	
1675	F	Equipment and Machinery	2,250.00	
		Total, Bureau of Light		\$603 130.00
BUREAU OF PARKS—GENERAL OFFICE. VIII-71a-General Expense.				
1678	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$9,790.00	
1679	B	Insurance	1,012.50	
				\$10,802.50
SCHENLEY PARK.				
1680	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$23,230.40	
1681	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	12,884.00	
1682	B	Miscellaneous Services	290.00	
1683	C	Supplies	1,400.00	
1684	D	Materials	2,500.00	
1685	E	Repairs	100.00	
1686	F	Equipment and Machinery	435.00	
				\$40,839.40
SCHENLEY NURSERY.				
1687	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 1,770.00	
1688	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	7,940.00	
				\$9,710.00
GOLF GROUNDS. VIII-70d-Athletics and Playgrounds.				
1689	A 2	Salaries, Temporary employees	\$ 717.50	
1690	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	2,532.05	
1691	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	2,600.00	
1692	B	Miscellaneous Services	50.00	
1693	C	Supplies	700.00	
1694	D	Materials	170.00	
1696	F	Equipment and Machinery	165.00	
				\$6,934.55
SCHENLEY STABLES. VIII-71a-General Expense.				
1697	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$11,242.00	
1698	B	Miscellaneous Services	10.50	
1699	C	Supplies	240.00	
1700	D	Materials	175.00	
1701	E	Repairs	200.00	
1702	F	Equipment and Machinery	30.00	
				\$11,897.50

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
SCHENLEY CONSERVATORY AND HALL OF BOTANY.				
VIII-69c-Conservatories.				
1703	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$18,945.00	
1704	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	24,042.00	
1705	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	900.00	
1706	B	Miscellaneous Services	18.00	
1707	C	Supplies	14,000.00	
1708	D	Materials	1,080.00	
1709	E	Repairs	40.00	
1710	F	Equipment and Machinery	200.00	
				\$59,225.00
NORTH SIDE CONSERVATORY.				
1712	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$5,940.00	
1713	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	10,370.00	
1714	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	1,500.00	
1715	B	Miscellaneous Services	9.00	
1716	C	Supplies	\$ 2,200.00	
1717	D	Materials	940.00	
1718	E	Repairs	75.00	
1719	F	Equipment and Machinery	135.00	
				\$21,169.00
SMALL PARKS.				
VIII-71a-General Expenses.				
1720	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$43,500.00	
1721	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	9,800.00	
1722	B	Miscellaneous Services	190.00	
1723	C	Supplies	750.00	
1724	D	Materials	740.00	
1725	E	Repairs	75.00	
1726	F	Equipment and Machinery	290.00	
				\$55,345.00
HIGHLAND PARK.				
1727	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$1,770.00	
1728	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	18,000.00	
1729	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	10,300.00	
1730	B	Miscellaneous Services	18.00	
1731	C	Supplies	1,700.00	
1732	D	Materials	1,500.00	
1733	E	Repairs	30.00	
1734	F	Equipment and Machinery	290.00	
				\$33,608.00
HIGHLAND PARK GREENHOUSE.				
1735	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$6,190.90	
				\$6,190.90
HIGHLAND PARK STABLES.				
1736	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$7,200.00	
1737	C	Supplies	50.00	
1738	D	Materials	25.00	
1739	E	Repairs	150.00	
1740	F	Equipment and Machinery	25.00	
				\$7,450.00
HIGHLAND PARK ZOO.				
VIII-69b—Zoological Collections.				
1741	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$1,770.00	
1742	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	21,480.00	
1743	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	150.00	
1744	B	Miscellaneous Services	50.00	
1745	C	Supplies	15,000.00	
1746	D	Materials	700.00	
1747	E	Repairs	180.00	
1748	F	Equipment and Machinery	100.00	
				\$39,430.00
RIVERVIEW PARK ZOO.				
1750	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$1,575.00	
1751	C	Supplies	320.00	
1752	D	Materials	50.00	
				\$1,945.00

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RIVERVIEW PARK.

VIII-71a-General Expenses.

1755	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$1,770.00	
1756	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	15,700.00	
1757	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	10 600.00	
1758	B	Miscellaneous Services	10.00	
1759	C	Supplies	400.00	
1760	D	Materials	1,000.00	
1761	E	Repairs	100.00	
1762	F	Equipment and Machinery	270.00	
				\$29,850.00

RIVERVIEW STABLES.

1764	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$5,530.00	
1765	C	Supplies	15.00	
1766	D	Materials	10.00	
1767	E	Repairs	100.00	
1768	F	Equipment and Machinery	10.00	
				\$5,665.00

WEST PARK.

1769	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$3,670.00	
1770	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	16,850.00	
1771	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	4,400.00	
1772	B	Miscellaneous Services	895.00	
1773	C	Supplies	800.00	
1774	D	Materials	700.00	
1775	E	Repairs	2 350.00	
1776	F	Equipment and Machinery	250.00	
				\$29,915.00

SHADE TREES.

VIII-71f-Trees in Streets.

1777	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$1,770.00	
1778	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	4,400.00	
1779	B	Miscellaneous Services	130.00	
1780	C	Supplies	560.00	
1781	D	Materials	10.00	
1782	F	Equipment and Machinery	100.00	
				\$6,970.00

BAND CONCERTS—PARKS AND OTHER PLACES.

VIII-70a-Music and Entertainments.

1783	B	Miscellaneous Services	\$7,500.00	
				\$7,500.00

PARK IMPROVEMENTS.

VIII-71e-Park Areas, etc.

1785	G	Improvements, Snyder Square	\$5,000.00	
				\$5,000.00

Total, Bureau of Parks	\$389,446.85
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BUREAU OF TESTS.

I-B-17g-Testing Laboratory.

1798	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	7,320.00	
1800	B	Miscellaneous Services	100.00	
1801	C	Supplies	425.00	
1802	D	Materials	65.00	
1803	E	Repairs	100.00	
1804	F	Equipment and Machinery	250.00	
				\$8,260.00

BUREAU OF RECREATION.

VIII-70d-Athletics and Playgrounds.

1805	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$15,625.00	
1806	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	11,320.00	
1807	B	Miscellaneous Services	6,750.00	
1808	C	Supplies	14,200.00	
1809	D	Materials	5,000.00	
1810	E	Repairs	5,000.00	

Code Number.	Acct. Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
1811	F	Equipment and Machinery	3,000.00	
1812	G	Structural and Non-Structural Improvements....	6,420.00	
1812-A	H	Land	2,500.00	
		WASHINGTON PARK.		
1813	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$10,359.00	
		ORMSBY PARK.		
1814	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	11,075.00	
		LAWRENCE PARK.		
1815	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$9,870.00	
		WARRINGTON PARK.		
1816	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	8,535.00	
		WEST PENN PARK.		
1817	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$7,750.00	
		ARSENAL PARK.		
1818	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	5,745.00	
		SOUTH SIDE PARK.		
1819	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$4,185.00	
		REAM PARK.		
1820	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$870.00	
1821	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	685.00	
		LEWIS PARK.		
1822	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$5,520.00	
		BRUSHTON POOL.		
1823	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$990.00	
1824	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	879.00	
		ORMSBY POOL.		
1825	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$1,311.00	
		LAWRENCE SWIMMING POOL.		
1826	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$1,311.00	
		ARLINGTON PARK.		
1827	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
		BEECHVIEW.		
1828	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
		ARMSTRONG PARK.		
1829	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
		BURGWIN.		
1830	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
		CUTHBERTSON.		
1831	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
		MORNINGSIDE.		
1832	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
		O'HARA SCHOOL.		
1833	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
		ROSE SCHOOL.		
1834	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
		SHERADEN.		
1835	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
		SOHO PLAYGROUND.		
1836	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$385.00	
		FLINN.		
1837	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
		GARFIELD.		
1838	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
GREENFIELD.				
1839	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
HOMEWOOD.				
1840	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
McKELVEY SCHOOL.				
1841	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
WABASH.				
1843	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
WATT STREET SCHOOL.				
1844	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
PENN AVENUE.				
1845	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$685.00	
			Total, Bureau of Recreation	\$151,221.00
			Total, Department of Public Works.....	\$5,261 940.95
INTEREST AND TAX ON LOANS.				
XII-95a-Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.				
40	J	Interest and Tax on Loans	\$876,130.00	\$876,130.00
REFUNDS.				
B-102a-Payments for Correction of Erroneous Receipts.				
41	O	Refunds of Taxes and Water Rents.....	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00
CONTINGENT FUND.				
42	M	Contingent Fund	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
FINANCE FUND.				
43	M	Finance Fund	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION FUND.				
B-105g-Provision for Injury to Employees.				
44	M	Workmen's Compensation Fund	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00
POLICE PENSION FUND.				
B-105f-Percentage of Tax Levy.				
45	M	Police Pension Fund	\$75,000.00	\$75,000.00
JUDGMENTS.				
B-79e-Payments for Outstanding Judgments.				
46	L	Judgments	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
INTEREST ON JUDGMENTS.				
XII-95a-Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.				
47	J	Interest on Judgments.....	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
INTEREST ON OVERDUE DAMAGES.				
XII-95a-Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.				
48	J	Interest on Overdue Damages	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00
INTEREST ON CONTRACTS.				
XLI-95a-Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.				
49	J	Interest on Contracts	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00

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Amount
Appropriated. Total.

PAYMENTS TO DEPENDENTS OF CITY EMPLOYEES IN UNITED STATES
MILITARY OR NAVAL SERVICES.

IX-75-Soldiers' Relief.

50	M	Dependents' Fund	\$100,000.00	
				\$100,000.00

ELECTIONS.

I-B-18a-General Elections.

51	B	Elections	\$23,500.00	
				\$23,500.00

STANDARDIZATION FUND.

52	M	Standardization Fund	\$66,000.00	
				\$66,000.00

SINKING FUNDS.

B-105a-Cash Transfer Payments to Sinking Funds.

600	K	Filtration, 1908	24,997.03
601	K	Water, 1908	19,998.78
602	K	Public Works, 1908	6,991.88
603	K	Charities, 1908	4,499.84
604	K	Bridges, 1908	3,681.51
605	K	Public Safety, 1908	999.97
606	K	Fire and Police, 1908	4,999.83
607	K	Parks, 1908	2,499.90
608	K	Water Main Extension, 1908	9,910.96
610	K	Duquesne Way Bridge, 1908	1,982.07
612	K	Larimer Ave. and Negley Run Bridge, 1908	7,928.72
613	K	Monongahela Water Company, 1909	65,800.00
614	K	South Side Water Extension, 1909	23,399.83
615	K	Ninth Street Improvement	317.35
616	K	Sandusky Street Improvement	1,199.85
618	K	Water A, 1910	25,768.37
619	K	Water B, 1910	2,973.30
620	K	Water C, 1910	5,946.60
621	K	Street Improvement A, 1910	12,884.26
622	K	Bridge A, 1910	30,725.04
623	K	Bridge B, 1910	4,955.54
624	K	Bridge C, 1910	9,821.48
625	K	Sewer A, 1910	4,939.09
626	K	Sewer B, 1910	6,739.82
627	K	Hospital, 1910	7,923.74
628	K	Inclinerating Plant, 1910	2,973.30
629	K	Parks, 1910	5,946.56
630	K	City Hall, 1910	49,555.36
631	K	Water Funding, 1910	19,836.48
638	K	Funding A, 1911	10,200.00
641	K	Haights Run Bridge, 1911	4,955.52
642	K	Soho Run Sewer, 1911	2,973.30
643	K	Thirty-third Street Sewer, 1911	3,964.27
644	K	Water F, 1911	32,706.83
645	K	Water E, 1911	991.17
646	K	Street Improvement C, 1911	16,248.10
647	K	Street Improvement B, 1911	8,997.71
648	K	Street Improvement A, 1912	2,970.07
649	K	Water A, 1912	6,000.00
650	K	Bridge A, 1912	1,000.00
651	K	Bridge B, 1912	3,000.00
652	K	Bloomfield Bridge, 1912	14,866.38
653	K	Water B, 1912	6,938.06
654	K	Water C, 1912	43,608.41
655	K	Street Improvement B, 1912	3,964.37
656	K	Street Improvement C, 1912	1,981.77
658	K	Street Improvement E, 1912	6,938.06
659	K	Bridge C, 1912	991.17
660	K	Bridge D, 1912	4,955.52
661	K	Fire Apparatus, 1912	3,949.75
662	K	Municipal Buildings, 1912	2,973.30
663	K	Hospital, 1912	2,973.27
664	K	Poor Home, 1912	15,857.75

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
665	K	Grade Crossings, 1912	13,876.03	
666	K	Playgrounds, 1912	12,384.71	
668	K	Market House, 1912	9,910.96	
669	K	Playgrounds A, 1913	2,999.90	
671	K	Playgrounds, B, 1913	10,999.61	
672	K	Street A, 1914	4,999.83	
673	K	Fire Apparatus, 1914	4,000.00	
674	K	Poor Home, 1914	11,999.58	
675	K	Water A, 1914	9,997.47	
676	K	Funding, 1914	91,181.54	
679	K	Penn Avenue Improvement, 1915	15,997.41	
680	K	Hamilton Avenue Improvement, 1915	3,000.00	
682	K	Funding A, 1916	37,000.00	
683	K	Water A, 1916	5,000.00	
684	K	City Hall A, 1917	4,000.00	
685	K	Park A, 1917	6,000.00	
686	K	City Home A, 1917	3,000.00	
689	K	City Hall B, 1917	1,000.00	
690	K	Water A, 1918	7,500.00	
691	K	City Hall A, 1918	2,000.00	
Total				\$831,554.28
Transfer from Sinking Fund No. 667				8,917.45
Total				\$822,636.83
Total, New City				\$114,731,000.00

OLD CITY OF PITTSBURGH—
INTEREST AND TAX ON LOANS.

XII-95a-Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.

1	J	Interest and Tax on Loans	\$280,000.00	\$280,000.00
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SINKING FUNDS.

B-105b-Cash Transfer Payments to Sinking Funds

310	K	Monongahela River Bridge	\$47,894.50	
311	K	Funded Debt, 1904	34,796.15	
312	K	Water Works, 1895	64,287.77	
313	K	Parks, 1895	56,277.72	
314	K	Boulevards, 1895	16,322.70	
315	K	Public Safety, 1895	16,083.66	
319	K	Loan of 1900	227,137.60	
350	K	Water Funding, 1906	31,194.02	
351	K	Water Extension, 1906	16,692.88	
352	K	Funded Debt, 1907	20,813.23	
353	K	Improvement, 1907	22,486.50	
355	K	Pittsburgh Funding A, 1908	7,311.02	
356	K	Pittsburgh Funding B, 1908	7,010.78	
357	K	Pittsburgh Funding C, 1908	3,960.62	
358	K	Pittsburgh Funding D, 1908	1,300.08	
359	K	Parks, 1908	7,300.00	
				\$580,869.23
Transfer from Sinking Fund No. 306			\$18,438.37	
Total				562,430.86
Total, Old City				\$842,430.86

FORMER CITY OF ALLEGHENY—
INTEREST AND TAX ON LOANS.

XII-95a-Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.

20	J	Interest and Tax on Loans	\$185,700.00	\$185,700.00
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Code Acct.
Number. Class.

Amount
Appropriated. Total.

SINKING FUNDS.

B-105c-Cash Transfer Payments to Sinking Funds.

411	K	Water Extension, 1889	\$3,640.56	
412	K	Electric Light A, 1891	3,393.42	
414	K	Sewer A, 1893	696.00	
415	K	Street Improvement A, 1893	2,107.26	
416	K	Electric Light B, 1893	198.22	
417	K	Street Improvement B, 1894	3,934.59	
418	K	Sewer B, 1894	1,476.55	
419	K	Street Improvement C, 1894	4,564.51	
420	K	Sewer C, 1894	2,526.50	
421	K	Electric Light C, 1894	1,605.30	
422	K	Water, C and L, 1895	36,909.75	
423	K	Street Improvement F-L, 189g	9,568.55	
424	K	Sewer Improvement F-I, 1895	6,399.11	
425	K	Highway Improvement, C-F, 1895	9,608.80	
427	K	Street Improvement, R-U, 1895-7	11,034.99	
428	K	Water Improvement, C-R, 1896	12,599.70	
430	K	Street Improvement, 1905	17,599.44	
435	K	Street Improvement Funding, 1907	7,126.66	
440	K	City Home, 1905	799.98	
441	K	Parks, 1905	2,999.91	
442	K	Grade Crossing, 1905	4,199.87	
443	K	Water, 1905	7,499.75	
444	K	Public Safety, 1905	799.98	
445	K	Water, 1901	13,997.00	
446	K	Public Safety, 1901	2,999.58	
447	K	City Home, 1901	2,999.58	
448	K	Electric Light, 1901	2,999.58	
449	K	Sewer Improvement, 1901	1,999.72	
450	K	Street Improvement, 1901	10,968.14	
452	K	Pension Fund, 1908	1,999.94	
453	K	Pittsburgh and Allegheny Funding E. 1908	14,892.16	
454	K	North Side Funding, 1919	6,614.29	
Total				\$210,759.39
Transfer from Sinking Fund No. 432			\$1,034.68	
Total				\$209,724.71
Total, Former City of Allegheny				\$395,424.71

BOROUGHES, INTEREST.

XII-95a-Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.

30	J	Interest on Bonded Debt, Sheraden	\$10,300.00	
31	J	Interest on Bonded Debt, Montooth	337.50	
32	J	Interest on Bonded Debt, Elliott	1,800.00	
33	J	Interest on Bonded Debt, Esplen	640.00	
34	J	Interest on Bonded Debt, Beechview	930.00	
				\$14,007.50

SINKING FUND.

B-105d-Cash Transfer Payments to Sinking Funds.

501	K	Elliott	\$1,678.85	
502	K	Esplen	521.50	
503	K	Montooth	326.97	
504	K	Sheraden	8,113.51	
505	K	Beechview	507.66	
				\$11,148.49
Total, Boroughs				\$25,155.99

Grand Total, Greater City

\$15,994,011.56

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 13, 1919.

Approved January 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 115.

No. 10

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That*

from and after the passage and approval of this ordinance, the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof shall be and the same are fixed and established as herein set forth, an allowance for the high cost of living having been included in the rates of compensation, as shown in the column headed "Allowance":

Allowance
for high cost of
living included
in salary rate.

COUNCIL.

Section 2.
Nine Councilmen \$ 6 500.00 each per annum

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Section 3.		
City Clerk	\$ 3,600.00 per annum	
Assistant City Clerk	3,600.00 per annum	
Recording Clerk	2,670.00 per annum	\$120.00
Clerk	2,100.00 per annum	
Stenographer-Clerk	2,100.00 per annum	

City Clerk's Office—Building Code-Committee.

Section 4.		
Secretary Engineer	\$ 3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00

City Clerk's Office—Division of Investigation.

Section 5.		
Investigator	\$ 6,000.00 per annum	
Assistant Investigator	2,520.00 per annum	\$120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,230.00 per annum	120.00

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Section 6.		
Mayor	\$10,000.00 per annum	
Mayor's Secretary	3,600.00 per annum	
Assistant Secretary	3,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	1,920.00 per annum	\$120.00
Clerk	1,870.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	2,100.00 per annum	
Stenographer and File Clerk	1,320.00 per annum	120.00
Messenger	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Chief Accountant	4,000.00 per annum	
Accountant	2,310.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,290.00 per annum	120.00
Morals Court Magistrate	4,000.00 per annum	
Six Police Magistrates	2,500.00 each per annum	
Two Clerks	1,800.00 each per annum	
Stenographer-Clerk	1,530.00 per annum	120.00

Mayor's Office—Bureau of Animal Industry.

Section 7.		
Superintendent of Horses		
Two Veterinary Surgeons	\$ 1,270.00 each per annum	\$120.00
Clerk	1,050.00 per annum	120.00

Mayor's Office—Division of Motor Vehicles.

Section 8.		
Superintendent	\$ 2,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Clerk	1,050.00 per annum	120.00
Three Motor Vehicle Mechanics	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Four Chauffeur Mechanics	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Electrician and Batteryman	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Motor Cycle Repairman	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Watchman	3.35 per day	
Five Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Allowance
for high cost of
living included
in salary rate.

Mayor's Office—City Architect.

Section 9.		
City Architect	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	
Chief Draftsman	2,130.00 per annum	\$120.00
Stenographer	1,170.00 per annum	120.00
Inspector of Construction	2,070.00 per annum	120.00

Mayor's Office—Transit Commission.

Section 10.		
Transit Commissioner	\$ 6,000.00 per annum	
Chief Draftsman	2,060.00 per annum	
Clerk	1,800.00 per annum	
Stenographer	1,500.00 per annum	

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER.

Section 11.		
City Controller	\$ 5,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk and Accountant	4,000.00 per annum	
General Clerk and Assistant Bookkeeper	4,000.00 per annum	
Two Accountants	2,310.00 each per annum	\$120.00
Warrant Clerk	2,370.00 per annum	120.00
Warrant Clerk	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Counter Clerk	1,890.00 per annum	120.00
Counter Clerk	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Street Account Clerk	1,950.00 per annum	120.00
General Clerk and Auditor	2,070.00 per annum	120.00
Controller's Auditor	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Controller's Auditor	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Two Field Auditors	1,920.00 each per annum	120.00
Auditor	3,600.00 per annum	
Two Clerks	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,320.00 per annum	120.00

Department of City Controller—Bureau of Accounting Revision.

Section 12.		
Chief Accountant	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	
Accountant	2,790.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two Accountants	2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Accountant	2,070.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00

DEPARTMENT OF CITY TREASURER.

Section 13.		
City Treasurer and Collector of Delinquent Taxes	\$ 8,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Paymaster	2,770.00 per annum	120.00
Cashier	2,270.00 per annum	120.00
Bond Clerk	2,070.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,970.00 per annum	120.00
Six Clerks	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,570.00 per annum	120.00
Two Clerks	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,620.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Chauffeur	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Messenger	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Watchman	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Dog License Collector	1,470.00 per annum	120.00

At the salary herein fixed the dog license collector shall be paid and in addition shall, at the end of the fiscal year, receive a commission of 10 per cent of the gross receipts from dog licenses in excess of \$10,000.00.

Cashiers, as needed	\$ 122.50 each per month	\$10.00
Clerks, as needed	107.50 each per month	10.00
Clerks, as needed	97.50 each per month	10.00
Stenographers, as needed	97.50 each per month	10.00

The City Treasurer shall be and he is hereby authorized to allow and pay the temporary clerks engaged in this office during the tax collecting season the sum of \$2c for each and every hour of overtime in excess of the hours now established by ordinance, during which said temporary clerks shall be employed.

Allowance
for high cost of
living included
in salary rate.

Department of Collector of Delinquent Taxes.

Section 14.		
Chief Clerk	\$ 3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Bookkeeper	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,920.00 per annum	120.00
Four Clerks	1,710.00 each per annum	120.00
Three Clerks	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Two Clerks	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,170.00 per annum	120.00

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Section 15.		
City Solicitor	\$ 8,000.00 per annum	
Special Assistant City Solicitor, as provided for in Ordinance No. 48, approved February 7, 1917	7,500.00 per annum	
Special Assistant City Solicitor, as provided for in Ordinance No. 48, approved February 7, 1917	5,000.00 per annum	
First Assistant City Solicitor	5,000.00 per annum	
Four Assistant City Solicitors	4,200.00 each per annum	
Two Assistant City Solicitors	3,600.00 each per annum	
Two Assistant City Solicitors	3,000.00 each per annum	
Two Investigators	2,270.00 each per annum	\$120.00
Chief Clerk	2,220.00 per annum	120.00
Two Stenographers	1,290.00 each per annum	120.00
Messenger	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Telephone Operator	1,050.00 per annum	120.00
Lien Clerk	3,270.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Lien Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Municipal Improvement Clerk	2,770.00 per annum	120.00
Two Stenographers	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00

Department of Law—Bureau of Public Improvements.

Section 16.		
Superintendent	\$ 2,670.00 per annum	\$120.00
Chief Clerk	1,920.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,290.00 per annum	120.00
Two Evidence Stenographers	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Three Service Clerks	1,410.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Engineering Draftsmen	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00

DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSORS.

Section 17.		
Chief Assessor	\$ 3,300.00 per annum	
Eight Assessors	2,700.00 each per annum	
Assistant Chief Clerk	2,120.00 per annum	\$120.00
Five Clerks	1,710.00 each per annum	120.00
Five Clerks	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Nine Clerks	1,410.00 each per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Supervising Draftsman	1,950.00 per annum	120.00
Three Engineering Draftsmen	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Temporary Clerks, as needed	107.50 each per month	10.00

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Section 18.		
President	\$ 2,400.00 per annum	
Two Commissioners	2,000.00 each per annum	

ART COMMISSION.

Section 19.		
Executive Secretary	\$ 2,270.00 per annum	\$120.00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Section 20.		
Director	\$ 8,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	3,600.00 per annum	\$120.00
Assistant Chief Clerk	2,070.00 per annum	120.00
Bookkeeper	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00

		Allowance for high cost of living included in salary rate.
Clerk	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,850.00 per annum	
Stenographer	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Messenger	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Fire and Police Surgeon	2,670.00 per annum	120.00
Night Officer	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Elevator Operator	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Four Cleaners	870.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Window Cleaners	3.60 each per day	
Electrical and Mechanical Engineer, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Three Oilers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Carpenter Foreman, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Four Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Painter Foreman, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Three Painters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
One Painter and Grainer, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Four Plumbers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Three Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	

Department of Public Safety—Division of Weights and Measures.

Section 21.

Chief Inspector	\$ 2,320.00 per annum	\$120.00
Assistant Chief Inspector	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Seven Inspectors	1,530.00 each per annum	120.00

Department of Public Safety—Division of Boiler Inspection.

Section 22.

Boiler Inspector	\$ 2,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two Assistant Boiler Inspectors	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,230.00 per annum	120.00

Department of Public Safety—Bureau of Police.

Section 23.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	2,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Assistant Chief Clerk	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Two Stenographer-Clerks	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Stenographer	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Two Clerks	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Messenger	1,050.00 per annum	120.00
Six District Commissioners	2,500.00 each per annum	60.00
One Captain of Traffic	2,100.00 per annum	60.00
One Lieutenant of Traffic	1,900.00 per annum	60.00
Thirty-five Lieutenants	1,900.00 each per annum	60.00
Forty-nine Sergeants	1,650.00 each per annum	60.00
Seven Hundred and Eighty-six Patrolmen:		
First Year	1,410.00 each per annum	60.00
Second Year	1,470.00 each per annum	60.00
Third Year	1,560.00 each per annum	60.00
Fifty Sub-Patrolmen, at the rates herein above specified for Patrolmen.		
Sub-Patrolmen at the rates herein above specified, for assignment when regular		
Patrolmen are absent from duty.		
Market Officer	\$ 1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Captain of Detectives	3,000.00 per annum	60.00
Forty-six Detectives	1,800.00 each per annum	60.00
Three Signal Service Operators	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Five Women Police Auxiliaries	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Sixteen Matrons	1,110.00 each per annum	120.00
Four Cleaners	870.00 each per annum	120.00
Six Bridge Patrolmen	4.10 each per day	
Police Guards	3.85 each per day	
Fifteen Janitors	3.60 each per day	
Nine Laborer-Hostlers	3.60 each per day	
Labor Foreman	3.85 each per day	
Five Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Safety—Bureau of Fire.

Section 24.

Chief	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	
Eight District Chiefs	2,500 each per annum	\$ 60.00
Chief Clerk	2,670.00 per annum	120.00

		Allowance for high cost of living included in salary rate.
Stenographer-Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Two Clerks	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Storekeeper	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Storekeeper	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Harness Maker	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Auto Mechanician	2,520.00 per annum	120.00
Deputy Superintendent of Machinery	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Superintendent of Horses	2,070.00 per annum	120.00
Two Training School Instructors	2,010.00 each per annum	60.00
Sixteen Fuel Wagon Drivers	1,620.00 each per annum	60.00
Ninety-eight Captains	1,860.00 each per annum	60.00
Forty-four Lieutenants	1,680.00 each per annum	60.00
Eighty-eight Engineers	1,710.00 each per annum	60.00
Eighty-eight Assistant Engineers	1,560.00 each per annum	60.00
Two Hundred and Ten Drivers	1,620.00 each per annum	60.00
Three Hundred and Sixty-two Hosemen and Laddermen:		
First Year	1,410.00 each per annum	60.00
Second Year	1,470.00 each per annum	60.00
Third Year	1,560.00 each per annum	60.00

Thirty Substitute Hosemen and Laddermen for a period not exceeding six months in each year, at the rate herein above specified for Hosemen and Laddermen, for assignment when the regular employees of the Bureau of Fire are absent from duty on the annual vacations.

Engineer, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Four Machinists, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Two Blacksmiths, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Three Blacksmith Helpers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Two Wagon Makers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Coach Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Driver at stable	3.60 per day
Eight Laborers	3.60 each per day

At the salaries herein fixed, the Chief, District Chiefs, Chief Clerk, Storekeeper, Superintendent of Horses, Auto Mechanician, Deputy Superintendent of Machinery, Training School Instructors, Captains, Lieutenants, Engineers, Assistant Engineers, Drivers, Laddermen and Hosemen in the Bureau of Fire shall be paid, together with the additional salary of thirty dollars each per annum, which said additional salary of thirty dollars each per annum shall be set aside in equal monthly installments by the City Controller and paid to the Firemen's Disability Board of the City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of making such employees beneficiaries in the Firemen's Disability Fund.

Department of Public Safety—Bureau of Electricity.

Section 25.

Superintendent	\$ 3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Deputy Superintendent	2,670.00 per annum	120.00
Chief Clerk	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Engineer	1,920.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Chief Fire Alarm Operator	1,710.00 per annum	60.00
Nine Fire Alarm Operators	1,650.00 each per annum	60.00
Five Police Box Inspectors	1,350.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Fire Alarm Box Inspectors	1,350.00 each per annum	120.00
Supervisor of Construction	1,920.00 per annum	120.00
Two Line Foremen	1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Nine Linemen	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Battery Man	1,620.00 per annum	120.00
Instrument Repairmen	1,620.00 per annum	120.00
Cable Splicer	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Chauffeur	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Storekeeper	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Nine Telephone Operators	1,050.00 each per annum	120.00

At the salaries herein fixed, the Superintendent, Deputy Superintendent, Chief Clerk, Assistant Engineer, Operators, Inspectors, Line Foremen, Linemen, Supervisor of Construction, Batteryman, Instrument Repairman, Cable Splicer, Chauffeur and Storekeeper, in the Bureau of Electricity, shall be paid, together with the additional salary of thirty dollars each per annum, which said additional salary of thirty dollars each shall be set aside in equal monthly installments by the City Controller and paid to the Firemen's Disability Board for the use and purpose of the Firemen's Disability Fund of the City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of making such employees beneficiaries of said Fund.

Allowance
for high cost of
living included
in salary rate.

Department of Public Safety—Bureau of Building Inspection.

Section 26.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	2,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two Clerks	1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,230.00 per annum	120.00

Department of Public Safety—Division of Engineering.

Section 27.

Chief Engineer	\$ 3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Assistant Engineer	2,310.00 per annum	120.00
Two Assistant Engineers	2,130.00 each per annum	120.00
Inspector-Plan Examiner	1,770.00 per annum	120.00

Department of Public Safety—Division of Inspection.

Section 28.

Assistant Superintendent	\$ 2,670.00 per annum	\$120.00
Nine Building Construction Inspectors	1,890.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Elevator Inspectors	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Fire Escape Inspector	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Sign Inspector	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Plastering Inspector	1,890.00 per annum	120.00
Inspector of Explosives	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Seven Patrol Inspectors	1,350.00 each per annum	120.00
Assistant Chief Electric Wiring Inspector	2,070.00 per annum	120.00
Eight Electric Wiring Inspectors	1,650.00 each per annum	120.00

At the salaries herein fixed, the Assistant Chief Electric Wiring Inspector and the Electric Wiring Inspectors in the Bureau of Building Inspection shall be paid, together with the additional salary of thirty dollars each per annum, which said additional salary of thirty dollars each per annum shall be set aside in equal monthly installments by the City Controller and paid to the Firemen's Disability Board for the use and purpose of the Firemen's Disability Fund of the City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of making such employees beneficiaries of said fund.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Section 29.

Director	\$ 7,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	2,370.00 per annum	\$120.00
Bookkeeper	2,220.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,350.00 per annum	120.00

Department of Health—Bureau of Infectious Diseases.

Section 30.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	2,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two Clerks	1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Stenographer	1,230.00 per annum	120.00

Department of Health—Division of Registration.

Section 31.

Chief Statistical Clerk	\$ 1,920.00 per annum	\$120.00
Statistical Clerk	1,590.00 per annum	120.00

Department of Health—Division of Transmissible Diseases.

Section 32.

Chief Medical Inspector	\$ 2,670.00 per annum	\$120.00
Supervising Medical Inspector	2,070.00 per annum	120.00
Four Medical Inspectors	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,650.00 per annum	
Clerk	1,270.00 per annum	120.00
Chief Disinfecter	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Three Disinfectors	1,350.00 each per annum	120.00
Field Inspector	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Two Field Nurses	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Four Field Nurses	1,170.00 each per annum	120.00
Six Field Nurses	1,110.00 each per annum	120.00
Quarantine Guards	3.60 each per day	

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Department of Health—Division of Bacteriology.

Section 33.

Director of Laboratory	\$ 3,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Bacteriologist	2,070.00 each per annum	120.00
Bacteriologist	2,670.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Chemist and Bacteriologist	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Laboratory Assistant	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Two Laboratory Assistants	1,170.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Sample Collectors	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Laboratory Cleaner	3.10 per day	

Department of Health—Tuberculosis Hospital.

Section 34.

Superintendent	\$ 1,650.00 per annum	
Chief Resident Physician	1,650.00 per annum	
Two Assistant Resident Physicians	1,350.00 each per annum	
Clerk	1,110.00 per annum	
Superintendent of Nurses	1,350.00 per annum	
Ten Nurses	990.00 each per annum	
Supervisor of Attendants	810.00 per annum	
Three Orderlies	690.00 each per annum	
General Maid	570.00 per annum	
Four Ward Maids	510.00 each per annum	
Three Maids	510.00 each per annum	
Two Children's Attendants	570.00 each per annum	
Two Scrub Women	510.00 each per annum	
Four Cleaners	750.00 each per annum	
Chauffeur	810.00 per annum	
Chief Cook	810.00 per annum	
Two Assistant Cooks	570.00 each per annum	
Three Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Laundryman	3.35 per day	
Three Laundresses	2.60 each per day	
Four Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Health—Municipal Hospital.

Section 35.

Superintendent	\$ 1,950.00 per annum	
Clerk	1,110.00 per annum	
Chauffeur	870.00 per annum	
Resident Physician	1,950.00 per annum	
Hospital Interne	1,050.00 per annum	
Superintendent of Nurses	1,350.00 per annum	
Night Superintendent of Nurses	1,050.00 per annum	
Fourteen Nurses	990.00 each per annum	
Seven Ward Assistants	594.00 each per annum	
Four Orderlies	690.00 each per annum	
Seamstress	810.00 per annum	
Cook	810.00 per annum	
Two Assistant Cooks	630.00 each per annum	
Assistant Cook	594.00 per annum	
Nurses, as needed	82.50 each per month	
Orderlies, as needed	57.50 each per month	
Ward Assistants, as needed	49.50 each per month	
Three Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Two Watchmen	3.35 each per day	
Laundryman	3.35 per day	
Four Laundresses	2.60 each per day	
Four Scrub Women	2.10 each per day	
Four Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Health—Bureau of Child Welfare.

Section 36.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	\$120.00
Medical Service Inspector	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,290.00 per annum	

		Allowance for high cost of living included in salary rate.
Ten Medical Inspectors.....	2,070.00 each per annum	120.00
Twenty Medical Inspectors for ten months.....	172.50 each per month	10.00
Two Medical Inspectors for ten months.....	147.50 each per month	10.00
Seventeen Field Nurses	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Field Nurse	1,110.00 per annum	120.00
Eight Assistant Nurses	810.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Assistant Nurses	750.00 each per annum	120.00
Assistant Nurses	2.10 each per day	

Department of Health—Bureau of Smoke Regulation.

Section 37.

Bureau Chief	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	
Assistant Bureau Chief	2,720.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two Smoke Inspectors	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Junior Smoke Inspector	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,290.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,050.00 per annum	120.00
Four Advisory Engineers	10.00 each per meeting	

Department of Health—Bureau of Sanitation.

Section 38.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	2,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Stenographer	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Six Weighmasters	3.60 each per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Health—Division of Plumbing and House Drainage.

Section 39.

Chief Plumbing Inspector	\$ 2,470.00 per annum	\$120.00
Assistant Chief Plumbing Inspector	2,070.00 per annum	120.00
Eleven Plumbing Inspectors	1,890.00 each per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Plumbing Examiners	5.00 each per day	

Department of Health—Division of Housing and Sanitary Inspection.

Section 40.

Chief of Division	\$ 2,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Three Supervisors	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Twenty-nine Inspectors, one of whom shall be a female—		
First Year	1,350.00 each per annum	60.00
Second Year	1,410.00 each per annum	60.00
Third Year	1,500.00 each per annum	60.00

Department of Health—Bureau of Food Inspection.

Section 41.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	2,070.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer	1,230.00 per annum	120.00

Department of Health—Division of Dairy Inspection.

Section 42.

Ten Dairy Inspectors	\$ 1,770.00 each per annum	\$120.00
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Department of Health—Division of Meat Inspection.

Section 43.

Chief Meat Inspector	\$ 2,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Seven Meat Inspectors	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00

Department of Health—Division of Milk and Miscellaneous Food Inspection.

Section 44.

Chief Food Inspector	\$ 2,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Assistant Food Inspector	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Eight Food Inspectors	1,620.00 each per annum	120.00
Bacteriologist and Chemist	2,270.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Chemist	1,650.00 per annum	120.00
Two Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Allowance
for high cost of
living included
in salary rate.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES.

Section 45.

Director	\$ 6,500.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	2,370.00 per annum	\$120.00
Examiner	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Cashier-Clerk	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Chief Inspector	1,530.00 per annum	120.00
Two Inspectors	1,410.00 each per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,290.00 per annum	120.00
Messenger	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Eleven District Physicians	1,270.00 each per annum	120.00

Department of Charities—City Home and Hospital, Mayview.

Section 46.

Medical Director and Superintendent.....	\$ 6,000.00 per annum	
Resident Clerk	1,350.00 per annum	
Clerk	810.00 per annum	
Stenographer	930.00 per annum	
Resident Physician	2,400.00 per annum	
Two Junior Physicians	650.00 each per annum	120.00
Dentist	1,470.00 per annum	
Hospital Steward and Ph. G.	1,350.00 per annum	
Dietitian	1,110.00 per annum	
Laboratory Assistant and Clerk	990.00 per annum	
Two Supervisors, Male Asylum	870.00 each per annum	
Two Supervisors, Female Asylum	810.00 each per annum	
Asylum Attendants—		
First Year, Male	570.00 each per annum	
Second Year, Male	630.00 each per annum	
Third Year, Male	690.00 each per annum	
Fourth Year, Male	750.00 each per annum	
Fifth Year, Male	810.00 each per annum	
Asylum Attendants—		
First Year, Female	510.00 each per annum	
Second Year, Female	570.00 each per annum	
Third Year, Female	630.00 each per annum	
Fourth Year, Female	690.00 each per annum	
Fifth Year, Female	750.00 each per annum	
Supervisor (Male Hospital)	750.00 per annum	
Male Nurse (Male Hospital)	630.00 per annum	
Registered Nurse in Charge (Female Hospital).....	1,110.00 per annum	
Two Registered Nurses (Female Hospital).....	750.00 each per annum	
Supervisor Tubercular Hospital	870.00 per annum	
Two Chaplains (Protestants)	870.00 each per annum	120.00
Chaplain (Catholic)	870.00 per annum	120.00
Supervisor, Male Home	690.00 per annum	
Matron, Female Home	630.00 per annum	
Matron Administration Building	570.00 per annum	
Storekeeper	1,110.00 per annum	
Assistant Storekeeper	1,110.00 per annum	
Two Dining Room Maids	570.00 each per annum	
Two Officers' Cooks	750.00 each per annum	
Officers' Cook	690.00 per annum	
Tubercular Hospital Cook	690.00 per annum	
Inmates' Cook	570.00 per annum	
Head Laundress	630.00 per annum	
Laundress	630.00 per annum	
Assistant Laundress	570.00 per annum	
Tailor	750.00 per annum	
Dairyman	750.00 per annum	
Organist	120.00 per annum	
Three Watchmen	690.00 each per annum	
Poultryman	1,350.00 per annum	
Farmer	1,170.00 per annum	
Assistant Farmer	750.00 per annum	
Gardener	1,110.00 per annum	
Seven Drivers	630.00 each per annum	
Chief Engineer, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Three Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Four Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Electrical Engineer, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Steam Fitter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	

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Plumber, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Baker, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Repairmen		3.85 each per day
Laborers, not to exceed		2.85 each per day
Mine Foreman		2,100.00 per annum
Two Day Men, not to exceed		5.35 each per day
Driver, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Dump and Weight man, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Engineer, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Blacksmith, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Miners, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Cutters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	

\$120.00

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

Section 47.

Director	\$ 6,500.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	2,370.00 per annum	\$120.00
Auditor	2,310.00 per annum	120.00
Bookkeeper	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,290.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Two Clerks	1,050.00 each per annum	120.00
Clerk	990.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer	1,290.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Messenger	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Senior Storekeeper	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Two Drivers	4.10 each per day	
Two Laborers	3.60 each per day	

BOARD OF WATER ASSESSORS.

Section 48.

Chairman of Board	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	
Member of Board	3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Member of Board	2,770.00 per annum	120.00
Chief Clerk	1,920.00 per annum	120.00
Adjuster	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Seven Meter Clerks	1,410.00 each per annum	120.00
Stenographer	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Twenty-two Rate and Assessment Clerks	1,410.00 each per annum	120.00
Addressograph Operator	1,170.00 per annum	120.00

CARNEGIE FREE LIBRARY OF ALLEGHENY.

Section 49.

Librarian and Custodian of Building	\$ 3,500.00 per annum	
Stenographer-Clerk	1,170.00 per annum	\$120.00
Head Library Assistant	1,620.00 per annum	120.00
Cataloguer	1,290.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Cataloguer	1,170.00 per annum	120.00
Children's Librarian	1,170.00 per annum	120.00
Four Library Assistants	1,110.00 each per annum	120.00
Three Library Sub-Assistants	990.00 each per annum	120.00
Six Library Sub-Assistants	810.00 each per annum	120.00
Apprentice	690.00 per annum	120.00
Two Apprentices	630.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Apprentices	570.00 each per annum	120.00
Three Apprentices	540.00 each per annum	120.00
Organist	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Engineer, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Two Sunday Assistants	3.85 each per day	
Sunday Assistant	2.35 per day	
Head Janitor	4.00 per day	
Three Janitors	3.60 each per day	
Six Scrubwomen	2.75 each per day	
Branch Librarian	1,170.00 per annum	120.00

Allowance
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in salary rate.

Library Sub-Assistant	990.00 per annum	120.00
Library Sub-Assistant	810.00 per annum	120.00
Scrubwoman	2.75 per day	

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Section 50.

Director	\$ 8,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	3,600.00 per annum	
Stenographer-Clerk	1,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Stenographer	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Messenger	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Two Photographers	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Chauffeur	1,470.00 per annum	120.00

Department of Public Works—Division of Accounting.

Section 51.

Chief Accountant	\$ 2,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Accountant	2,070.00 per annum	120.00
Accountant	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Bookkeeper	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,530.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,230.00 per annum	120.00

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Engineering.

Section 52.

Chief Engineer	\$ 6,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	2,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Contract Clerk	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Two Stenographers	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00

Department of Public Works—Division of Surveys.

Section 53.

Assistant Chief Engineer	\$ 5,000.00 per annum	
Division Engineer	3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Seven Assistant Engineers	2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Eight Engineering Draftsmen	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Counter Clerk	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Six Transmitters	1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Six Rodmen	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Six Chainmen	1,170.00 each per annum	120.00
Laborers	3.60 each per day	
Auto Truck Driver	4.05 per day	

Department of Public Works—Division of Street Signs.

Section 54.

Public Works Inspector	\$ 1,320.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two Sign Repairmen	1,050.00 each per annum	120.00

Department of Public Works—Division of Design.

Section 55.

Division Engineer	\$ 3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two Assistant Engineers	2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Designing Draftsman	1,890.00 per annum	120.00
Five Engineering Draftsmen	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Counter Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00

Department of Public Works—Division of Bridges.

Section 56.

Division Engineer	\$ 3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Assistant Engineer	2,310.00 per annum	120.00
Architect	3,270.00 per annum	120.00
Architectural Draftsman	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Designing Draftsman	2,130.00 per annum	120.00
Designing Draftsman	1,890.00 per annum	120.00
Engineering Draftsman	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Public Works Inspectors	4.85 each per day	
General Foreman	1,830.00 per annum	120.00

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Foreman of Painters	1,830.00 per annum	120.00
Driver	3.85 per day	
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Bridge Painters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Structural Iron Workers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Division of Sewers.

Section 57.

Division Engineer	\$ 3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Four Assistant Engineers	2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Four Transltmen	1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Four Rodmen	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Four Chainmen	1,170.00 each per annum	120.00
Public Works Inspectors	4.85 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Division of Streets.

Section 58.

Division Engineer	\$ 3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Five Assistant Engineers	2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Five Transltmen	1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Five Rodmen	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Five Chainmen	1,170.00 each per annum	120.00
Public Works Inspectors	4.85 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Deed Registry.

Section 59.

Register of Deeds	\$ 2,220.00 per annum	\$120.00
Chief Clerk	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Plotting Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Two Clerks	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00

Department of Public Works—Highways and Sewers—General Office.

Section 60.

Superintendent	\$ 4,500.00 per annum	
Assistant Superintendent	3,500.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	2,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Three Clerks	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00

Department of Public Works—Highways and Sewers—Division Offices.

Section 61.

Seven District Supervisors	\$ 2,120.00 each per annum	\$120.00
Seven Clerks	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Seven District Foremen	1,620.00 each per annum	120.00
Forty-two Street Foremen	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Foreman of Carpenters	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Carpenters' Helpers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Painters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Pavers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Rammers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Bricklayers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Bricklayers' Helpers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Auto Truck Drivers	4.05 each per day	
Fourteen Stable Foremen	4.10 each per day	
Drivers	3.85 each per day	
Repairmen	3.85 each per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Division of Public Utilities.

Section 62.

Division Engineer	\$ 3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Engineering Draftsman	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Transltman	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Five Public Service Inspectors	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00

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Department of Public Works—Asphalt Plant.

Section 63.

Superintendent	\$ 3,600.00 per annum	
Assistant Superintendent	2,000.00 per annum	
Chief Engineer	1,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Three Clerks	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
General Foreman	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Plant Foreman	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Six Street Foremen	1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Auto Truck Drivers	4.05 each per day	
Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Roller Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Pavers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Rammers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Bricklayers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Painters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Rakers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Tampers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Mixer Men, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Laborers	4.00 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Bureau of City Property.

Section 64.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	1,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Librarian-Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Collector-Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,290.00 per annum	120.00

Department of Public Works—City-County Building.

Section 65.

Janitor-Engineer	\$ 1,800.00 per annum	
Four Elevator Operators	1,170.00 each per annum	\$120.00
Thirty-six Cleaners	870.00 each per annum	120.00
Three Watchmen	4.10 each per day	
Three Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
One Oiler, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Thirty Laborers	3.60 each per day	
One Electrician, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
One Steam Fitter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
One Repairman, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
One Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	

Department of Public Works—North Side Municipal Hall.

Section 66.

Janitor	\$ 1,230.00 per annum	\$120.00
Four Cleaners	870.00 each per annum	120.00
Watchman	3.85 per day	

Department of Public Works—Diamond Market.

Section 67.

Clerk	\$ 1,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Clerk, Wharf Market	1,170.00 per annum	120.00
Three Constables	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Eleven Elevator Operators	1,050.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Cleaners	870.00 each per annum	
Two Watchmen	4.10 each per day	
Three Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Driver	3.85 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—North Side Market.

Section 68.

Clerk	\$ 2,000.00 per annum	
Two Female Attendants	930.00 each per annum	\$120.00
Watchman	4.10 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

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Department of Public Works—Adams Market.

Section 69.

Sweeper	\$ 636.60 per annum	\$120.00
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Department of Public Works—South Side Market.

Section 70.

Constable	\$ 1,230.00 per annum	\$120.00
Clerk	1,320.00 per annum	120.00
Two Cleaners	870.00 each per annum	120.00
Watchman	3.85 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Wharves and Landings.

Section 71.

Wharfmaster	\$ 1,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Assistant Wharfmaster	1,470.00 per annum	\$120.00
Labor Foreman	4.35 per day	
Five Watchmen	4.10 each per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Comfort Houses.

Section 72.

Nineteen Male Attendants	\$ 1,020.00 each per annum	\$120.00
Nineteen Female Attendants	1,020.00 each per annum	120.00

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Water.

Section 73.

Managing Engineer	\$ 6,000.00 per annum	
Stenographer	1,470.00 per annum	\$120.00

Department of Public Works—Water Accounting Division.

Section 74.

Chief Clerk	\$ 2,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,650.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Photographer	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Three Telephone Clerks	4.10 each per day	
Auto Driver	3.60 per day	

Department of Public Works—Water Filtration Division.

Section 75.

Division Superintendent	\$ 3,600.00 per annum	
Assistant Division Superintendent	2,310.00 per annum	\$120.00
Clerk	1,650.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Telephone Clerk	1,110.00 per annum	120.00
Chief Analyst	2,370.00 per annum	120.00
Bacteriologist	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Junior Chemist	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Junior Bacteriologist	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Two Laboratory Assistants	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Three Filter Foremen	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Designing Draftsman	1,890.00 per annum	120.00
Rodman	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Two Public Works Inspectors	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Sample Collectors	3.35 each per day	
Three Gate Mechanics	4.10 each per day	
Filter Attendant	4.35 per day	
Nine Assistant Filter Attendants	4.00 each per day	
Machinist, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Machinist's Helper, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Electrician, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Plumber, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Four Watchmen	3.60 each per day	
Three Labor Foremen	4.25 each per day	
Driver	3.85 per day	
Laborers	4.00 each per day	

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Department of Public Works—Water Mechanical Division.

Section 76.

Division Superintendent	\$ 3,600.00 per annum	
Division Engineer	2,670.00 per annum	\$120.00
Assistant Engineer	2,310.00 per annum	120.00
Division Clerk	1,650.00 per annum	150.00
Stenographer	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer	1,170.00 per annum	120.00
Chief Draftsman	2,310.00 per annum	120.00
Four Designing Draftsmen	1,890.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Engineering Draftsmen	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Engineering Draftsmen	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Transmitters	1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Rodmen	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Four Chainmen	1,170.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Inspectors of Machinery and Castings	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Three Public Works Inspectors	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Bricklayers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Electricians, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Steamfitters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Steamfitters' Helpers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Painters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Machinists, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Blacksmiths, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Blacksmiths' Helpers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Repair Foreman	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Drivers	3.85 each per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Brilliant Pumping Station.

Section 77.

Chief Engineer	\$ 2,670.00 per annum	\$120.00
Clerk	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Three First Assistant Engineers	5.85 each per day	
Three Second Assistant Engineers	5.10 each per day	
Three Feed Water Tenders	4.10 each per day	
Sixteen Oilers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Six Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Boiler Tender, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Boiler Tender Helper, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Coal Tender	4.10 per day	
Four Repairmen	3.60 each per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Aspinwall Pumping Station.

Section 78.

Chief Engineer	\$ 2,670.00 per annum	\$120.00
Clerk	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Three First Assistant Engineers	5.85 each per day	
Three Second Assistant Engineers	5.10 each per day	
Six Oilers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Three Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Boiler Tender, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Boiler Tender Helper, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Two Repairmen	3.60 each per day	
Coal Tender	4.10 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Ross Pumping Station.

Section 79.

Chief Engineer	\$ 2,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Clerk	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Three First Assistant Engineers	5.85 each per day	
Three Second Assistant Engineers	5.10 each per day	
Twelve Oilers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Three Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Boiler Tender, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Repairman	3.60 per day	
Coal Tender	4.10 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

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Department of Public Works—Herron Hill Pumping Station.

Section 80.

Chief Engineer	\$ 2,160.00 per annum	\$120.00
Three First Assistant Engineers	5.35 each per day	
Three Second Assistant Engineers	4.60 each per day	
Three Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Boiler Tender, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Mission Street Pumping Station.

Section 81.

Chief Engineer	\$ 2,160.00 per annum	\$120.00
Three First Assistant Engineers	5.35 each per day	
Three Second Assistant Engineers	4.60 each per day	
Three Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Repairman	3.60 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Howard Street Pumping Station.

Section 82.

Chief Engineer	\$ 2,160.00 per annum	\$120.00
Three First Assistant Engineers	5.35 each per day	
Three Second Assistant Engineers	4.60 each per day	
Six Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Boiler Tender, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Boiler Tender Helper, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Two Repairmen	3.60 each per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Lincoln Pumping Station.

Section 83.

Chief Engineer	\$ 1,650.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two First Assistant Engineers	1,530.00 each per annum	120.00

Department of Public Works—Greentree Pumping Station.

Section 84.

Chief Engineer	\$ 1,650.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two Repairmen	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Montrose Pumping Station.

Section 85.

Three Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Water Distribution Division.

Section 86.

Division Superintendent	\$ 3,600.00 per annum	
Division Clerk	1,650.00 per annum	\$120.00
Four Clerks	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Three Clerks	1,290.00 each per annum	120.00
Three Stenographer-Clerks	1,290.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Division Engineers	2,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Four Assistant Engineers	2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Four Designing Draftsmen	1,890.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Engineering Draftsmen	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Transitman	1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Two Rodmen	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Chainmen	1,170.00 each per annum	120.00
Five Storekeepers	1,350.00 each per annum	120.00
Chief Meter Inspector	1,920.00 per annum	120.00
Meter Repairman	3.85 each per day	
Chief Hydrant Inspector	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Chief Pipe Line Inspector	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Inspector of Machinery and Castings	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Two Public Works Inspectors	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Service Inspectors	4.10 each per day	
Supervisor of Pipe Lines	2,270.00 per annum	120.00
Five Assistant Supervisors of Pipe Lines	1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
General Maintenance Foremen	1,920.00 per annum	120.00
Two Assistant General Maintenance Foremen	1,470.00 each per annum	120.00
Three Watchmen	930.00 each per annum	120.00

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Three Gauge Readers	3.85 each per day
Foremen	4.10 each per day
Drillers	4.10 each per day
Pipemen	3.85 each per day
Caulkers	3.35 each per day
Auto Drivers	3.60 each per day
Drivers	3.85 each per day
Watchmen	3.60 each per day
Laborers	3.60 each per day
Plumbers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Blacksmiths, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Blacksmiths' Helpers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Painters, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Bricklayers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Pavers, not to exceed	C. U. W.

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Light.

Section 87.

Superintendent	\$ 2,970.00 per annum	\$120.00
Assistant Superintendent	2,270.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,920.00 per annum	120.00
Janitor	3.35 per day	
Foreman of Construction	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Foreman of Laborers	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Three Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Five Linemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Linemen's Helper, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Two Electric Repairmen, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Lamp Mechanic, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Two Light Inspectors, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Two Trimmers	4.35 each per day	
Two Engine Room Laborers	4.00 each per day	
Two Drivers	3.85 each per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Parks.

Section 88.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk	1,920.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,410.00 per annum	120.00
Two Clerks	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00

SCHENLEY PARK.

Section 89.

Two Park Foremen	\$3.85 each per day	
Five Watchmen	3.60 each per day	
Two Tennis Court Attendants	3.35 each per day	
Engineers, Steam Roller, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Foreman, Merry-go-round	4.10 per day	
Two Helpers, Merry-go-round	3.10 each per day	
Nursery Foreman	1,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Golf Instructor	102.50 per month	10.00
Foreman, Golf Grounds	3.85 per day	
Stable Foreman	3.85 per day	
Assistant Stable Foreman	3.85 per day	
Six Drivers	3.85 each per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

CONSERVATORY.

Section 90.

Conservatory Foreman	\$ 2,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Mechanical Foreman	1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Nine Florists	1,485.00 each per annum	120.00
Female Attendant	870.00 per annum	120.00
Cleaner	870.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Mechanical Foreman	3.85 per day	
Three Assistant Florists	3.85 each per day	
Four Greenhouse Attendants	3.85 each per day	
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

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CONSERVATORY, NORTH SIDE.

Section 91.

Four Florists	\$ 1,485.00 each per annum.	\$120.00
Four Greenhouse Attendants	3.85 each per day	
Mechanical Foreman	4.10 per day	
Assistant Mechanical Foreman	3.85 per day	
Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

FRIENDSHIP PARK.

Section 92.

Foreman	\$3.85 per day	
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BLUFF PARK.

Section 93.

Laborers	\$ 3.60 each per day	
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ARSENAL PARK.

Section 94.

Foreman	\$3.85 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

GRANDVIEW PARK.

Section 95.

Foreman	\$3.85 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	
Foreman, Merry-go-round	4.10 per day	
Two Helpers, Merry-go-round	3.10 each per day	

WEST END PARK.

Section 96.

Foreman	\$3.85 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

McKINLEY PARK.

Section 97.

Foreman	\$3.85 per day	
Tennis Court Attendant	3.35 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	
Watchman	3.60 per day	

OLYMPIA PARK.

Section 98.

Foreman	\$3.85 per day	
Watchman	3.60 per day	
Tennis Court Attendant	3.35 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

LAWRENCEVILLE PARK.

Section 99.

Foreman	\$3.85 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

HOLLIDAY PARK.

Section 100.

Foreman	\$3.85 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

HERRON HILL PARK.

Section 101.

Foreman	\$3.85 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

HIGHLAND PARK.

Section 102.

Park Supervisor	\$ 1,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two Greenhouse Attendants	3.85 each per day	
Park Foreman	3.85 per day	

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Stable Foreman	3.85 per day	
Assistant Stable Foreman	3.85 per day	
Three Drivers	3.85 each per day	
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Laborers	\$3.60 each per day	
Four Watchmen	3.60 each per day	
Tennis Court Attendant	3.35 per day	

HIGHLAND PARK ZOO.

Section 103.		
Head Keeper	\$ 1,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Engineer, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Six Animal Keepers	4.10 each per day	
Two Watchmen	3.60 each per day	
Engine Room Laborer	3.85 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

RIVERVIEW PARK ZOO.

Section 104.		
Two Animal Keepers	\$3.85 each per day	
Watchman	3.60 per day.	

RIVERVIEW PARK, NORTH SIDE.

Section 105.		
Park Supervisor	\$ 1,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Eight Watchmen	3.60 each per day	
Two Tennis Court Attendants	3.35 each per day	
Three Drivers	3.85 each per day	
Foreman, Merry-go-round	4.10 per day	
Two Helpers, Merry-go-round	3.10 each per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

WEST PARK, NORTH SIDE.

Section 106.		
Park Supervisor	\$ 2,500.00 per annum	
Clerk	1,170.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two Park Foremen	3.85 each per day	
Watchman	3.60 per day	
Tennis Court Attendant	3.35 per day	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

SHADE TREES.

Section 107.		
Foreman of Laborers	\$ 1,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Recreation.

Section 108.		
Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum	\$120.00
Assistant Superintendent	3,120.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk	1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer	1,020.00 per annum	
Male Supervisor of Physical Training for Eight Months	190.00 per month	10.00
Female Supervisor of Physical Training for Eight Months	185.00 per month	10.00
Female Supervisor of Playgrounds for Nine Months	185.00 per month	10.00
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Laborers	3.60 each per day	

WASHINGTON PARK.

Section 109.		
Recreation Director	\$ 1,920.00 per annum	\$120.00
Male Physical Director for Ten Months	110.00 per month	10.00
Female Physical Director for Ten Months	115.00 per month	10.00

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Playground Director for Ten Months.....	92.50 per month	10.00
Assistant Playground Director for Ten Months....	75.00 per month	10.00
Accompanist, for Ten Months	92.50 per month	10.00
Play Leader, for Ten Months	85.00 per month	10.00
Caretaker	1,110.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Caretaker	870.00 per month	120.00
Matron	750.00 per annum	120.00

ORMSBY PARK.

Section 110.

Recreation Director	\$ 1,920.00 per annum	\$120.00
Male Physical Director for Ten Months.....	110.00 per month	10.00
Female Physical Director for Ten Months.....	115.00 per month	10.00
Playground Director for Ten Months.....	95.00 per month	10.00
Assistant Playground Director for Ten Months....	75.00 per month	10.00
Accompanist for Ten Months.....	92.50 per month	10.00
Playleader for Ten Months.....	75.00 per month	10.00
Matron	810.00 per annum	120.00
Caretaker	1,050.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Caretaker	870.00 per annum	120.00

LAWRENCE PARK.

Section 111.

Recreation Director	\$ 1,920.00 per annum	\$120.00
Male Physical Director for Ten Months.....	110.00 per month	10.00
Female Physical Director for Ten Months.....	115.00 per month	10.00
Playground Director for Ten Months.....	100.00 per month	10.00
Accompanist for Ten Months.....	92.50 per month	10.00
Caretaker	1,110.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Caretaker	870.00 per annum	120.00
Matron	870.00 per annum	120.00
Playground Director Assistant for Ten Months...	92.50 per month	10.00

WARRINGTON PARK.

Section 112.

Recreation Director	\$ 1,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Male Physical Director for Ten Months.....	120.00 per month	10.00
Female Physical Director for Ten Months.....	115.00 per month	10.00
Playground Director for Ten Months.....	95.00 per month	10.00
Playleader for Ten Months.....	80.00 per month	10.00
Accompanist for Ten Months.....	92.50 per month	10.00
Caretaker	990.00 per annum	120.00
Matron	750.00 per annum	120.00

WEST PENN PARK.

Section 113.

Male Physical Director for Ten Months.....	\$ 120.00 per month	\$10.00
Female Physical Director for Ten Months.....	100.00 per month	10.00
Playground Director for Ten Months.....	102.50 per month	10.00
Assistant Playground Director for Ten Months....	75.00 per month	10.00
Accompanist for Ten Months.....	92.50 per month	10.00
Caretaker	1,230.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Caretaker	870.00 per annum	120.00
Matron	750.00 per annum	120.00

ARSENAL PARK.

Section 114.

Male Physical Director for Ten Months.....	\$ 120.00 per month	\$10.00
Female Physical Director for Ten Months.....	100.00 per month	10.00
Playground Director for Ten Months.....	100.00 per month	10.00
Assistant Playground Director for Ten Months....	75.00 per month	10.00
Accompanist for Ten Months.....	92.50 per month	10.00
Caretaker	870.00 per annum	120.00

SOUTH SIDE PARK.

Section 115.

Male Physical Director for Ten Months.....	\$ 120.00 per month	\$10.00
Female Physical Director for Ten Months.....	92.50 per month	10.00
Female Playleader for Ten Months.....	95.00 per month	10.00
Caretaker	1,110.00 per annum	120.00

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REAM PARK.

Section 116.		
Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day	
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day	
Playground Director	3.35 per day	
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day	
Caretaker	870.00 per annum	\$120.00

LEWIS PARK.

Section 117.		
Female Physical Director	\$ 115.00 per month	\$10.00
Playground Director	100.00 per month	10.00
Playground Assistant	90.00 per month	10.00
Accompanist	85.00 per month	10.00
Matron	840.00 per annum	120.00

BRUSHTON POOL.

Section 118.		
Caretaker	\$ 990.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two Swimming Guards	3.35 each per day	
Two Swimming Guard Helpers	2.65 each per day	
Seamstress	2.65 per day	

ORMSBY POOL.

Section 119.		
Swimming Guard	\$ 3.85 per day	
Three Swimming Guards	3.35 each per day	
Two Swimming Guard Helpers	2.65 each per day	
Seamstress	2.65 per day	

LAWRENCE SWIMMING POOL.

Section 120.		
Swimming Guard	\$ 3.85 per day	
Three Swimming Guards	3.35 each per day	
Two Swimming Guard Helpers	2.65 each per day	
Seamstress	2.65 per day	

ARLINGTON PARK.

Section 121.		
Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day	
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day	
Playground Director	3.35 per day	
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day	

BEECHVIEW.

Section 122.		
Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day	
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day	
Playground Director	3.35 per day	
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day	

ARMSTRONG PARK.

Section 123.		
Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day	
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day	
Playground Director	3.35 per day	
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day	

BURGIN.

Section 124.		
Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day	
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day	
Playground Director	3.35 per day	
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day	

CUTHBERTSON.

Section 125.		
Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day	
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day	
Playground Director	3.35 per day	
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day	

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MORNINGSIDE.

Section 126.

Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day
Playground Director	3.35 per day
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day

O'HARA SCHOOL.

Section 127.

Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day
Playground Director	3.35 per day
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day

ROSE SCHOOL.

Section 128.

Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day
Playground Director	3.35 per day
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day

SHERADEN.

Section 129.

Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day
Playground Director	3.35 per day
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day

SOHO PLAYGROUND.

Section 130.

Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day
Playground Director	3.35 per day
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day

FLINN.

Section 131.

Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day
Playground Director	3.35 per day
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day

GARFIELD.

Section 132.

Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day
Playground Director	3.35 per day
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day

GREENFIELD.

Section 133.

Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day
Playground Director	3.35 per day
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day

HOMEWOOD.

Section 134.

Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day
Playground Director	3.35 per day
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day

McKELVEY SCHOOL.

Section 135.

Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day
Playground Director	3.35 per day
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day

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WABASH.

Section 137.

Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day
Playground Director	3.35 per day
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day

WATT STREET SCHOOL.

Section 138.

Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day
Playground Director	3.35 per day
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day

PENN AVENUE.

Section 139.

Male Physical Director	\$ 3.85 per day
Female Physical Director	3.85 per day
Playground Director	3.35 per day
Playground Assistant	2.65 per day

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Tests.

Section 140.

Director of Tests	\$ 2,670.00 per annum	\$120.00
Chemist	2,070.00 per annum	120.00
Junior Chemist	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Laboratory Assistant	1,110.00 per annum	120.00

Section 141. All positions herein designated, not heretofore existing, shall be and the same are hereby created and established at the salaries or wages herein prescribed, and the proper City officers are hereby authorized to fill such positions in the manner prescribed by law.

Section 142. All ordinances creating positions or fixing salaries other than those herein enumerated are hereby repealed.

Section 143. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance, with the exception of Ordinance No. 48, approved February 7, 1917, and recorded in Ordinance book, Volume 28, Page 328.

Passed January 13, 1919.

Approved January 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 145.

No. 11

AN ORDINANCE—Accepting the "Hartmann Brothers Plan of Lots" in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh laid out by Thomas F. Hartmann, Frank W. Hartmann, George J. Hartmann and Christ W. Hartmann, accepting the dedication of Beggs way, Easton way, Montezuma street and Verdun way as shown thereon for public use for highway purposes opening and

naming the same and establishing the grades on Brainard street, Beggs way, Easton way, Montezuma street, Olivant street and Verdun way.

Whereas, Thomas F. Hartmann, Frank W. Hartmann, George J. Hartmann and Christ W. Hartmann, the owners of certain property in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh laid out in a plan of lots called, "Hartmann Brothers Plan of Lots" have located certain streets and ways thereon and executed a deed of dedication on said plan of all the ground covered by said streets and ways, to the said City for public use for highway purposes and have released said City from any liabilities for damages for or by reason of the physical grading of said public highways to the grades hereinafter established, Therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the "Hartman Brothers Plan of Lots" situate in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh laid out by Thomas F. Hartmann, Frank W. Hartmann, George J. Hartmann and Christ W. Hartmann, September, 1918, be and the same is hereby approved and Beggs way, Easton way, Montezuma street and Verdun way as located and dedicated in said plan are hereby accepted.

Section 2. The streets and ways as aforesaid dedicated to said City for public use for highway purposes shall be and the same are hereby appropriat-

ed and opened as public highways and named Heggs way, Easton way, Montezuma street and Verdun way.

Section 3. The grades of Brainard street, Heggs way, Easton way, Montezuma street, Olivant street and Verdun way as shown, laid out and dedicated in the said "Hartmann Brothers Plan of Lots" are hereby established as described in ordinance No. 352, approved December 19, 1918, and recorded in Ordinance Book Vol. 30, page 89.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 20, 1919.

Approved January 28, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 174.

No. 12

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of Marohn street, from Bedford avenue to a point 395.53 feet north of the north line of Bedford avenue, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the east curb line of Marohn street, from Bedford avenue to a point 395.53 feet north of the north line of Bedford avenue, be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the north curb line of Bedford avenue at an elevation of 444.02 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 12.39 feet to a point to an elevation of 444.64 feet; thence rising at a rate of 12 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 111.85 feet to the south line of Tomahawk street, to an elevation of 458.06 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 9 feet to the south curb line of Tomahawk street, to an elevation of 458.51 feet; thence level for a distance of 22 feet to the north curb line of Tomahawk street; thence falling at a rate of 1 foot per 100 feet for a distance of 205.00 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 456.46 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 50 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 448.71 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 20, 1919.

Approved January 28, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 175.

No. 13

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Tomahawk street, from Marohn street to the easterly line of Robert Woods Plan of Lots, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the north curb line of Tomahawk street, from Marohn street to the easterly line of Robert Woods Plan of Lots be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the easterly curb line of Marohn street at an elevation of 458.51 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1 foot per 100 feet for a distance of 149.58 feet to the easterly line of Robert Woods Plan of Lots, to an elevation of 457.02 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 20, 1919.

Approved January 28, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 176.

No. 14

AN ORDINANCE—Changing the lines of and widening Carson street west, in the Nineteen ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 895.40 feet eastwardly from South Main street to a point 1221.91 feet westwardly from the south approach to the Point Bridge over the Monongahela river, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the lines of Carson street west, in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 895.40 feet eastwardly from South Main street to a point 1221.91 feet westwardly from the south approach to the Point Bridge over the Monongahela river, shall be and the same are hereby changed and the street is hereby widened to a uniform width of sixty (60) feet and shall lie between the street lines hereinafter described:

The following survey line is hereby established as a basis for locating the street lines between the aforesaid terminals, viz:

Beginning at a point on the northerly five foot survey line of Carson street

west, as widened by Ordinance No. 233 approved August 5, 1918, said point being 900.44 feet eastwardly from the easterly five foot survey line of South Main street and is located by co-ordinates -x18072.12 and +y11202.09, according to the United States Government system of co-ordination used in the local harbor line surveys and based upon the co-ordinates given, in said survey, for the triangulation monuments termed Singer and Dock; thence along said five foot survey line produced, south $65^{\circ} 49' 30''$ east for a distance of 1398.51 feet to a point of curve on the northerly five foot survey line as fixed by Ordinance No. 234 approved August 5, 1918, said point being located by co-ordinates -x18644.85 and +y12477.95.

The northerly street line shall be parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of five feet northwardly from the above described northerly five foot survey line.

The southerly street line shall be parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of 55 feet southwardly from the above described northerly five foot survey line.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall operate as a taking and appropriation for public highway purposes of any property included within the lines of said Carson street west, as described in Section 1 hereof and which was not heretofore a part thereof and this Ordinance shall operate as a vacation of those portions of Carson street west opened by an Ordinance approved November 24, 1873, and recorded in Ordinance Book Vol. 3, page 426, hereinafter more fully described, as portions "A" and "B" which are not included within the lines of the street as described in Section 1 hereof.

Portion "A." Beginning at a point at the intersection of the present southerly street line of Carson street west, as opened by the said Ordinance approved November 24, 1873, and the proposed southerly street line, as described heretofore in Section 1, said point being located by co-ordinates -x18406.73 and +y11813.23; thence along the proposed southerly street line south $65^{\circ} 49' 30''$ east, for a distance of 703.95 feet to a point of curve located by co-ordinates -x18695.02 and +y12455.44; thence deflecting to the south by a curve having a radius of 1573.16 feet and a central angle of $0^{\circ} 24' 02''$ for a distance of 11.00 feet to a point on the present southerly line located by co-ordinates -x18699.56 and +y12465.46; thence along the present southerly line north $71^{\circ} 10' 20''$ west, for a distance of 325.18 feet to an angle point located by co-ordinates -x18595.03 and +y12157.54; thence continuing along the present southerly line north $62^{\circ} 00' 40''$ west, for a distance of 321.70 feet to an angle point

located by co-ordinates -x18444.06 and +y11873.47; thence continuing along the present southerly line north $58^{\circ} 12' 40''$ west for a distance of 70.87 feet to the place of beginning, containing 11,813 square feet.

Portion "B." Beginning at a point at the intersection of the present northerly street line of Carson street west, as opened by said Ordinance approved November 24, 1873, and the proposed northerly street line as described heretofore in Section 1 and at a distance of 774.43 feet westwardly from a point of tangent of the first curve west of the Point Bridge, said point of intersection being located by co-ordinates -x183.316 and +y11773.47; thence along the said northerly street line north $58^{\circ} 14' 30''$ west for a distance of 129.60 feet to an angle point located by co-ordinates -x18254.95 and +y11663.27; thence continuing along the present northerly line north $73^{\circ} 05' 50''$ west, for a distance of 134.70 feet to a point on the proposed northerly street line located by co-ordinates -x18215.79 and +y11534.39; thence along the proposed northerly street line south $65^{\circ} 49' 30''$ east, for a distance of 262.06 feet to the place of beginning, containing 2223.0 square feet.

Section 3. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Carson street west, in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 895.40 feet eastwardly from South Main street to a point 1221.91 feet westwardly from the south approach of the Point Bridge over the Monongahela river to be widened, in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 4. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 20, 1919.

Approved January 28, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 177.

No. 15

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of the easterly shoulder and sidewalk of Beltzhoover avenue from the end of present pavement south of Cedarhurst street to Charles street, Borough of Knoxville, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses

of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the easterly shoulder and sidewalk of Beltzhoover avenue from the end of present pavement south of Cedarhurst street to Charles street, Borough of Knoxville, be graded, paved and curbed.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of ninety-five hundred (\$9500.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 20, 1919.

Approved January 28, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 179.

No. 16

AN ORDINANCE—Granting permission to the Entress Brick Company, a Pennsylvania Corporation, to grade Marohn street, from Bedford avenue to a point 395.53 feet northwardly from the northerly line of Bedford avenue, and Tomahawk street from Marohn street to the easterly line of Robert Woods Plan of Lots, at their own cost and expense.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the permission and consent of the Council of the said City is hereby granted to the Entress Brick Company, a Pennsylvania Corporation, to grade

Marohn street, from Bedford avenue to a point 395.53 feet northwardly from the northerly line of Bedford avenue; and Tomahawk street, from Marohn street to the easterly line of Robert Woods Plan of Lots, at their own cost and expense; provided that said work shall be done in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by and under the direction and supervision of the Director of the Department of Public Works; and further provided that the said Entress Brick Company shall furnish a bond to be filed with and approved by the Mayor, conditioned that the city shall be saved harmless from any cost, loss or damage arising from any cause whatsoever due to the performance of the said work.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 20, 1919.

Approved January 28, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 180.

No. 17

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for the furnishing and constructing of sheet metal work in connection with new heating system at the North Side Market, and setting aside \$6,000.00 from Code Account 1592½, Structural and Non-structural Improvements to the North Side Market, Bureau of City Property, for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the furnishing and constructing of sheet metal work in connection with new heating system at the North Side Market, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing the said city.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the sum of six thousand (\$6,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and is hereby set aside and appropriated from Code Account 1592½, Structural and Non-structural Improvements at the North Side Market, Bureau of City

Property, and the Mayor and the Controller are authorized and directed to issue and countersign warrants in payment of the costs of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 20, 1919.

Approved January 28, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 181.

No. 18

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the McConway and Torley Company, its successors and assigns the right to construct, maintain and use a ten inch (10") cast iron pipe 13 feet below street grade for the purpose of conveying water from pumps to turbine engines in the building of the McConway and Torley Company. Pumps situated on the east side of Forty-eighth street at approximately 455 feet northwardly from the north right of way of the Allegheny Valley Railroad; then at right angles from the building on the east side of Forty-eighth street for a distance of 10½ feet to a point in street; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left in a southerly direction for a distance of 62 feet parallel with McConway and Torley Company Building to a point, thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left for a distance of 10½ feet to the building of the McConway and Torley Company.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the McConway and Torley Company, its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority, at its own cost and expense, to construct, maintain and use a ten inch (10") cast iron pipe 13 feet below street grade for the purpose of conveying water from pumps to turbine engines in the building of the McConway and Torley Company. Pumps situated on the east side of Forty-eighth street at approximately 455 feet northwardly from the north right of way of the Allegheny Valley Railroad; thence at right angles from the building on the east side of Forty-eighth street for a distance of 10½ feet to a point in street; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left in a southerly direction for a distance of 62 feet parallel with the McConway and Torley Company building to a point; thence deflecting 90 degrees to the left for a distance of 10½ feet to the building of the McConway and Torley Company.

The said 10" cast iron pipe shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance, and in the

location and in accordance with the plan attached hereto, and identified as Accession No. A-114, Folder "A," in the files of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, entitled: "Proposed 10" cast iron pipe on Forty-eighth street for the McConway and Torley Company, Ninth ward, City of Pittsburgh."

Section 2. The said Company, prior to the beginning of the construction of the said 10" pipe, shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the said city, a complete set of plans in triplicate, showing location and all details of the construction of the said pipe, and said plans of the construction of the said pipe shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the said Director.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over city streets and to the ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of pipes on city streets, and providing for compensation therefor.

Section 4. The said grantee shall bear the full cost and expense of the repaving and repair of the street pavement damaged, repair of sewers, water lines and other surface and sub-surface structures which may be in any way damaged or disturbed by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said pipe.

All of the said work, including the repaving of the street damaged, shall be done in the manner and at such times as the Director may order, and shall be subject to his approval and supervision.

Section 5. The rights and privileges granted by this ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh, without liability, reserves the right to cause the removal of the said pipe upon giving six (6) months' notice through the proper officers pursuant to resolution or ordinance of Council to the said McConway and Torley Company, its successors and assigns, to effect; and that the said grantee when so notified shall, at the expiration of said six months, forthwith, remove the said pipe and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 6. The said grantee shall assume any liability of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property, including the street and sub-surface structures therein, by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said pipe, and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh

assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following condition, to-wit: This ordinance shall become null and void unless within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this ordinance, the McConway and Torley Company shall file with the City Controller, its certificate of acceptance of this ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the Company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 20, 1919.

Approved January 28, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 181.

No. 19

AN ORDINANCE—Amending parts of Sections twenty-four, twenty-five and twenty-eight of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved twenty-second day of January A. D. 1919, by providing that the additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) per annum referred to therein for certain officers and employees shall be payable only upon an equal sum being likewise paid into the Firemen's Disability Board Funds by such officers and employees from their compensation payable to them by the City of Pittsburgh, and defining the procedure relating thereto.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That so much of Section twenty-four of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved the twenty-second day of January A. D. 1919, which reads as follows:*

"At the salaries herein fixed, the Chief, District Chiefs, Chief Clerk, Store Keeper, Superintendent of Horses, Auto Mechanician, Deputy Superintendent of Machinery, Training School Instructors, Captains, Lieutenants, Engineers, Assistant Engineers, Drivers, Laddermen, and Hosemen in the Bureau of Fire shall be paid together with the additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) each per annum, which said additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) each

per annum shall be set aside in equal monthly installments by the City Controller and paid to the Firemen's Disability Board of the City of Pittsburgh for the purpose of making such employees beneficiaries in the Firemen's Disability Fund," shall be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"At the salaries herein fixed, the Chief, District Chiefs, Chief Clerk, Store Keeper, Superintendent of Horses, Auto Mechanician, Deputy Superintendent of Machinery, Training School Instructors, Captains, Lieutenants, Engineers, Assistant Engineers, Drivers, Laddermen, and Hosemen in the Bureau of Fire shall be paid together with the additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) each per annum, which said additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) each per annum shall be set aside in equal monthly installments by the City Controller and paid to the Firemen's Disability Board of the City of Pittsburgh for the purpose of making such employees beneficiaries in the Firemen's Disability Fund; Provided, however, that the said additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) per annum shall be paid only in the event of the payment by the said beneficiaries of an equal sum of thirty dollars (\$30.00) per annum in equal monthly installments into the said Firemen's Disability Board Fund to be authorized by the filing by such officers and employees of a power of attorney with the City Controller, directing him to deduct such two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) monthly from the compensation payable by the City of Pittsburgh to the said officers and employees, and pay said two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) monthly to the Firemen's Disability Board."

Section 2. That so much of section twenty-five of the above entitled Ordinance, approved as aforesaid, which reads as follows:

"At the salaries herein fixed, the Superintendent, Deputy Superintendent, Chief Clerk, Assistant Engineer, Operators, Inspectors, Line Foremen, Linemen, Supervisor of Construction, Batteryman, Instrument Repairman, Cable Splicer, Chauffeur, and Storekeeper, in the Bureau of Electricity, shall be paid together with the additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) each per annum, which said additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) each shall be set aside in equal monthly installments by the City Controller and paid to the Firemen's Disability Board for the use and purpose of the Firemen's Disability Fund of the City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of making such employees beneficiaries of said Fund," shall be and the same is hereby amended so as to read:

"At the salaries herein fixed; the Superintendent, Deputy Superintendent, Chief Clerk, Assistant Engineer, Operators, Inspectors, Line Foremen, Linemen, Supervisor of Construction, Batteryman, Instrument Repairman, Cable Splicer, Chauffeur, and Storekeeper, in the Bureau of Electricity, shall be paid together with the additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) each per annum, which said additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) each shall be set aside in equal monthly installments by the City Controller and paid to the Firemen's Disability Board for the use and purpose of the Firemen's Disability Fund of the City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of making such employees beneficiaries of said Fund; Provided, however, that said additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) per annum shall be paid only in the event of the payment by the said beneficiaries of an equal sum of thirty dollars (\$30.00) per annum in equal monthly installments into the said Firemen's Disability Board Fund to be authorized by the filing by such officers and employees of a power of attorney with the City Controller, directing him to deduct such two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) monthly from the compensation payable by the City of Pittsburgh to the said officers and employees, and pay said two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) monthly to the Firemen's Disability Board."

Section 3. That so much of section twenty-eight of the above entitled Ordinance, approved as aforesaid, which reads as follows:

"At the salaries herein fixed, the Assistant Chief Electric Wiring Inspector and the Electric Wiring Inspectors in the Bureau of Building Inspection shall be paid, together with the additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) each per annum, which said additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) each per annum shall be set aside in equal monthly installments by the City Controller and paid to the Firemen's Disability Board for the use and purpose of the Firemen's Disability Fund of the City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of making such employees beneficiaries of said fund," shall be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"At the salaries herein fixed, the Assistant Chief Electric Wiring Inspector and the Electric Wiring Inspectors in the Bureau of Building Inspection shall be paid, together with the additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) each per annum, which said additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) each per annum shall be set aside in equal monthly installments by the City Controller and paid to the Firemen's Disability Board for the use and purpose of the Firemen's Dis-

ability Fund of the City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of making such employees beneficiaries of said fund; Provided, however, that the said additional salary of thirty dollars (\$30.00) per annum shall be paid only in the event of the payment by the said beneficiaries of an equal sum of thirty dollars (\$30.00) per annum in equal monthly installments into the said Firemen's Disability Board Fund to be authorized by the filing by such officers and employees of a power of attorney with the City Controller, directing him to deduct such two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) monthly from the compensation payable by the City of Pittsburgh to the said officers and employees, and pay said two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) monthly to the Firemen's Disability Board."

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed February 3, 1919.
Approved February 6, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 183.

No. 20

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Line 2.

Section 8, Mayor's Office, Division of Motor Vehicles, Line 32, Section 24, Department of Public Safety—Bureau of Fire; Line 61, Section 46, Department of Charities—City Home and Hospital, Mayview; Line 4, Section 55, Department of Public Works—Division of Design; Section 57, Department of Public Works—Division of Sewers; Section 58, Department of Public Works—Division of Streets; Line 1, Section 79, Department of Public Works—Ross Pumping Station; Line 1, Section 51, Department of Public Works—Division of Accounting; Line 4, Section 12, Department of City Controller, of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage and approval of this Ordinance Line 2, Section 8, Mayor's Office, Division of Motor Vehicles of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads:*

Clerk,
\$1,050.00 per annum \$120.00
Shall be and the same is hereby
amended to read as follows:

Clerk,
\$1,350.00 per annum \$120.00

That Line 32, Section 24, Department
of Public Safety—Bureau of Fire, of the
above mentioned Ordinance, which
reads:

Four machinists,
Not to exceed C. U. W.

Shall be and the same is hereby
amended to read:

Five machinists,
Not to exceed C. U. W.

That Line 61, Section 46, Department
of Charities—City Home and Hospital,
Mayview, of the above mentioned Ordinance which reads:

Plumber,
Not to exceed C. U. W.

Shall be and the same is hereby
amended to read:

Two plumbers,
Not to exceed C. U. W.

That Line 4, Section 55, Department
of Public Works—Division of Design, of
the above mentioned Ordinance, which
reads:

Five Engineering Draftsmen,
\$1,770.00 each per annum \$120.00

Shall be and the same is hereby
amended to read as follows:

Six Engineering Draftsmen,
\$1,770.00 each per annum \$120.00

That Section 57, Department of Public
Works—Division of Sewers, of the above
mentioned Ordinance which reads:

Division Engineer,
\$3,270.00 per annum \$120.00

Four Asst. Engineers,
\$2,310.00 each per annum \$120.00

Four Transitmten,
\$1,590.00 each per annum \$120.00

Four Rodmen,
\$1,230.00 each per annum \$120.00

Four Chainmen,
\$1,170.00 each per annum \$120.00

Public Works Inspectors,
\$4.85 each per day.

Shall be and the same is hereby
amended to read as follows:

Division Engineer,
\$3,270.00 per annum \$120.00

Four Asst. Engineers,
\$2,310.00 each per annum \$120.00

Four Transitmten,
\$1,590.00 each per annum \$120.00

Four Rodmen,
\$1,230.00 each per annum \$120.00

Four Chainmen,
\$1,170.00 each per annum \$120.00

Asst. Chief Inspector,
\$1,770.00 per annum \$120.00

Public Works Inspectors,
\$4.85 each per day.

That Section 58, Department of Public
Works—Division of Streets, of the
above mentioned Ordinance, which
reads:

Division Engineer,
\$3,270.00 per annum \$120.00

Five Asst. Engineers,
\$2,310.00 each per annum \$120.00

Five Transitmten,
\$1,590.00 each per annum \$120.00

Five Rodmen,
\$1,230.00 each per annum \$120.00

Five Chainmen,
\$1,170.00 each per annum \$120.00

Public Works Inspectors,
\$4.85 each per day.

Shall be and the same is hereby
amended to read as follows:

Division Engineer,
\$3,270.00 per annum \$120.00

Five Asst. Engineers,
\$2,310.00 each per annum \$120.00

Five Transitmten,
\$1,590.00 each per annum \$120.00

Five Rodmen,
\$1,230.00 each per annum \$120.00

Five Chainmen,
\$1,170.00 each per annum \$120.00

Asst. Chief Inspector,
\$1,770.00 per annum \$120.00

Public Works Inspectors,
\$4.85 each per day.

Line 1, Section 79, Department of
Public Works—Ross Pumping Station,
which reads as follows:

"Chief Engineer,
\$2,770.00 per annum \$120.00"

Shall be and the same is hereby
amended to read:

"Chief Engineer,
\$2,670.00 per annum \$120.00"

Line 1, Section 51, Department of
Public Works—Accounting Division,
which reads as follows:

"Chief Accountant,
\$2,770.00 per annum \$120.00"

Shall be and the same is hereby
amended to read:

"Chief Accountant,
\$3,150.00 per annum."

Line 4, Section 12, Department of
City Controller, which reads as fol-
lows:

"Accountant,
\$2,070.00 per annum \$120.00"

Shall be and the same is hereby
amended to read:

"Accountant,
\$1,770.00 per annum \$120.00"

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part
of Ordinance conflicting with the provi-
sions of this Ordinance be, and the same
is hereby repealed, so far as the same
affects this Ordinance.

Passed February 3, 1919.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 186.

No. 21

AN ORDINANCE—Supplementing and Amending an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, Section 63, Department of Public Works, Asphalt Plant; "Laborers" and "Hot Shovelers."

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Line 19 of Section 63, Department of Public Works, Asphalt Plant, "Laborers," of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads as follows:

Laborers \$4.00 each per day.

Shall be and it is hereby amended to read:

Laborers \$3.60 each per day.
and that in addition to the positions fixed in Section 63, Department of Public Works, Asphalt Plant, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, there are hereby created and the salaries thereof fixed as a supplement to Section 63, Department of Public Works, Asphalt Plant, the following:

Hot Shovelers and Plant Laborers,
\$4.00 each per day.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed February 3, 1919.
Approved February 6, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, page 189.

No. 22

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Heppenstall Forge and Knife Company, Inc., its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a two inch (2") pipe line across Forty-seventh street twenty-two feet above grade of street, for the purpose of conveying steam heat from the plant of the Heppenstall Forge and Knife Company, Inc., on the westerly side of Forty-seventh street to the Shear Knife Department on the easterly side of Forty-seventh street, located approximately 150 feet north of Hatfield street in the Ninth ward of the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Heppenstall Forge and Knife Company, Inc., its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority, at its own cost and expense, to construct, maintain and use a two inch (2") pipe line across Forty-seventh street twenty-two feet above grade of street, for the purpose of conveying steam heat from the plant of the Heppenstall Forge and Knife Company, Inc., on the westerly side of Forty-seventh street to the Shear Knife Department on the easterly side of Forty-seventh street, located approximately 150 feet north of Hatfield street in the Ninth ward of the City of Pittsburgh.

The said two inch pipe line shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance, and in the location and in accordance with the plan attached hereto, and identified as Accession No. A-113, Folder "A" in the files of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, entitled: "Proposed 2" steam line across Forty-seventh street, Ninth ward, City of Pittsburgh for Heppenstall Forge and Knife Company, Incorporated."

Section 2. The said Company, prior to the beginning of the construction of the said 2" pipe line, shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the said city, a complete set of plans in triplicate, showing location and all details of the construction of the said pipe line, and said plans of the construction of the said pipe line shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the said Director.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over city streets and to the Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of pipes on city streets, and providing for compensation therefor.

Section 4. The said grantee shall bear the full cost and expense of the repaving and repair of the street pavement damaged, repair of sewers, water lines and other surface and sub-surface structures which may be in any way damaged or disturbed by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said pipe line.

All of the said work, including the repaving of the street damaged, shall be done in the manner and at such times as the Director may order, and shall be subject to his approval and supervision.

Section 5. The rights and privileges

granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh, without liability, reserves the right to cause the removal of the said pipe line upon giving six (6) months' notice through the proper officers pursuant to resolution or ordinance of Council to the said Heppenstall Forge and Knife Company, Incorporated, its successors and assigns, to effect; and that the said grantee when so notified shall, at the expiration of said six months, forthwith, remove the said pipe line and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 6. The said grantee shall assume any liability of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property, including the street and sub-surface structures therein, by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said pipe line, and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following condition, to-wit: This Ordinance shall become null and void unless within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, the Heppenstall Forge and Knife Company, Incorporated, shall file with the City Controller, its certificate of acceptance of this Ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the Company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed February 3, 1919.
Approved February 6, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, page 189.

No. 23

AN ORDINANCE—Of acceptance by the City of Pittsburgh from the trustees under the will of Henry W. Oliver, deceased, of a certain endowment fund for the maintenance of the bath house and swimming pool at the corner of Tenth and Bingham streets.

Whereas, By certain proposition of the late Henry W. Oliver which was accepted by an Ordinance approved July 2, 1903, and recorded in Ordinance Book Vol. 15, page 245, it was provided that the said Henry W. Oliver would furnish the land and erect thereon a bath house and swimming pool and furnish therefor a maintenance fund of \$80,000.00; and

Whereas, In pursuance of said purpose

the trustees of the estate of said Henry W. Oliver did purchase said land and erect thereon a bath house and swimming pool and subsequently did, by deed dated May 23, 1915, and recorded in D. B. Vol. 1839, page 313, convey said land and buildings erected thereon to the City of Pittsburgh to be forever used as a site and building for a bath house and swimming pool; and

Whereas, The estate of the said Henry W. Oliver from the time of said conveyance to the city of said property did pay to the city the sum of \$5,000.00 per annum as a maintenance fund for said premises; and

Whereas, The trustees of the estate of the said Henry W. Oliver in fulfillment and consummation of the endowment clause in their proposition so accepted as aforesaid by the City of Pittsburgh, have donated and transferred to the city fourteen hundred shares of the six per cent. preferred capital stock of the Pittsburgh Coal Company of Pennsylvania, being certificates No. 2380 to 2393 inclusive, together with the sum of \$2,100.00 covering the dividend due January 25, 1918, on said shares of stock.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That said gift or endowment of said stock and the dividend thereon be accepted from the trustees of said Henry W. Oliver estate as a final compliance with and consummation of the endowment clause in said proposition, and that the same be set aside in the hands of the City Treasurer and be pledged to and used for no other purpose than for the maintenance of said bath house and swimming pool and for the establishment of a sinking or reserve fund to cover the cost of any extraordinary expenses, repairs or improvements which become necessary for the same in the future.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed February 3, 1919.
Approved February 6, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, page 191.

No. 24

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts for the construction of a sewer on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Soho Playgrounds) and the northwest sidewalk of Wyan-

dotte street, from a point about 435 feet north of Wyandotte street to the existing sewer on Moultrie street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the construction of a sewer on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Soho Playgrounds) and the northwest sidewalk of Wyandotte street, from a point about 435 feet north of Wyandotte street to the existing sewer on Moultrie street, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing said City.

LOCATION OF SEWER TO BE CONSTRUCTED.

Commencing on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Soho Playgrounds) at a point about 435 feet north of Wyandotte street; thence southwardly along the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Soho Playgrounds) to Wyandotte street; thence southwestwardly along the northwest sidewalk of Wyandotte street to the existing sewer on Moultrie street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen inches (15") in diameter.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn in payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed February 3, 1919.
Approved February 6, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, page 192.

No. 25

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of

the sewers on the sidewalks of Methyl street, between an unnamed five foot way north of Coast avenue and Bayonne street, and on the roadway of Methyl street, between Bayonne street and the existing sewer on Methyl street at a point about 320 feet north of Bayonne street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the reconstruction of the sewers on the sidewalks of Methyl street, between an unnamed five foot way north of Coast avenue and Bayonne street, and on the roadway of Methyl street, between Bayonne street and the existing sewer on Methyl street at a point about 320 feet north of Bayonne street, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance, of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing said City.

LOCATION OF SEWERS TO BE RECONSTRUCTED.

Commencing on both sidewalks of Methyl street at the crown north of Coast avenue, thence southwardly along both sidewalks of Methyl street to the existing sewer on an unnamed five foot way north of Coast avenue. Also commencing on both sidewalks of Methyl street at the crown north of Coast avenue and at a point about 20 feet south of Bayonne street, thence northwardly and southwardly respectively along both sidewalks of Methyl street to the sewer on Parody way. Said sewers to be terra cotta pipe and twelve inches (12") in diameter.

Thence continuing westwardly along Parody way to the existing sewer on Parody way at a point about 30 feet west of Methyl street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen inches (15") in diameter.

Also commencing on the roadway of Methyl street at a point about 20 feet north of Bayonne street, thence northwardly along the roadway of Methyl street to the existing sewer on Methyl street at a point about 320 feet north of Bayonne street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen inches (15") in diameter, with nine inch (9") lateral sewers extending from the main sewer to a point one foot (1') inside the curb lines.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the sum of twenty-four thousand dollars (\$24,000.00), or

so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn in payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed February 3, 1919.
Approved February 6, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, page 193.

No. 26

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing and re-establishing the grade on Carson street west, from Musk way to a point 917.97 feet west of the Point Bridge.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade on the northerly curb line of Carson street west, from Musk way to a point 917.97 feet west of the Point Bridge shall be and the same is hereby established and re-established, as follows, to-wit:—

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Musk way at an elevation of 37.35 feet; thence falling at a rate of 0.5 per cent. for a distance of 250.01 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 36.10 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 40.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 36.10 feet; thence rising at a rate of 0.5 per cent. for a distance of 415.23 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 38.18 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 40.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 38.18 feet; thence falling at a rate of 0.5 per cent. for a distance of 415.23 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 36.10 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 40.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 36.20 feet; thence rising at a rate of 1.0 per cent. for a distance of 772.11 feet to a point of horizontal curve to an elevation of 43.92 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed February 3, 1919.
Approved February 6, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, page 195.

No. 27

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the southwest sidewalk of Jackson street, from a point about 70 feet southeast of Highview street to the existing sewer on Heth's avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on the southwest sidewalk of Jackson street, from a point about 70 feet southeast of Highview street to the existing sewer on Heth's avenue. Commencing on the southwest sidewalk of Jackson street at a point about 70 feet southeast of Highview street, thence southeastwardly along the southwest sidewalk of Jackson street to the existing sewer on Heth's avenue. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and twelve inches (12") in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise, in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800.00) which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed February 3, 1919.
Approved February 6, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, page 195.

No. 28

AN ORDINANCE—Vacating Montezuma street, in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh as dedicated

by Thomas F. Hartmann, Frank W. Hartmann, Christ W. Hartmann and George J. Hartmann and accepted by Ordinance No. 599, approved February 1, 1910, between Brainard street and Olivant street.

Whereas, It appears by the petition and affidavit on file in the Office of the City Clerk that the owners of all the property fronting or abutting upon the lines of Montezuma street, between Brainard street and Olivant street have petitioned the Council of the said City of Pittsburgh to enact an Ordinance for the vacation of the same, therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Montezuma street, in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh as dedicated by Thomas F. Hartmann, Frank W. Hartmann, Christ W. Hartmann and George J. Hartmann and accepted by Ordinance No. 599, approved February 1, 1910, between Brainard street and Olivant street and as hereinafter more fully described, shall be and the same is hereby vacated.

Beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of Brainard street with the center line of Montezuma street produced as laid out in the Highland Park View Plan of Lots; thence along the said easterly line of Brainard street north 51° 58' west for a distance of 26.825 feet; thence north 79° 49' 20" east for the distance of 451.89 feet to the westerly line of Olivant street; thence along the said westerly line of Olivant street south 3° 54' east for the distance of 40.24 feet; thence south 79° 49' 20" west for the distance of 411.75 feet to the aforesaid easterly line of Brainard street; thence along said easterly line of Brainard street north 51° 58' west for the distance of 26.825 feet to the place of beginning. Containing 17,272 square feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed February 3, 1919.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 196.

No. 29

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of a sewer on the private property of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company and Ethel street, from a point about 445 feet southeast of Furnace way to a point

about 50 feet southeast of Bates street, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the reconstruction of a sewer on the private property of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company and Ethel street, from a point about 445 feet southeast of Furnace way to a point about 50 feet southeast of Bates street, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing said City.

LOCATION OF SEWER TO BE CONSTRUCTED.

Commencing on the private property of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company at a point about 445 feet southeast of Furnace way; thence northwestwardly on, over, across and through the private property of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company to Ethel street; thence northwestwardly across Ethel street to the right-of-way of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company. Thence continuing northwestwardly along the right-of-way of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company to a point opposite Furnace way. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and eighteen inches (18") in diameter.

Thence continuing northwestwardly along the right-of-way of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company and Ethel street to a point on Ethel street about 50 feet southeast of Bates street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and twenty inches (20") in diameter.

Said sewer to be constructed in accordance with the plan, J. D. L.—156, on file in the Bureau of Engineering.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the sum of thirteen thousand dollars (\$13,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn in payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed February 10, 1919.
Approved February 17, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, page 197.

No. 30

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,134,000.00 for the purpose of funding existing unfunded indebtedness of the City, consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets, and the construction of sewers and other floating indebtedness, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Whereas, The City Controller has submitted to Council a detailed statement under date of January 2, 1919, of the floating indebtedness of the City, from which it appears that of the present floating indebtedness there is now due and payable the sum of \$1,134,000.00, over and above the funds on hand available for the liquidation thereof; and

Whereas, It is desirable to issue bonds for the purpose of funding this indebtedness; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh be issued in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,134,000.00 for the purpose of funding the aforesaid existing unfunded indebtedness of the City, consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages, etc., arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets and the construction of sewers and other floating indebtedness.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,134,000.00 be issued for the purpose aforesaid, with interest coupons attached, payable semi-annually, with the privilege of exchanging such coupon bond or bonds for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity, and of the denomination of \$100.00 or a multiple thereof not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not then due, at the office of the City Controller; and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved, and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund. The proceeds arising from

the sale of said bonds shall be applied to the discharge of the floating indebtedness of the City set forth in the report of the Controller above mentioned.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be issued in denominations of one hundred dollars, or multiples thereof, shall be dated as of the first day of January, A. D. 1919, and shall be payable in thirty equal annual installments, as follows:

Bonds to the aggregate amount of \$37,800.00 shall be payable on the first day of January in each and every year, beginning with the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and ending with the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of July and January, of each year, without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh, and the principal thereof shall be payable at maturity at the same place. The said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller, and sealed with the corporate seal of said City, and the coupons shall be authenticated with the lithographed fac-simile signature of the City Controller.

Said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller at not less than par and accrued interest, on the most advantageous terms obtainable, after three weeks' public notice by publication once a week for three weeks in the official newspapers of the City of Pittsburgh; provided, however, that such uninvested balances in the Sinking Fund, as may be available for the purpose, shall be invested in the same without public notice by advertising or otherwise. And the proceeds of such sales, or so much thereof as shall be necessary, shall be applied to the purposes set forth in this Ordinance and to no other purpose whatsoever. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as "Funding bond, 1919."

Section 4. Until said bonds issued as herein provided shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable or hereafter to be made liable to assessment for taxation for city purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable; and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third (3⅓%) per centum of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be applied to and set apart as a Sinking Fund for

the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same are hereby appropriated out of the revenues of said city for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. All registered bonds issued in exchange for coupon bonds, as provided in Section 2 of this Ordinance, shall be registered with the City Treasurer of said City and be transferable only on the books of said City Treasurer.

Section 6. All bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof; and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds, and the interest thereon semi-annually, as aforesaid, as the same shall mature and become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said city are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed February 24, 1919.

Approved March 5, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 199.

No. 31

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the proper officials of the City of Pittsburgh to enter into an agreement with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company for the occupation of land, held by the said Railroad, for the construction of a foot bridge over Nine Mile Run, connecting McFarren avenue with roads on the south west side of the said Run, and providing for the payment of the rental thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh, party of the second part, shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to enter into an Agreement with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, party of the first part to the effect that the First Party does hereby License and Permit the Second Party to take possession of the land held by said First Party, hereinafter described—but only on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth—and to erect and maintain thereon a building, to be oc-*

cupied and used for the business of McFarren Avenue Foot Bridge (Timber Structure).

The land which the First Party agrees may be thus occupied by the Second Party, is situate in the City of Pittsburgh, County of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania, and described as follows:

Being all that strip of land 10 feet wide and about 410 feet long, of which about 50 feet is located in the Fifteenth ward and 360 feet in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, as shown in yellow on the blue print attached hereto and made a part hereof, prepared in the office of the Engineering Department, City of Pittsburgh, their File J-F-L-78.

The Railroad Company reserves the right to order the City of Pittsburgh, within 90 days of notice, to change the location, or arrange for the removal or modification of the structure to meet the requirements of our proposed improvements in the Nine Mile Run Valley which may make it necessary for the Railroad Company to construct embankments, culverts and tracks in the said Nine Mile Run Valley crossing the location of the proposed foot bridge which may interfere therewith.

The terms and conditions of this License, are as follows:

First. That said second party shall keep the premises in a neat and cleanly condition.

Second. That the second party, or their assigns, shall at all times assume and take upon themselves all risks of accidents and fires, and of the danger thereof to such building or property on said premises whether communicated from the engines of the first party, or from whatever cause; and from all loss or damage consequent therefrom, whether caused by accident or from negligence of the agents or employees of the first party, or from whatever cause, and said second party hereby releases said first party from all liability therefor.

Third. That the second party, upon the receipt of a notice in writing from the first party to vacate said premises, will vacate said premises within ninety days from the receipt of said notice and will remove all structures erected under this license, and will restore said premises to the same condition as at the time of the execution of this agreement, if the first party so desires. It being understood and agreed that if the rental for this property shall at any time be ninety days in arrears, or if the said second party shall not within ninety days of the receipt of a notice in writing from said first party as aforesaid to vacate said property, remove all structures erected thereon by said

second party, that then after the expiration of said ninety days, said second party shall absolutely forfeit all right, title and interest in said structures erected upon said property, and the title to them shall vest absolutely in said first party, and the second party hereby agrees that the title shall so vest. It being understood and agreed that it shall thereafter be lawful and the right of the said first party, its agents or assigns, to take possession of said property and structures erected thereon, and to hold absolute possession of said premises and structures, with or without legal process, and to remove or tear down the same, and to remove any personal property and require any occupant of said property to vacate the same.

Fourth. That said land shall not be occupied by anyone except said second party, nor shall this license be assigned to any other person or persons without the consent in writing of the first party. Nor shall any liquor, whether spirituous, vinous or fermented, be kept in said building or on the premises, or sold either by wholesale or retail therein or thereon. Any violation of this clause shall terminate this license immediately without any notice on part of the first party to the second party.

Fifth. That the second party shall pay all taxes and assessments together with water rent and lighting on the property hereby licensed as well as upon all improvements placed thereon, and shall also pay as rent for the privilege granted hereby the sum of five dollars per annum, payable in advance. Provided, that the payment of said sum in advance shall not be held to create an irrevocable license for the period for which the same is paid, but said first party may terminate the license as herein provided and refund the rent for the balance of the period for which the same has been paid. Said rent is to be paid within ten days from date it is due, or this license shall immediately terminate at the option of the first party.

Sixth. Neither the second party, nor their legal representatives or assigns, shall at any time own or claim any interest in the land covered by this license, nor shall their possession for any length of time become ground for any claim to any right, except permission to occupy on the conditions aforesaid.

The second party accepts this license and grant of the above named privileges on the terms and conditions above set forth and hereby covenants and agrees to perform on their part the same, and especially to vacate said property on the expiration of said notice to vacate; and to remove all structures and restore said premises to the same condition as

at the time of the execution of this agreement.

The first party, in consideration of the premises, hereby licenses and permits the second party to take possession of, and occupy said premises, so above described, for the purpose aforesaid, and none other until this license shall be revoked and terminated by notice in the manner herein stipulated, or by a breach of one or more of the terms and conditions above set forth, be terminated ipso facto.

Said licensee agrees that during the period of the federal control of railroads all the provisions of paragraph two of this agreement shall inure to the benefit of the Director General of Railroads and his employees.

Section 2. That for the payment of the rental thereof, the sum of five dollars (\$5.00) shall be and is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account No. 1450, B Miscellaneous Services, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn in payment of the rental thereof.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 201.

No. 32

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Section

1 of an Ordinance approved December 4, 1886, entitled, "An Ordinance imposing a license fee upon peddlers in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly approved the 10th day of June, A. D. 1881, entitled, 'An Act to prohibit the peddling, selling or hawking of produce and merchandise in cities of the second and third classes within the Commonwealth without a license,'" by extending the provisions thereto to the solicitation of orders for the sale of goods or merchandise, and by excepting therefrom goods shipped from without the state directly to the purchaser within the state.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Section 1 of an Ordinance approved December 4, 1886, which reads as follows:*

"From and after the passage of this

No. 33

AN ORDINANCE—Prohibiting the obstruction or interception of funeral processions in the city and providing a penalty therefor.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That from and after the passage of this Ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any person driving a motor car or truck, motorcycle, carriage, wagon or other vehicle in the streets of the city to obstruct, intercept or break through any funeral procession on said streets: Provided, this prohibition shall not apply where the vehicles composing said funeral procession happen to be widely separated and shall not apply to the drivers of fire engines or other fire apparatus on the way to a fire.

Section 2. Any person or persons found guilty in a proceeding for summary conviction before any police magistrate of violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to a fine not exceeding fifty dollars (\$50.00), and in default of the payment thereof to a sentence of imprisonment not exceeding thirty (30) days in the Allegheny County Jail.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 205.

No. 34

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Lines 18, 20 and 24, Section 49, Carnegie Free Library of Allegheny, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That from and after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, Line 18, Section 49, Carnegie Free Library of Allegheny, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads as follows:

Ordinance no person shall be employed, engaged or concerned in the business or employment of hawking, peddling or selling produce or merchandise, or either of them, within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh, without having previously taken out a license therefor, to sell or offer or expose for sale, such articles or any of them without having paid such sum or sums as are hereinafter fixed, into the City Treasury, and received a license therefor; the person so offending shall forfeit and pay for each and every offense the sum of fifty dollars, to be recovered summarily before the Mayor of said city; Provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be construed so as to prohibit farmers, gardeners, or dairymen from selling the products of their own farms, gardens or dairies."

be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"From and after the passage of this Ordinance no person shall be employed, engaged or concerned in the business or employment of hawking, peddling or selling produce or merchandise, works of art, or any other kind of article for sale or shall be engaged in soliciting orders for such produce, merchandise, works of arts or any other kind of article for sale within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh, without having previously taken out a license therefor to sell or offer, or expose for sale such articles or any of them, or the soliciting of orders therefor, without having paid such sum or sums, as are hereinafter fixed, into the City Treasury and receive a license therefor; the person so offending shall be subject to a fine of fifty dollars (\$50.00) in a proceeding for summary conviction before the Mayor or any police magistrate, and in default thereof to imprisonment for a period not exceeding thirty (30) days; Provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be construed so as to prohibit farmers, gardeners or dairymen from selling the products of their own farms, gardens, or dairies; and Provided, further, that the terms hereof shall not apply to sale of goods or merchandise, or solicitation of orders for goods or merchandise to be shipped from a point without the state directly to a purchaser within the state in original packages.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 204.

Head Janitor\$4.00 per day
shall be and the same is hereby amended
to read as follows:

Head Janitor,
\$1,350.00 per annum \$120.00
and that Line 20, Section 49, Carnegie
Free Library of Allegheny, of an Ordinance
entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the
number of officers and employees of all
departments of the City of Pittsburgh,
and the rate of compensation thereof,"
approved January 22, 1919, which reads
as follows:

Six Scrubwomen,
\$2.75 each per day,
shall be and the same is hereby amended
to read as follows:

Six Cleaners,
\$870.00 each per annum \$120.00
and that Line 24, Section 49, Carnegie
Free Library of Allegheny, of an Ordinance
entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the
number of officers and employees of all
departments of the City of Pittsburgh,
and the rate of compensation thereof,"
approved January 22, 1919, which reads
as follows:

Scrubwoman\$2.75 per day,
shall be and the same is hereby amended
to read as follows:

Cleaner,
\$870.00 per annum \$120.00

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part
of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions
of this ordinance be, and the same
is hereby repealed, so far as the same
affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 206.

No. 35

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Line 2,
Section 84, Department of Public
Works, Greentree Pumping Station, of
an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance
fixing the number of officers and
employees of all departments of the City
of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation
thereof," approved January 22,
1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted
by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council
assembled, and it is hereby ordained and
enacted by the authority of the same, That
from and after the passage and approval
of this Ordinance, Line 2, Section
84, Department of Public Works,
Greentree Pumping Station, of an Ordinance
entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the
number of officers and employees of all
departments of the City of Pittsburgh,
and the rate of compensation thereof,"
approved January 22, 1919, which reads:*

Two Repairmen, \$3.60 each per day,
shall be and the same is hereby amended
to read:

Asst. Engineer,
\$1,410.00 per annum \$120.00
Repairman, \$3.60 per day.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part
of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions
of this ordinance be, and the same
is hereby repealed, so far as the same
affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 207.

No. 36

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing
the grading and paving of
Colville street from Pike street to Mulberry
way, and providing that the costs,
damages and expenses of the same be
assessed against and collected from
property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted
by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council
assembled, and it is hereby ordained and
enacted by the authority of the same, That
Colville street, from Pike street to Mulberry
way, be graded and paved.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director
of the Department of Public
Works are hereby authorized and directed
to advertise in accordance with
the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth
of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances
of the said City of Pittsburgh relating
thereto and regulating the same, for proposals
for the grading and paving of said street
between said points, the contract or contracts
therefor to be let in the manner directed
by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances;
and the contract price or contract prices,
if let in separate contracts, not to exceed
the total sum of fifty-three hundred
(\$5300.00) dollars, which is the estimate
of the whole cost as furnished by the
Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and
expenses of the same shall be assessed
against and collected from properties
specially benefited thereby, in accordance
with the provisions of the Acts of
Assembly of the Commonwealth of
Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating
the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or
part of Ordinance, conflicting with the
provisions of this Ordinance, be and
the same is hereby repealed so far as
the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 207.

No. 37

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading, regarding, paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving to the re-established lines and grades of Carson street west, from a point 1332.7 feet eastwardly from South Main street to a point 1221.91 feet westwardly from the south approach to the Point Bridge over the Monongahela river, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Carson street west, from a point 1332.7 feet eastwardly from South Main street to a point 1221.91 feet westwardly from the south approach to the Point Bridge over the Monongahela river, be graded, regraded, paved, repaved, curbed, recurbed and otherwise improved to the re-established lines and grades of Carson street west.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise, in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, regrading, paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of seventy thousand (\$70,000.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 208.

No. 38

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading and paving of Mulberry way, from Seventeenth street to the easterly terminus thereof, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Mulberry way, from Seventeenth street to the easterly terminus thereof, be graded and paved.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading and paving of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of fifty-seven hundred dollars (\$5700.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance of part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 209.

No. 39

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of three (3) more or less auto patrols and three (3) more or less motorcycles for the Bureau of Police.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they*

are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for furnishing three (3) more or less auto patrols at a cost not to exceed the sum of six thousand (\$6,000.00) dollars, and three more or less motorcycles for the Bureau of Police, at a cost not to exceed the sum of nine hundred (\$900.00) dollars, the same to be payable from Code Account No. 1156.

In accordance with an Act of Assembly, entitled, "An Act for the government of Cities of the second-class" approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 210.

No. 40

AN ORDINANCE—Repealing that portion of Ordinance No. 164, Series of 1913, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contract for repairing certain bridges, and authorizing the setting aside of various sums, amounting in the aggregate to \$19,700.00, from Code Account No. 1788-E, for the payment of the costs thereof," approved April 23, 1913, which pertains to "Repaving Roadway of Millvale Avenue Bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad, \$4,200.00."

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That that portion of Ordinance No. 164, Series of 1913, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for repairing certain bridges and authorizing the setting aside of various sums, amounting in the aggregate to \$19,700.00, from Code Account No. 1788-E, for the payment of the costs thereof," approved April 23, 1913, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 25, page 179, which pertains to "Repaving Roadway of Millvale Avenue Bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad, \$4,200.00," shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same

is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 210.

No. 41

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts, for the furnishing of one (1) auto truck for the Asphalt Plant, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for furnishing of one (1) auto truck for the Asphalt Plant, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, at a cost not to exceed the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), in accordance with an Act of Assembly, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided, the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1558.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 211.

No. 42

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for making certain repairs to the roadway of the California Avenue Bridge over Woods Run, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for making certain repairs to the roadway of the California Avenue Bridge over Woods

Run and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing said city.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the sum of four thousand two hundred (\$4,200.00) dollars, or so much thereof, as may be necessary, shall be and is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account No. 1454-E, Repairs Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn in payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 212.

No. 43

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing, delivery, construction and erection of one (1) Oil Storage Tank for the Northside Asphalt Plant of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, and providing for the payment thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for the furnishing, delivery, construction and erection of one (1) Oil Storage Tank for the Northside Asphalt Plant of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, for a sum not to exceed three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3500.00), in accordance with the Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved the 7th day of March, A. D., 1901, and the different supplements and amendments thereto, and the ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided.*

Section 2. That the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3500.00) or so much of the same as may be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby set apart and appropriated for the payment required for the performance of the above mentioned work and that said amount shall be paid out of Code Account No. 1559-G, Structural and Non-Structural Improvements, As-

phalt Plant, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 212.

No. 41

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of O'Hara street, from Boquet street to De Soto street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of the south curb line of O'Hara street, from Boquet street to De Soto street be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:*

Beginning on the west curb line of Boquet street at an elevation of 274.95 feet (curb as set); thence rising at the rate of 4.33 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 118.65 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 280.09 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 40 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 280.55 feet; thence falling at the rate of 2.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 16.15 feet to the east curb line of De Soto street to an elevation of 280.23 feet (curb as set).

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 213.

No. 45

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade on "A" street, from Columbus avenue to Kirkbride street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of the west curb line of "A" street, from Columbus avenue to Kirkbride street be and the same is hereby re-established, as follows:*

Beginning at the northerly building line of Columbus avenue at an elevation of 93.75 feet; thence rising at a rate of 8.55 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 120 feet to a point of curve.

to an elevation of 104.01 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 20 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 106.66 feet; thence rising at a rate of 17.9 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 69.44 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 119.09 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 16 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 121.08 feet; thence rising at a rate of 7.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 14.56 feet to the southerly curb line of Kirkbride street, to an elevation of 120.10 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 214.

No. 46

AN ORDINANCE Fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalk on Proxim way, from Estella avenue to Montooth street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width and position of the roadway and sidewalk on Proxim way, from Estella avenue to Montooth street shall be and the same are hereby fixed as follows:

The roadway, from Estella avenue to Haberman avenue shall have a uniform width of twelve and a half (12½) feet and shall occupy the entire width of the way. The roadway, from Haberman avenue to Montooth street shall have a uniform width of seventeen (17) feet and the southerly line thereof shall be identical with the southerly line of way.

The sidewalk, from Haberman avenue to Montooth street shall have a uniform width of three (3) feet and shall lie along and parallel the northerly line of the way occupying the space between the northerly line of the roadway as above described and the northerly line of the way.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 214.

No. 47

AN ORDINANCE—Cancelling and annulling Contract No. 4902, Mayor's Office File No. 255, which is a contract entered into between the City of Pittsburgh and Booth & Flinn, Ltd., for the grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of Warrington avenue, from Montooth street to West Liberty avenue, executed April 9, 1918.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Contract No. 4902, Mayor's Office File No. 255, which is a contract entered into between the City of Pittsburgh and Booth & Flinn, Ltd., for the grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of Warrington avenue, from Montooth street to West Liberty avenue, executed April 9, 1918, shall be and the same is hereby cancelled and annulled, and declared to be void and of no effect.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 215.

No. 48

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, East Pittsburgh, Pa., its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use an underground pipe and meter pit for their Homewood Service Plant's sprinkler system located on Susquehanna street 97 feet southeast of Dallas avenue.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company, East Pittsburgh, Pa., its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority, at its own cost and expense, to construct, maintain and use a meter pit under sidewalk and an 8" cast iron pipe for the purpose of conveying water from meter pit to sprinkler system situated on Susquehanna street, northeast sidewalk. Meter pit to be located 97 feet southeast of the southeast building line of Dallas avenue; thence an 8" cast iron pipe extending southwardly from meter pit 3 feet from the northeast building line, 4½ feet underground for a distance of 60 feet, said pipe line to have two connections ex-

tending to the building of their Homewood Service Plant.

The said meter pit and 8" cast iron pipe shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance and in the location and in accordance with the plan attached hereto and identified as Accession No. A-116, Folder "A" in the files of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, entitled, "Proposed meter pipe and 8" cast iron pipe on Susquehanna street, Twelfth ward, for the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company's Homewood Service Plant, City of Pittsburgh."

Section 2. The said Company, prior to the beginning of the construction of the said meter pit and 8" cast iron pipe, shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the said city, a complete set of plans in triplicate, showing location and all details of the construction of the said pipe, and said plans of the construction of the said pipe shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the said Director.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over city streets and to the Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general Ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of pipes and meter pits on city streets, and providing for compensation therefor.

Section 4. The said grantee shall bear the full cost and expense of the repaving and repair of the street pavement damaged, repair of sewers, water lines and other surface and sub-surface structures which may be in any way damaged or disturbed by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said meter pit and pipe line. All of the said work, including the repaving of the street damaged, shall be done in the manner and at such times as the Director may order, and shall be subject to his approval and supervision.

Section 5. The rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh, without liability, reserves the right to cause the removal of the said meter pit and pipe upon giving six (6) months' notice through the proper officers pursuant to resolution or ordinance of Council to the said Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, to effect; and that the said grantee when so notified shall, at the expiration of said six months, forthwith, remove the said meter pit and pipe line and replace the street to its

original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 6. The said grantee shall assume any liability of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property, including the street and sub-surface structures therein, by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said meter pit and pipe line, and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following conditions, to-wit: This Ordinance shall become null and void unless within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company shall file with the City Controller, its certificate of acceptance of this Ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the Company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 216.

No. 49

AN ORDINANCE — Extending and opening Hatfield street, in the Ninth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Fiftieth street to Fifty-first street, fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Hatfield street, in the Ninth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Fiftieth street to Fifty-first street be extended and opened to a width of forty-seven (47) feet by taking for public use for highway purposes all the following described property-to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of Fiftieth street with the southerly line of Hatfield street produced, said point being distant north 44° 30' west 168.79 feet from the northerly line of Butler street; thence north 44° 30' west along the said easterly line of Fiftieth street for the distance of forty-seven (47) feet to a point; thence north 45° 30' east 140.50 feet to point on the westerly line of Fifty-first

street, distant north 44° 30' west 199.41 feet from the said northerly line of Butler street; thence south 44° 30' east along the said westerly line of Fifty-first street for the distance of forty-seven (47) feet to a point; thence south 45° 30' west 140.50 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The southerly sidewalk shall have a uniform width of ten (10) feet and shall lie along and parallel the southerly line of Hatfield street.

The northerly sidewalk shall have a uniform width of seven (7) feet and shall lie along and parallel the northerly line of Hatfield street.

The roadway shall have a uniform width of thirty (30) feet and shall occupy the central portion of the street, lying between the sidewalks as above described.

Section 3. The grade of the southerly curb line shall begin at the easterly curb line of Fiftieth street, at the elevation of 53.15 feet, curb as set; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 16.00 feet to a point of tangent to the elevation of 53.21 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1.80 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 127.50 feet to a point of curve to the elevation of 55.51 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 16.00 feet to the westerly curb line of Fifty-first street, to the elevation of 56.05 feet, curb as set.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Hatfield street, in the Ninth ward, from Fiftieth street to Fifty-first street to be extended and opened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this ordinance.

Section 5. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919

Ordinance Book 30, Page 218.

No. 50

AN ORDINANCE—Widening Greenfield avenue at the intersection with Hazelwood avenue, in the Fifteenth

ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Greenfield avenue at its intersection with Hazelwood avenue in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh shall be and the same is hereby widened by taking for public use for highway purposes all the following described pieces of property, to-wit:

First: Beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of Greenfield avenue and the northerly line of Hazelwood avenue; thence northwardly along Greenfield avenue a distance of 25.84 feet to a point of curve; thence deflecting to the east by a curve having a radius of 35 feet and a central angle of 72° 53' for a distance of 44.52 feet to a point of tangent on the northerly line of Hazelwood avenue; thence along said line of Hazelwood avenue westwardly for a distance of 25.84 feet to the place of beginning.

Second: Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Greenfield avenue and the northerly line of Hazelwood avenue; thence along Hazelwood avenue westwardly for a distance of 16.25 feet to a point of curve; thence deflecting to the north by a curve having a radius of 12 feet and a central angle of 107° 07' for a distance of 22.43 feet to a point of tangent on the westerly line of Greenfield avenue; thence along Greenfield avenue southwardly a distance of 16.25 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Greenfield avenue at the intersection with Hazelwood avenue in the Fifteenth ward to be widened, in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 219.

No. 51

AN ORDINANCE—Widening Beechwood boulevard at its intersection with Hazelwood avenue in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Beechwood boulevard at its intersection with Hazelwood avenue in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh shall be and the same is hereby widened by taking for public use for highway purposes all the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Beechwood boulevard, at the first point of curve north of Hazelwood avenue; thence along said line of Beechwood boulevard by a curve deflecting to the east and having a radius of 388.51 feet and a central angle of $16^{\circ} 33' 47''$ for a distance of 112.31 feet to the northerly line of Hazelwood avenue; thence along said Hazelwood avenue north $83^{\circ} 03' 40''$ west for a distance of 29.89 feet to a point of curve; thence deflecting to the north by a curve having a radius of 10 feet and a central angle of $105^{\circ} 32' 20''$ for a distance of 18.42 feet to a point of tangent; thence by a line tangent to said curve north $8^{\circ} 36'$ west for a distance of 93.11 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Beechwood boulevard at its intersection with Hazelwood avenue in the Fifteenth ward to be widened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby, and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30. Page 220.

No. 52

AN ORDINANCE—Accepting the dedication of certain property in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes for the widening of the intersection of Johnston and Glenwood avenues.

Whereas, the Presbyterian Church of Hazelwood, a corporation of Pennsylvania, the owner of the property hereinafter described has executed and delivered to the City of Pittsburgh its certain deed of dedication bearing date of January 6, 1919, now on file in the office of the Bureau of Engineering of said City, wherein it has conveyed said ground to said City for public highway purposes for the widening of the intersection at Johnston and Glenwood avenues, and has released the said City from any liability for or by reason of the physical grading of said piece of ground to the grade necessary to meet the grades of Johnston and Glenwood avenues, as now established; Therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the said deed of dedication be and the same is hereby accepted and the Bureau of Engineering is hereby authorized and directed to place the same on record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., for the County of Allegheny.

Section 2. The ground so as aforesaid conveyed to said City for public highway purposes shall be and the same is hereby appropriated for the widening of the intersection at Johnston and Glenwood avenues, upon which the same abuts, in accordance with the terms of said deed of dedication, the same being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Glenwood avenue, distant south $5^{\circ} 15'$ east 313.58 feet from the southerly line of Elizabeth street; thence continuing along the said westerly line of Glenwood avenue south $5^{\circ} 15'$ east for the distance of 39.59 feet to the northerly line of Johnston avenue; thence along said northerly line of Johnston avenue north $58^{\circ} 51'$ west for the distance of 39.59 feet to a point of curve; thence deflecting towards the north by the arc of a circle having a radius of 30 feet and a central angle of $126^{\circ} 24'$ for the distance of 350.58 feet to the place of beginning, containing 350.58 square feet.

Section 3. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and

appropriate the said described ground for a public highway in conformity with the provisions of this ordinance.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 221.

No. 53

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading to certain widths, paving and curbing of Alexis street from Saline street to an unnamed 10-foot way at the easterly line of A. R. Neeb's Forward Avenue Plan of Lots, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Alexis street, from Saline street to an unnamed 10-foot way at the easterly line of A. R. Neeb's Forward Avenue Plan of Lots, be graded to certain widths, paved and curbed; said grading to extend the full width of the street from Saline street to the easterly curb line of the connection to Acorn street, as fixed by Ordinance No. 187, approved June 27, 1918, and to be 33 feet in width from the aforesaid easterly curb line to an unnamed 10-foot way at the easterly line of A. R. Neeb's Forward Avenue Plan of Lots.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of twenty thousand (\$20,000.00) dollars which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accord-

ance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 222.

No. 54

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Howley street, from Main street to Friendship avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Howley street from Main street to Friendship avenue be graded, paved and curbed.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of fourteen thousand (\$14,000.00) dollars which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 223.

No. 55

AN ORDINANCE—Vacating Johnston avenue, in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Glenwood avenue to the first angle in Johnston avenue southwestwardly from Glenwood avenue.

Whereas, It appears by the petition and affidavit on file in the office of the City Clerk, that the owners of all the property fronting or abutting upon the lines of Johnston avenue, between Glenwood avenue and the first angle in Johnston avenue southwestwardly from said Glenwood avenue have petitioned the City of Pittsburgh to enact an ordinance for the vacation of the same, therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Johnston avenue, in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Glenwood avenue to the first angle in Johnston avenue southwestwardly from said Glenwood avenue and as hereinafter more fully described shall be and the same is hereby vacated.

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Glenwood avenue, distant south 5° 15' east 220.42 feet from the southerly line of Elizabeth street; thence continuing along said westerly line of Glenwood avenue south 5° 15' east for the distance of 61.04 feet to a point; thence south 74° 09' west for the distance of 79.03 feet to a point on the improved portion of Johnston avenue; thence along the line of Johnston avenue, as improved north 58° 51' west for the distance of 82.04 feet to a point; thence north 74° 09' east for the distance of 146.21 feet to the place of beginning, containing 6757.20 square feet, as shown on plan hereto attached and made part of this ordinance.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 224.

No. 56

AN ORDINANCE — Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of five (5) motor driven fuel wagons for the Bureau of Fire.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and*

enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for the furnishing of five (5) motor driven fuel wagons, at a cost not to exceed the sum of eleven hundred (\$1100.00) dollars each, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1168.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 225.

No. 57

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of four (4) district chiefs runabouts, for the Bureau of Fire.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for the furnishing of four (4) district chiefs runabouts for the Bureau of Fire, at a cost not to exceed the sum of eight hundred and fifty (\$850.00) dollars each, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7th, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1168.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 225.

No. 58

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Line 10, Section 35, Department of Public Health, Municipal Hospital, and Line 2, Section 37, Department of Public Health, Bureau of Smoke Regulation, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That from and after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, Line 10, Section 35, Department of Public Health, Municipal Hospital, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads as follows:

Four Orderlies,
\$690.00 each per annum

shall be and the same is hereby amended to read:

Five Orderlies,
\$690.00 each per annum

and that Line 2, Section 37, Department of Public Health, Bureau of Smoke Regulation, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads as follows:

Assistant Bureau Chief,
\$2,720.00 per annum \$120.00

shall be and the same is hereby amended to read:

Assistant Bureau Chief,
\$2,250.00 per annum.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 226.

No. 59

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to allow all hospitals of the City of Pittsburgh, supported by public charity, to receive free of charge two hundred fifty (250) gallons of water per patient per day, and providing for exonerations to that extent and the method of determining the same.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh is hereby authorized and directed to allow all hospitals of the City of Pittsburgh supported by public charity, to receive free of charge two hundred fifty (250) gallons of water per patient per day.

Section 2. The Board of Water Assessors is hereby authorized and directed to issue exonerations to such hospitals to the extent provided for in Section 1 hereof, on being furnished with a statement by such hospitals as provided for in Section 3 hereof; said exonerations to be granted for the year, at the end of which such written statement shall be received.

Section 3. The proper officers of such hospitals shall file with the Board of Water Assessors, not later than the 31st day of December of each year, a written statement, properly verified, of the daily number of patients actually occupants of rooms or in wards in such hospitals, during that current year. The said exonerations shall be based upon such written statements.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 227.

No. 60

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to allow all schools in the City of Pittsburgh, supported by private charity, to receive free of charge twenty-five hundred (2500) gallons of water per annum per pupil, and providing for exonerations to that extent and the method of determining the same.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to allow all schools in the City of Pittsburgh, supported by private charity, to receive free of charge twenty-five hundred (2500) gallons of water per pupil per annum.

Section 2. The Board of Water Assessors is hereby directed to issue exonerations to such schools to the extent provided for in Section 1 hereof, on being furnished with a statement by

such schools as provided for in Section 3 hereof; said exonerations to be granted for the year.

Section 3. The proper officers of such schools shall file with the Board of Water Assessors, at such specified time or times as the Board may direct, a written statement, properly verified, of the number of pupils enrolled in such private schools. The said exonerations shall be based upon such written statements.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 15, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 229.

No. 61

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a written lease with A. V. Hurd, for a certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Thirteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for playground purposes, and fixing the terms and conditions thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to enter into a written lease with A. V. Hurd for all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Thirteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, having a frontage on the easterly side of Lang avenue of 200 feet and a depth along one side of 320 feet, and on the other, fronting on Susquehanna street, 306 feet to Clawson street, on which it has a frontage of 182 feet, containing 1.374 acres, for a period of two (2) years beginning July 1, 1918; said property to be used for playground purposes.

The consideration of said lease shall be the exonerations by the City of Pittsburgh of all taxes assessed against said property by the City of Pittsburgh for the period of time which the City occupies said premises under said lease, and said lease shall contain a clause providing that the City will vacate the premises at any time during the period upon ninety (90) days written notice in the event of the sale of said property.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same

is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 228.

No. 62

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the payment of additional compensation to certain employees in the Bureaus of Fire and Electricity in the Department of Public Safety for the period from July 1, 1918, to January 21, 1919, both inclusive.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That there shall be paid to the following designated employees in the Bureaus of Fire and Electricity in the Department of Public Safety for the period beginning July 1, 1918, and ending January 21, 1919, as additional compensation, the difference between the wage received by them during said period and the rate of wage fixed for said employees by the Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, less the allowance for high cost of living included in said salary rate for 1919, to-wit:

Training School Instructors, Fuel Wagon Drivers, Captains, Lieutenants, Engineers, Assistant Engineers, Drivers, Hosemen and Laddermen in the Bureau of Fire;
and

Chief of Fire Alarm Operator and Fire Alarm Operators in the Bureau of Electricity.

Section 2. Payment of said additional compensation shall be made on payrolls approved by the Director of the Department of Public Safety, and the Mayor is hereby authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants for said additional compensation, in accordance with Section 1 of this Ordinance, and charge the same to Code Account No. 1169-A M, Firemen's Equalization Fund.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 229.

No. 63

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalks and establishing the grade of the easterly curb line of Beltzhoover avenue, from Hartford way to the north curb line of Michigan street produced.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width and position of the roadway and sidewalks and the grade of the easterly curb line of Beltzhoover avenue, from Hartford way to the northerly curb line of Michigan street produced be and the same are hereby fixed and established as follows, to-wit:

The westerly sidewalk shall be of a uniform width of ten (10) feet and shall lie along and parallel the westerly line of the street.

The roadway shall have a uniform width of thirty (30) feet and shall lie along and parallel the westerly sidewalk as above described.

The easterly sidewalk shall have a variable width and occupy that portion of the street lying between the City line and the easterly line of the roadway as above described.

The grade of the easterly curb line shall begin at a point on the southerly curb line of Hartford way at an elevation of 440.12 feet; thence rising at the rate of 10.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 103.0 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 450.42 feet; thence by a parabolic curve for the distance of 74.84 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 452.02 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5.73 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 78.91 feet to the northerly curb line of Naomi way to an elevation of 447.50 feet; thence falling at the rate of 3.25 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 38.49 feet to the southerly curb line of Sylvania avenue produced, to an elevation of 446.25 feet; thence falling at the rate of 9.07 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 93.95 feet to the northerly curb line of Jacunda street, to an elevation of 437.73 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 20.10 feet to the southerly curb line of Jacunda street to an elevation of 436.73 feet; thence falling at the rate of 9.40 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 117.57 feet to the northerly curb line of Rentz way to an elevation of 425.68 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 14.15 feet to the southerly curb line of Rentz way, to an elevation of 424.97 feet; thence falling at the rate of 9.07 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 112.70 feet to the northerly curb line of Charles street to an elevation of 414.75 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5.0

feet per 100 feet for the distance of 28.15 feet to the southerly curb line of Charles street to an elevation of 413.24 feet; thence falling at the rate of 9.40 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 134.52 feet to the northerly curb line of Michigan street produced to an elevation of 400.60 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 230.

No. 64

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade on Exeter street, from Greenfield avenue to Frank street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade on the southerly curb line of Exeter street, from Greenfield avenue to Frank street shall be and the same is hereby re-established, as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the westerly curb line of Greenfield avenue at an elevation of 479.43 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 54.56 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 383.86 feet; thence rising at the rate of 13.1 per cent. for a distance of 234.78 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 414.62 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 400.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 443.42 feet; thence rising at a rate of 1.3 per cent. for a distance of 49.64 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 444.07 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 200.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 443.19 feet; thence falling at a rate of 2.18 per cent. for a distance of 100.77 feet to the easterly curb line of Frank street to an elevation of 441.0 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 231.

No. 65

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade on Carson street west, from a point 221.53 feet westwardly from South Main street to a point 419.91 feet eastwardly from South Main street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the northerly curb line of Carson street west, from a point 221.53 feet westwardly from South Main street to a point 419.91 feet eastwardly from South Main street shall be and the same is hereby re-establishel as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point 231.65 feet westwardly from the west curb of South Main street at an elevation of 34.99 feet; thence falling at a rate of 0.6 per cent. for a distance of 181.65 feet to an elevation of 33.9 feet; thence rising at a rate of 0.84 per cent. for a distance of 510.09 feet to an elevation of 38.17 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 232.

No. 66

AN ORDINANCE— Authorizing and directing the paving and curbing of Marshall avenue, from Linwood avenue to Brighton road, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Marshall avenue, from Linwood avenue to Brighton road be paved and curbed.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of one hundred seventeen thousand (\$117,000.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of

Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 232.

No. 67

AN ORDINANCE— Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Stevenson street, from Bluff street to end of present pavement at a point 330 feet northwardly. And providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Stevenson street, from Bluff street to end of present pavement at a point 330 feet northwardly, be graded, paved and curbed.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000.00) which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance, with special reference to Ordinance No. 295, approved October 29, 1918.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 233.

No. 68

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for concrete floor and other repairs at the Mt. Washington Police Station, corner Virginia avenue and Shiloh street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts for installing a concrete floor and making any necessary repairs in connection therewith, at the Mt. Washington Police Station, Bureau of Police, for a sum of money not exceeding sixteen hundred (\$1600.00) dollars, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved the seventh day of March, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided, and charge the same to Code Account No. 1153, Item E, Repairs, Mt. Washington Police Station, Bureau of Police.*

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 234.

No. 69

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the making of a contract or contracts for the laying and construction of concrete sidewalks in the City of Pittsburgh at such times as may be ordered thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the laying of certain cement sidewalks in the City of Pittsburgh at such times as may be ordered by the Director of the Department of Public Works between the fifteenth day of April, 1919, and the first day of October, 1919, the said contract price or prices not to exceed the total sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), being*

the estimated cost of said work, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the different supplements and amendments thereto and the ordinances of council in such cases made and approved.

Section 2. That the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much of the same as may be necessary, shall be and is hereby set apart and appropriated for the payment or payments required for the performance of the above mentioned work, and the said amount or amounts to be paid out of Appropriation No. 1545-G, Laying Sidewalks.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 235.

No. 70

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and construction of steel filing cases in the office of the City Clerk.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the furnishing and construction of steel filing cases in the office of the City Clerk, at a cost not to exceed the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided.*

The same to be chargeable to and payable from Code No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 24, 1919.

Approved April 4, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 236.

No. 71

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the purchase from Joseph P. Reed of a certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Fifth ward, City of Pittsburgh, containing 2.9162 acres, for the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00), and making appropriation therefor, which said lot is described as follows:

Whereas, Joseph P. Reed, of the City of Pittsburgh, has offered to sell to said City a certain piece or tract of land, situate in the Fifth ward, Pittsburgh, for the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00), which said lot is described as follows:

"Beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of Kirkpatrick street with the southerly line of Reed street; thence in an easterly direction along the said southerly line of Reed street north 63° 30' east for the distance of 296.78 feet to a point on the line dividing the properties of the said Joseph P. Reed and the Wagman Estate; thence along said dividing line south 8° 57' 30" east for the distance of 540.26 feet to a point; thence continuing along said dividing line south 21° 48' east for the distance of 134.24 feet to a point on the northerly line of Desplane way; thence along said northerly line of Desplane way south 63° 35' west for the distance of 120.75 feet to a point on the line dividing properties of said Joseph P. Reed and the City of Pittsburgh; thence along the said dividing line north 26° 31' west for the distance of 357.4 feet to a point on the said easterly line of Kirkpatrick street, thence along said easterly line of Kirkpatrick street north 26° 56' west for the distance of 291.42 feet to the place of beginning, containing 2.9162 acres," and,

Whereas, The City agrees to accept said offer and purchase said land; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City hereby authorizes a deed of general warranty to be made by the said Joseph P. Reed to the City of Pittsburgh for the said ground as hereinbefore described, and upon delivery of said deed, properly executed by the grantor and approval thereof by the City Solicitor, the Mayor is hereby authorized to draw and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in favor of said Joseph P. Reed for the sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars, the same to be charged to Bond Fund, known and designated as "Playground Bonds, Series A-1918," provided by Ordinance No. 63, approved March 25, 1918.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 24, 1919.

Approved April 4, 1919.

Ordinance Book 39, page 236.

No. 72

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the purchase from the Wagman Estate of a tract or piece of land, situate in the Fifth ward, City of Pittsburgh, containing two (2) acres more or less, and making appropriation therefor.

Whereas, The Wagman estate has offered to sell to the City of Pittsburgh a certain lot or piece of ground, situate in the Fifth ward of said City, for the sum of \$10,000.00, which said lot is described as follows:

"Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Reed street, distant north 63° 30' east 296.78 feet from the easterly line of Kirkpatrick street; thence continuing along the said southerly line of Reed street north 63° 30' east for the distance of 40.80 feet to a point; thence south 26° 30' east for the distance of 444.84 feet to a point on the westerly line of Soho street; thence along the said westerly line of Soho street south 9° 30' east for the distance of 213.64 feet to a point on the northerly line of Desplane way; thence along the said northerly line of Desplane way south 63° 35' west for the distance of 152.15 feet to the line dividing the properties of the said Wagman Estate and Joseph P. Reed; thence along said dividing line north 21° 48' west for the distance of 134.24 feet to a point; thence continuing along said dividing line north 8° 57' 30" west for the distance of 540.26 feet to a point on the southerly line of Reed street, at the place of beginning, containing 1.9415 acres," and

Whereas, The City agrees to accept said offer and purchase said land; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City hereby authorizes a deed of general warranty to be made by the said Wagman Estate to the City of Pittsburgh for the ground as hereinbefore described, and upon delivery of said deed, properly executed by the grantor and approval thereof by the City Solicitor, the Mayor is hereby authorized to draw and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in favor of the said Wagman Estate for the sum of \$10,000.00, the same to be charged

to Bond Fund, known and designated as "Playground Bonds, Series A-1918," provided by Ordinance No. 63, approved March 25, 1918.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 25, 1919.

Approved April 1, 1919.

Ordinance Book 4, Page 237.

No. 73

AN ORDINANCE - Prescribing the form of coupon and registered bonds to be issued in conformity with an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,134,000.00 for the purpose of funding existing unfunded indebtedness of the City consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets and the construction of sewers and other floating indebtedness, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," approved by the Mayor March 5, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the coupon and registered bonds of the City of Pittsburgh, to be issued pursuant to the authority conferred on the Mayor and Controller of the City by an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,134,000.00 for the purpose of funding existing unfunded indebtedness of the City consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets and the construction of sewers and other floating indebtedness, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," approved by the Mayor March 5, 1919, be substantially in the following forms:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	
Number	Number
COMMONWEALTH OF	
\$1000.	\$1000.
PENNSYLVANIA	
CITY OF PITTSBURGH	
FUNDING BOND, 1919.	

Know all Men by these Presents:
THAT THE CITY OF PITTSBURGH,
a municipal corporation, created by and

existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to the bearer in the sum of

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS

lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of January A. D. 19—, with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half (4½%) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons, at the time and place therein specified, without deduction for any taxes which may be levied hereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh, and for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more coupon bonds of the series of which this is one, may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity, and of the denomination of \$100, or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due, at the office of the City Controller of said City. This bond is one of a series of bonds, amounting in the aggregate to one million, one hundred thirty-four thousand (\$1,134,000.00) dollars, issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes, by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled, "An Ordinance—Authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$1,134,000.00, for the purpose of funding existing unfunded indebtedness of the City consisting of contractors' claims, claims for damages arising from the opening, widening and improving of streets, and the construction of sewers and other floating in-

debtedness, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," duly enacted by the Council thereof, and approved by the Mayor thereof February , A. D. 1919, and duly recorded and published in the manner provided by law, authorizing and directing the same.

It is hereby certified that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, created without the consent of the electors thereof, including the entire issue of the above mentioned bonds aggregating one million one hundred thirty-four thousand (\$1,134,000.00) dollars, of which this bond is one, is less than two per centum of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and the entire indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the above mentioned bonds, of which this bond is one, is less than seven per centum of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor thereof, and countersigned by the City Controller, as of the first day of January A. D. 1919.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH,

By.....
Mayor.

Countersigned:

.....
City Controller.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.
Approved April 8, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, page 238.

No. 74

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at Center Avenue Police Station, corner Center avenue and Devilliers street, Bureau of Police.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council*

assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at Center Avenue Police Station, corner Center avenue and Devilliers street, Bureau of Police, for a sum of money not exceeding four thousand (\$4,000.00) dollars, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; and charge the same to Code Account No. 1150, Item E. Repairs, Bureau of Police.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 241.

No. 75

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract for furnishing one (1) auto patrol wagon for the Bureau of Police.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract for furnishing one (1) Auto Patrol Wagon for the Bureau of Police, the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; and charge the same to Code Account No. 1156, Item F. Equipment and Machinery, Bureau of Police.*

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 241.

No. 76

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of Warrington avenue from Montooth street to West Liberty avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Warrington avenue, from Montooth street to West Liberty avenue, be graded, paved, curbed and otherwise improved.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of one hundred seventy-five thousand (\$175,000.00) dollars which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provision of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance, with special reference to Ordinance No. 548, Series 1917, approved December 21, 1917.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 242.

No. 77

AN ORDINANCE — Changing the lines of Frankstown avenue, in the Thirteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 43.25 feet west of Tokio street to the City Line, by widening certain section of the street, as laid out and opened in "Standard Place" plan,

the "East View Plan" and the "Perchment Addition to Brushston Horo" and as widened by Ordinance No. 187, approved June 26, 1901, and vacating certain other sections of the street as laid out and opened in the "Standard Place" plan and the "East View Plan," and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* the lines of Frankstown avenue, in the Thirteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 43.25 feet west of Tokio street to the City Line shall be and the same are hereby changed by taking for public use for highway purposes the following described pieces or parcels of ground hereinafter designated as Sections A, B, C, D, and E which were not heretofore dedicated or opened as parts of the street, and vacating certain other sections of Frankstown avenue as dedicated for street purposes in the "Standard Place" plan and C. C. Dornbush's "East View Plan" and hereinafter more fully described and designated as Sections F, G, and H.

This Ordinance shall operate as a taking and appropriating for public highway purposes of all the following described pieces or parcels of ground which were not heretofore a part of the street.

Section A. Beginning on the northerly line of Frankstown avenue, as widened by Ordinance No. 187, approved June 26, 1901, at the distance of 43.25 feet west from the westerly line of Tokio street produced; thence in an easterly direction by the arc of a circle having a radius of 204.20 feet and a central angle of 27° 31' for the distance of 98.07 feet to a point of tangent; thence by the tangent of said curve north 76° 06' east for the distance of 142.82 feet to a point of curve; thence in an easterly direction by the arc of a circle having a radius of 427.08 feet and a central angle of 19° 31' 33" for the distance of 145.55 feet to a point on the northerly line of Frankstown avenue, as laid out in the "Standard Place" plan recorded in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County in Plan Book Vol. 14, page 194; thence south 45° 26' west along the northerly line of said avenue as laid out in said plan for the distance of 16.27 feet to a point; thence south 65° 51' west along the northerly line of said avenue for the distance of 102.50 feet to a point; thence south 76° 04' west along the northerly line of said avenue for the distance of 208.67 feet to a point on the line between the "Standard Place" plan and "Mellon Sub-Division of the Bank of Commerce Plan;" thence south 0° 29' west along said line for

the distance of 3.72 feet to a point; thence north 76° 23' west along the northerly line of Frankstown avenue for the distance of 62.35 feet to the place of beginning.

Section B. Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Frankstown avenue as laid out in the aforesaid "Standard Place" plan, (said point being distant 219.49 feet eastwardly from the second angle in said avenue east of Tokio street); thence extending north 41° 01' east for the distance of 534.48 feet to a point of curve; thence in an easterly direction by the arc of a circle having a radius of 533.40 feet and a central angle of 9° 05' 37" for the distance of 84.66 feet to the westerly line of Standard avenue as laid out in the aforesaid plan; thence south 31° 59' east along said westerly line of Standard avenue for the distance of 11.86 feet to the northerly line of Frankstown avenue as laid out in the aforesaid plan; thence south 52° 46' west along the northerly line of said avenue for the distance of 82.0 feet to a point; thence south 40° 49' west and continuing along the northerly line of said avenue for the distance of 494.80 feet to a point; thence south 45° 26' west along the northerly line of said avenue for the distance of 40.36 feet to the place of beginning.

Section C. Beginning on the northerly line of Frankstown avenue and the easterly line of Standard avenue, as laid out in the aforesaid "Standard Place" plan; thence north 31° 59' west along said easterly line of Standard avenue for the distance of 11.90 feet to a point; thence north 54° 37' east for the distance of 366.92 feet to a point on the northerly line of said Frankstown avenue; thence south 52° 46' west along the northerly line of said avenue for the distance of 367.81 feet to the place of beginning.

Section D. Beginning on the southerly line of Frankstown avenue and the easterly line of Tokio street as laid out in C. C. Dornbush's "East View Plan" recorded in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County in Plan Book Vol. 9, page 164; thence north 76° 06' east along the southerly line of said avenue for the distance of 261.35 feet to a point; thence south 61° 27' west for the distance of 28.66 feet to a point; thence south 76° 06' west parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of 7.25 feet south of the southerly line of Frankstown avenue as laid out in said "East View Plan" for the distance of 235.48 feet to a point on the easterly line of Tokio street; thence north 0° 31' east along said easterly line of Tokio street for the distance of 7.48 feet to the place of beginning.

Section E. Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Frankstown avenue as laid out in the "Perchment Ad-

dition to Brushton Boro" recorded in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County in Plan Book Vol. 13, page 108, said point being distant 709.71 feet east of the first angle in Frankstown avenue east of Dornbush street; thence in an easterly direction by the arc of a circle having a radius of 473.40 feet and a central angle of 13° 36' for the distance of 112.37 feet to a point of tangent; thence by the tangent of said curve north 54° 37' east for the distance of 577.58 feet to a point on the westerly line of Wilkinsburg avenue and the southerly line of Frankstown avenue as laid out in said plan; thence south 55° 40' west along the southerly line of said Frankstown avenue for the distance of 589.48 feet to a point; thence south 41° 01' west along the southerly line of said avenue for the distance of 102.39 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall operate as a vacation of the following described portions of Frankstown avenue as heretofore laid out and dedicated.

Section F. Beginning on the northerly line of Frankstown avenue as laid out in the aforesaid "Standard Place" plan at the distance of 16.27 feet east of the second angle in Frankstown avenue, as laid out in said plan, east of Tokio street; thence north 45° 26' east along the northerly line of said avenue for the distance of 203.22 feet to a point; thence south 41° 01' west for the distance of 88.07 feet to a point of curve; thence in a westerly direction by the arc of a circle having a radius of 427.08 feet and a central angle of 15° 33' 27" for the distance of 115.96 feet to the place of beginning.

Section G. Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Frankstown avenue, as laid out in said "Standard Place" plan, said point being distant 367.81 feet eastwardly from the easterly line of Standard avenue in said plan; thence north 52° 46' east along the northerly line of said avenue for the distance of 259.47 feet to the City Line; thence south 70° 32' east along the City Line for the distance of 10.25 feet to a point; thence south 54° 37' west for the distance of 265.23 feet to the place of beginning.

Section H. Beginning on the southerly line of Frankstown avenue and the westerly line of Dornbush street, as laid out in the aforesaid C. C. Dornbush's "East View Plan;" thence south 76° 06' west along the southerly line of said avenue for the distance of 4.67 feet to a point; thence north 61° 27' east for the distance of 4.22 feet to the westerly line of Dornbush street; thence south 42° 48' east along the westerly line of said street for the distance of 1.22 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 3. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed

to cause the lines of said Frankstown avenue, in the Thirteenth ward, from a point 43.25 feet west of Tokio street to the city line to be changed in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 4. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 243.

No. 78

AN ORDINANCE—Regulating the use of streets and parks by motor trucks commonly called "Sight Seeing Cars".

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That before any person, firm or corporation shall operate any motor trucks, commonly called "sight seeing cars," upon the streets or through the parks, of the City of Pittsburgh, an application for a permit shall first be filed with the City Treasurer, describing the proposed route, fare to be charged, which shall not exceed \$1.00 plus existing war tax for each passenger, and name and address of the owner or owners thereof, which application shall be signed by the owner or owners, and a license shall thereupon be issued upon the payment of the sum of \$50.00 for the first motor truck and \$25.00 for each additional motor truck operated, which license shall expire one year from its date. Provided also that each applicant before permit is issued shall file with the City Treasurer a proper certificate that he has procured liability insurance to an amount not less than \$10,000.00 covering persons and property of passengers and third parties arising from operations under his license.

Section 2. That upon the issuance of the permit aforesaid, it shall be lawful for said motor trucks to operate upon the streets, highways or through the parks of the City of Pittsburgh, subject however to all the present and future street traffic regulations and park rules not inconsistent herewith.

Section 3. Any and every person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance upon conviction thereof before any Alderman or Police Magistrate shall for each and every offense be sentenced to pay a fine of not exceeding \$50.00 with costs and in default of payment of said fine and costs, to undergo imprisonment in the County Jail not exceeding thirty days.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 246.

No. 79

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for bids and to award a contract or contracts for replacing treads on the steps of the Washington Street Tunnel under Bigelow boulevard, and also for making certain repairs to the floor system of the Radcliffe Street Bridge over the Ohio Connecting Railroad, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for replacing treads on the steps of the Washington Street Tunnel under Bigelow boulevard, and also for making certain repairs to the floor system of the Radcliffe Street Bridge over the Ohio Connecting Railroad, at an estimated cost of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars and one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars, respectively, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing said city.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the respective sums, as set forth in Section 1 of this ordinance, amounting in the aggregate to one thousand five hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and are hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account No. 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign war-

rants drawn on said fund for the payment of the costs of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 247.

No. 80

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at the Woods Run Police station, Bureau of Police.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at the Woods Run Police Station, Bureau of Police, for a sum of money not exceeding twenty-six hundred (\$2600.00) dollars, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; and charge the same to Code Account No. 1155, Item B, Repairs, Woods Run Police Station, Bureau of Police.

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 248.

No. 81

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and placing of steel filing cases in the Bureau of Water, Distribution Division.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be, and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the furnishing and placing of steel filing

cases in the Bureau of Water, Distribution Division, at a cost not to exceed the sum of seven hundred dollars (\$700.00), in accordance with an Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided. The same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1666, Equipment, Bureau of Water, Distribution Division.

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 248.

No. 82

AN ORDINANCE — Establishing the grade of Bricelyn street, from Tokio street to Wilkinsburg avenue.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the south curb line of Bricelyn street, from Tokio street to Wilkinsburg avenue be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east curb line of Tokio street at an elevation of 285.59 feet; thence falling at the rate of 1.0 foot per 100 feet for the distance of 269.0 feet to the west curbline of East View street to an elevation of 282.90 feet; thence level to the east curb line of East View street to an elevation of 282.90 feet; thence rising at the rate of 4.90 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 882.05 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 326.12 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 150.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 336.36 feet; thence rising at the rate of 8.75 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 189.28 feet to the west line of Wilkinsburg avenue to an elevation of 352.92 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 14.12 feet to the west curb line of Wilkinsburg avenue to an elevation of 353.63 feet.

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 249.

No. 83

AN ORDINANCE — Establishing the grade on Bessie avenue, from Mina street to South Side avenue.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade on the easterly and southerly curb line of Bessie avenue, from Mina street to South Side avenue shall be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the northerly curb of Mina street at an elevation of 370.0 feet; thence rising at a rate of 7.45 per cent for a distance of 91 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 376.78 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 50 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 382.14 feet; thence rising at a rate of 14 per cent for a distance of 53 feet to an angle point in said curb line to an elevation of 389.56 feet; thence rising at a rate of 15 per cent for a distance of 68.61 feet to a point opposite the westerly curb line of Sunset avenue to an elevation of 399.85 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 per cent for a distance of 9.82 feet to the southerly curb of South Side avenue to an elevation of 400.34 feet.

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 250.

No. 84

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade on Eberhardt avenue, from Froman street to a point 193.49 feet eastwardly therefrom.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the southerly curb line of Eberhardt avenue, from Froman street to a point 193.49 feet eastwardly therefrom shall be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the easterly curb line of Froman street at an elevation of 206.66 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1 per cent for a distance of 96.75 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 207.63 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 40 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 207.63 feet; thence falling at the rate of 1 per cent for a distance of 56.74 feet to an elevation of 207.06 feet.

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 251.

No. 85

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade on Froman street, from Harpster street to Eberhardt avenue.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the easterly curb line of Froman street, from Harpster street to Eberhardt avenue shall be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the northerly curb line of Harpster street at an elevation of 202.58 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 53.68 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 204.10 feet; thence rising at a rate of 1.69 per cent for a distance of 151.32 feet to the southerly curb line of Eberhardt avenue to an elevation of 206.66 feet.

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 251.

No. 86

AN ORDINANCE — Establishing the grade of Race street, from North Braddock avenue to Brushton avenue.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the south curb line of Race street, from North Braddock avenue to Brushton avenue be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east curb line of North Braddock avenue at an elevation of 250.52 feet (curb as set); thence rising at the rate of 5.80 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 10.0 feet to the easterly line of North Braddock avenue to an elevation of 251.10 feet; thence rising at the rate of 10.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 194.85 feet to a point to an elevation of 270.60 feet; thence rising at the rate of 11.19 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 130.46

feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 285.20 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 68.24 feet to the westerly curb line of Brush-ton avenue to an elevation of 286.41 feet curb as set.

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 252.

No. 87

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Stafford street, from Stadium street to the first angle southwardly therefrom.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the east curb line of Stafford street, from Stadium street to the first angle southwardly therefrom be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the south curb line of Stadium street at an elevation of 89.65 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5.8 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 234.08 feet to an elevation of 103.23 feet.

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 252.

No. 88

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalk and establishing the grade of the south curb line of Stadium street, from Stafford street to Radcliffe street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width and position of the roadway and sidewalk and the grade of the southerly line of Stadium street from Stafford street to Radcliffe street be and the same is hereby fixed and established, as follows, to-wit:

The southerly sidewalk shall be of a uniform width of eight (8) feet and

shall lie along and parallel the southerly line of the street.

The roadway shall have a uniform width of twenty-two (22) feet and shall lie along and parallel the southerly sidewalk as above described.

The grade of the south curb line shall begin on the east curb line of Stafford street at an elevation of 89.65 feet; thence rising at the rate of 4.45 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 238.71 feet to the west curb line of Radcliffe street to an elevation of 100.27 feet.

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 253.

No. 89

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the width and position of the sidewalk and establishing the grade of Middletown road, from Tyndall street to Berry street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width and position of the sidewalk and the grade of the north curb line of Middletown road, from Tyndall street to Berry street be and the same is hereby fixed and established as follows, to-wit:

The northerly sidewalk shall be of a uniform width of thirteen (13) feet and shall lie along and parallel the northerly line of the street.

The grade of the north curb line shall begin on the east curb line of Tyndall street at an elevation of 370.54 feet; thence falling at the rate of 2.08 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 245.70 feet to the west curb line of Hillsboro street to an elevation of 365.43 feet; thence rising for the distance of 30.21 feet to the east curb line of Hillsboro street to an elevation of 365.48 feet; thence falling at the rate of 3.05 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 236.32 feet to the west curb line of Berry street to an elevation of 358.27 feet.

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 253.

No. 90

AN ORDINANCE -- Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$174,000.00) and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount, to provide for the improvement and extension of the water system, including the purchase and installation of meters, the acquiring of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, and the acquiring of real estate, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of one hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$174,000.00) and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount, to provide for the improvement and extension of the water system, including the purchase and installation of meters, the acquiring of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, and the acquiring of real estate.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$174,000.00 be issued for the purpose aforesaid, with interest coupons attached, payable semi-annually, with the privilege of exchanging such coupon bond or bonds for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity, and of the denomination of \$100.00 or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not then due, at the office of the City Controller; and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved, and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund. The proceeds arising from the sale of said bonds shall be applied to the discharge of the floating indebtedness of the City set forth in the report of the Controller above mentioned.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be issued in denominations of one hundred dollars, or multiples thereof, shall be dated as

of the first day of April, A. D., 1919, and shall be payable in thirty equal annual installments, as follows:

Bonds to the aggregate amount of \$5,800.00 shall be payable on the first day of April in each and every year, beginning with the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty and ending with the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½%) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of October and April of each year, without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh, and the principal thereof shall be payable at maturity at the same place. The said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller, and sealed with the corporate seal of said City, and the coupons shall be authenticated with the lithographed fac-simile signature of the City Controller.

Said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller at not less than par and accrued interest, on the most advantageous terms obtainable, after three weeks' public notice, by publication once a week for three weeks in the official newspapers of the City of Pittsburgh; provided, however, that such uninvested balances in the Sinking Fund, as may be available for the purpose, shall be invested in the same without public notice by advertising or otherwise. And the proceeds of such sales, or so much thereof as shall be necessary, shall be applied to the purposes set forth in this ordinance and to no other purpose whatsoever. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as "Water Loan Bonds, Series A 1919."

Section 4. Until said bonds issued as herein provided shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable or hereafter to be made liable to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable; and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third (3⅓%) per centum of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized to be applied to and set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same are hereby appropriated out of the revenues of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. All registered bonds issued in exchange for coupon bonds as provided in Section 2 of this ordinance, shall be registered with the City Treasurer of said City and be transferable only on the books of said City Treasurer.

Section 6. All bonds issued by the authority of this ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof; and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds, and the interest thereon semi-annually, as aforesaid, as the same shall mature and become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 254.

No. 91

AN ORDINANCE—Vacating that portion of Arbuckle way which is bounded on the north by the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway's right of way, and on the south by a line which is parallel with the northerly line of Lacock street, and distant one hundred twenty-four and one-half (124½) feet northwardly from the northerly line of Lacock street.

Whereas, The Pennsylvania Railroad Company, operating the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway, were compelled to raise the bridge of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway over and across the Allegheny river, which necessitated certain changes and alterations in the tracks and right of way of said railway; and,

Whereas, In order to effectually make such changes and alterations, it becomes necessary to vacate a portion of Arbuckle way; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That that portion of Arbuckle way which is bounded on the north by the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway's right of way, and on the south by a line which is parallel with the northerly line of Lacock street, and distant one hundred twenty-four and one-half (124½) feet northwardly from the northerly line of Lacock street, measured along the westerly line of said*

way, be and the same is hereby vacated.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall not take effect until the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, operating the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway, shall file with the Controller of the City of Pittsburgh a stipulation or agreement, in writing, signed by its proper officers, that the said Railroad Company shall indemnify and save harmless the City of Pittsburgh from and against all loss, cost, damage or expense, claims or demands of whatsoever nature, which may be incurred by the said City by reason of the vacation of the above described portion of Arbuckle way, and until such stipulation or agreement shall have been approved by the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the Public Service Company Law and the rules and regulations of said Commission.

And, provided, further, that this Ordinance, however, shall not take effect or be of any force or validity whatsoever, unless the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, operating the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway, owner of the property abutting upon Arbuckle way, to be vacated, shall, within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, pay into the Treasury of the City of Pittsburgh the sum of seven hundred and fifty (\$750.00) dollars for the use of the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 256.

No. 92

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Line 7, Section 17, Department of Assessors, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved by the Mayor January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Line 7, Section 17, Department of Assessors, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved by the Mayor January 22, 1919, which reads as follows:*

Clerk.....\$1,230.00 per annum \$120.00
Shall be and the same is hereby amended to read:

Two Clerks.
\$1,230.00 each per annum \$120.00

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 7, 1919.

Approved April 16, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 258.

No. 93

AN ORDINANCE—Granting to the Twenty-fourth Ward Drafftees Association the right and privilege to construct and maintain a Memorial Tablet on a certain piece of ground owned by the City of Pittsburgh at the intersection of Lowry, Froman and Ley streets in commemoration of the boys who have been called into the service of the present war.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Twenty-fourth Ward Drafftees Association be and is hereby given the right and authority at their own cost and expense to construct and maintain a Memorial Tablet on a certain piece of ground owned by the City of Pittsburgh at the intersection of Lowry, Froman and Ley streets.*

Section 2. The said Association prior to beginning the construction of the Memorial Tablet shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works and the Art Commission of said City, a complete set of plans, showing location and all details of construction of the said structure and the construction of said tablet will be subject to the approval and supervision of the said Director and the Art Commission, said tablet to be constructed under the authority of this Ordinance shall further be subject to the regulations of the Bureau of Building Inspection and to the Ordinances of said City relating thereto.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 7, 1919.

Approved April 16, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 258.

No. 94

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of six (6) Roadster Automobiles for the Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the furnishing of six (6) roadster automobiles for the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, at a cost not to exceed the sum of forty-two hundred (\$4,200.00) dollars, in accordance with an Act of Assembly, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1517.*

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed April 7, 1919.

Approved April 16, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 259.

No. 95

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of five (5) triple combination motor pumping engines; two (2) 75 ft. aerial trucks (motor driven) and one (1) combination hose and chemical wagon (motor driven) for the Bureau of Fire.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for the furnishing and delivery of*

Five (5) triple combination motor pumping engines, at a cost not to exceed \$11,000.00 each,

Two (2) 75 ft. aerial trucks (motor driven) at a cost not to exceed \$13,000.00 each; and

One (1) combination hose and chemical wagon (motor driven) at a cost not to exceed \$6,900.00.

All of the above at a total cost not to exceed in the aggregate of \$87,900.00, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1168, Bureau of Fire.

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed April 7, 1919.

Approved April 16, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 260.

No. 96

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the National Casket Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a switch siding on Mumford street in the Twenty-first ward, City of Pittsburgh; said track to extend from the Pittsburgh and Western Division of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad to a point 65 feet south of the southeast building line of Reedsdale street, a distance of approximately 485.6 lineal feet, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., to the buildings of the National Casket Company situated on Mumford street at Reedsdale street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* the National Casket Company, its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority at its own cost and expense, to construct, maintain and use a switch siding on Mumford street, in the Twenty-first ward, City of Pittsburgh; said track to be located 7 feet from the east building line of Mumford street to the center of said track, extending from the Pittsburgh and Western Railroad to a point 65 feet south of the south east building line of Reedsdale street, for a distance of approximately 485.6 lineal feet, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., to the buildings of the National Casket Company, situated on Mumford street at Reedsdale street.

The said track shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance and in accordance with the plans hereto attached and identified as Accession No. A-117, Folder "A" in the files of the Bureau of Highways

and Sewers, Department of Public Works, entitled, "Proposed switch siding for the National Casket Company on Mumford street at Reedsdale street, Twenty-first ward, City of Pittsburgh."

Section 2. The said company prior to the beginning of construction of the track shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh a complete set of plans showing location and all details for the construction of the said track, and the said plans and the construction of the track shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the Director of the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets, and to the Ordinances of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general Ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of tracks on City streets and compensation for same.

Section 4. The said grantee shall bear the full cost and expense of the repaving and repair of the street pavement damaged, repair of sewers, water lines and other surface and subsurface structures which may be in any way damaged or disturbed by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said track. All of the said work, including the repaving of the street damaged, shall be done in the manner and at such times as the Director may order, and shall be subject to his approval and supervision.

Section 5. The rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh without liability reserves the right to cause the removal of the said track upon giving six (6) months' notice through the proper officers pursuant to resolution or Ordinance of Council to the said National Casket Company, its successors and assigns, to that effect; and that the said grantee when so notified shall, at the expiration of said six months, forthwith, remove the said track and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 6. The said grantee shall assume any liability of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property, including the street and subsurface structures therein, by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said track, and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following condition, to-wit: This Ordinance shall become null and void unless

within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance the National Casket Company shall file with the City Controller, its certificate of acceptance of this Ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the Company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 14, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 260.

No. 97

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Hillside street and private property of Robert T. Reineinan et al., from a point about 40 feet west of Wallace street to the existing sewer on Wadsworth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* a Public Sewer be constructed on Hillside street and private property of Robert T. Reineinan, et al., from a point about 40 feet west of Wallace street to the existing sewer on Wadsworth street. Commencing on Hillside street at a point about 40 feet west of Wallace street; thence westwardly along Hillside street to a point about 500 feet west of Wallace street; thence northwardly on, over, across and through the private property of Robert T. Reineinan and Emma Wettengel and of Peter Duffley to the existing sewer on Wadsworth street. Said sewer to be pipe and fifteen inches (15") in diameter, and to be constructed in accordance with Plan, Accession No. DL-126, on file in the Department of Public Works.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise, in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordina-

nances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance, with special reference to Ordinance No. 374, approved December 3, 1915.

Passed April 14, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 262.

No. 98

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Harbor street, Hetzel street, Asylum street, Bader street, Admiral street, Fall way and private property, from Miles way to the existing sewer on Firth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* a public sewer be constructed on Harbor street, Hetzel street, Asylum street, Bader street, Admiral street, Fall way and private property, from Miles way to the existing sewer on Firth street. Commencing on Harbor street, at Miles way, thence southwardly along Harbor street to Hetzel street; thence southwardly across Hetzel street to the private property of J. Zunic. Thence continuing southwardly on, over, across and through the private property of J. Zunic to the private property of St. Peter's Orphan Asylum; thence continuing southwardly on, over, across and through the private property of St. Peter's Orphan Asylum to Asylum street. Thence southwardly across Asylum street and along Bader street to Admiral street; thence eastwardly along Admiral street to Fall way; thence southwardly along Fall way to the private property of Anton Lutz. Thence continuing southwardly on, over, across and through the private property of Anton Lutz to Firth street; thence southwardly across a portion of Firth

street to the existing sewer on Firth street. With a branch sewer on Hetzel street. Commencing on Hetzel street at a point about 20 feet west of Fall way and a point about 20 feet east of Rockledge street; thence westwardly and eastwardly respectively along Hetzel street to the sewer on Hetzel street. With a branch sewer on Admiral street. Commencing on Admiral street at Noster street; thence eastwardly along Admiral street to the sewer on Admiral street. Said sewer and branch sewers to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter, and to be constructed in accordance with Plan, Accession No. DL-127, on file in the Department of Public Works.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this ordinance, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of sixteen thousand six hundred dollars (\$16,600.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 14, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 263.

No. 99

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Sidney street, from a point about 10 feet northwest of South Twenty-fifth street to the existing sewer on South Twenty-fourth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Sidney street, from a point about 10 feet northwest of South Twenty-fifth street to the existing sewer on South Twenty-fourth street. Commencing on Sidney street at a point about 10 feet northwest of South Twenty-fifth street, thence northwestwardly along Sidney street to the existing sewer on South Twenty-fourth street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen inches (15") in diameter with nine inch (9") lateral sewers extending from the main sewer to a point one foot (1') inside the southwest curb line.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise, in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of twenty-four hundred dollars (\$2400.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 14, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 265.

No. 100

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grad'ng, paving and curbing of Andover terrace, from Bryn Mawr road to Alpena street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Whereas, It appears by the petition and affidavit on file in the office of the City Clerk that a majority of property owners in interest and number abutting

upon the line of Andover terrace, between Bryn Mawr road and Alpena street, have petitioned the Council of the City of Pittsburgh to enact an Ordinance for the grading, paving and curbing of the same, therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Andover terrace, from Bryn Mawr road to Alpena street, be graded, paved and curbed.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of forty-four thousand dollars (\$44,000.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 14, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 266.

No. 101

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for laundry work for the Department of Public Safety and its several bureaus, for the year ending December 31, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety, shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts for laundry work for the Department of Public Safety and its several Bureaus,*

for the year ending December 31, 1919, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved the 7th day of March, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of two thousand eight hundred and ten (\$2,810.00) dollars; and charge the same to various Code Accounts, as follows, to-wit:

Code Account No. 1130, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, General Office, Department of Public Safety.....	\$ 60.00
Code Account No. 1147, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Police.....	750.00
Code Account No. 1163, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Fire.....	2,000.00

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 14, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 266.

No. 102

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of contracts for telephone service in the City of Pittsburgh, for the year 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let contracts to the lowest responsible bidders, for telephone service for the City of Pittsburgh for the year 1919, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved the 7th day of March, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of sixteen thousand four hundred and twenty (\$16,420.00) dollars; and charge the same to Code Account No. 1173, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Electricity.*

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 14, 1919.
Approved April 22, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, page 267.

No. 103

AN ORDINANCE—Amending certain portions of Sections 53, 57 and 58, Division of Surveys, Bureau of Engineering, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That certain portions of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, be amended as follows, to-wit:

Line 8, Section 53, Department of Public Works—Division of Surveys, which reads,

"Six Chainmen,
1,170.00 each per annum 120.00"

be amended to read,
"Ten Chainmen,
1,170.00 each per annum 120.00"

Line 5, Section 57, Department of Public Works—Division of Sewers, which reads,

"Four Chainmen,
1,170.00 each per annum 120.00"

be amended to read,
"Seven Chainmen,
1,170.00 each per annum 120.00"

Line 5, Section 58, Department of Public Works—Division of Streets, which reads,

"Five Chainmen,
1,170.00 each per annum 120.00"

be amended to read,
"Nine Chainmen,
1,170.00 each per annum 120.00"

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 14, 1919.
Approved April 22, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, page 268.

No. 104

AN ORDINANCE—Creating and establishing a Division in the Bureau of Engineering under the control and direction of the Director of the Department

of Public Works, to be known as the "Division of Parks and Playgrounds," providing for and fixing the number of employees and the rate of compensation thereof."

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That from and after the passage and approval of this Ordinance there is hereby created and established a Division in the Bureau of Engineering, under the control and direction of the Director of the Department of Public Works, to be known as the "Division of Parks and Playgrounds."

Section 2. The number of employees of the said Division and the rate of compensation thereof, shall be and the same are fixed and established as herein set forth, an allowance for the high cost of living having been included in the rates of compensation, as shown in the column headed "Allowance."

	Allowance For High Cost of Living In- cluded in sal- ary rate
Division Engineer,	
\$3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Assistant Engineer,	
2,310.00 per annum	120.00
Transitman,	
1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Rodman,	
1,230.00 per annum	120.00

Section 3. The salaries of the employees of this Division as set forth in Section 2 of this Ordinance, shall be paid semi-monthly on pay rolls approved by the Director of the Department of Public Works and payable by warrants drawn against Appropriation No. 1444, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Parks and Playgrounds, Bureau of Engineering."

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.
Approved April 24, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, page 269.

No. 105

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Section 87, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Light, Line 13, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, by changing

the rate of pay of Trimmers from \$4.35 each per day, to C. U. W.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage of this Ordinance, Section 87, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Light, Line 13, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, reading:*

Two Trimmers..... \$4.35 each per day, Shall be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Two Trimmers.....C. U. W.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 269.

No. 106

AN ORDINANCE—Amending line 4, Section 55, Department of Public Works, Division of Design, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and*

enacted by the authority of the same, That Line 4, Section 55, Department of Public Works, Division of Design, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads:

"Six Engineering Draftsmen,
\$1,770.00 each per annum 120.00"
be amended to read:

"Eight Engineering Draftsmen,
\$1,770.00 each per annum 120.00"

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 270.

No. 107

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Section 15, Department of Law, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Section 15 of an Ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads as follows:*

"DEPARTMENT OF LAW

Allowance
for high cost
of living in-
cluded in sal-
ary rate.

Section 15.

City Solicitor	\$8,000.00 per annum	
Special Assistant City Solicitor, as provided for in Ordinance No. 48, approved February 7, 1917	7,500.00 per annum	
Special Assistant City Solicitor, as provided for in Ordinance No. 48, approved February 7, 1917	5,000.00 per annum	
First Assistant City Solicitor.....	5,000.00 per annum	
Four Assistant City Solicitors.....	4,200.00 each per annum	
Two Assistant City Solicitors.....	3,600.00 each per annum	
Three Assistant City Solicitors.....	3,000.00 each per annum	
Two Investigators	2,270.00 each per annum	\$120.00
Chief Clerk	2,220.00 per annum	120.00
Two Stenographers	1,290.00 each per annum	120.00
Messenger	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Telephone Operator	1,050.00 per annum	120.00
Lien Clerk	3,270.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Lien Clerk.....	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Municipal Improvement Clerk.....	2,770.00 per annum	120.00
Two Stenographers	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00"

be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

Allowance
for high cost
of living in-
cluded in sal-
ary rate.

Section 15.

City Solicitor	\$8,000.00 per annum	
Special Assistant City Solicitor, as provided for in Ordinance No. 48, approved February 7, 1917	7,500.00 per annum	
Special Assistant City Solicitor, as provided for in Ordinance No. 48, approved February 7, 1917	5,000.00 per annum	
First Assistant City Solicitor	5,000.00 per annum	
Five Assistant City Solicitors	4,200.00 each per annum	
Three Assistant City Solicitors	3,000.00 each per annum	
Two Investigators	2,270.00 each per annum	\$120.00
Chief Clerk	2,220.00 per annum	120.00
Two Stenographers	1,290.00 each per annum	120.00
Messenger	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Telephone Operator	1,050.00 per annum	120.00
Lien Clerk	3,270.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Lien Clerk	1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Municipal Improvement Clerk	2,770.00 per annum	120.00
Two Stenographers	1,230.00 each per annum	120.00

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part
of Ordinance conflicting with the provi-
sions of this ordinance be, and the same
is hereby repealed, so far as the same
affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 271.

and employees of all departments of the
City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of com-
pensation thereof," approved January
22, 1919, as shown in Section 1 of this
Ordinance.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted
by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council
assembled, and it is hereby ordained and
enacted by the authority of the same, That*
the salary of all the positions quoted
below, as contained in an Ordinance en-
titled, "An Ordinance fixing the num-
ber of officers and employees of all de-
partments of the City of Pittsburgh, and
the rate of compensation thereof," ap-
proved January 22, 1919, shall be and
the same is hereby amended to read

No. 108

AN ORDINANCE—Amending certain
Sections (Department of Public
Works) of an Ordinance entitled, "An
Ordinance fixing the number of officers
"Not to exceed Current Union Wages:"

Section 77, Brilliant Pumping Station—	
Line 5, Three Feed Water Tenders	\$4.10 each per day
Line 10, Coal Tender	4.10 each per day
Line 11, Four Repairmen	3.60 each per day
Section 78, D. P. W., Aspinwall Pumping Station—	
Line 9, Two Repairmen	\$3.60 each per day
Line 10, Coal Tender	4.10 each per day
Section 79, D. P. W., Ross Pumping Station—	
Line 8, Repairmen	\$3.60 each per day
Line 9, Coal Tender	4.10 each per day
Section 81, D. P. W., Mission Street Pumping Station—	
Line 7, Two Repairmen	\$3.60 each per day
Section 82, D. P. W., Howard Street Pumping Station—	
Line 2, Two Repairmen	\$3.60 each per day
Section 84, D. P. W., Greentree Pumping Station—	
Line 2, Two Repairmen	\$3.60 each per day
Section 87, Bureau of Light—	
Line 14, Two Engine Room Laborers	\$4.00 each per day

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part
of Ordinance conflicting with the provi-
sions of this ordinance be, and the same
is hereby repealed, so far as the same

affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 272.

No. 109

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety to execute a lease with Mrs. Anna B. Lowrie, executrix of the estate of Martha Schmidt, deceased, for property situate at No. 133 Steuben street, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, for the period of one year beginning March 1, 1919, for Police Station House purposes.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to execute a lease with Mrs. Anna B. Lowrie, Executrix of the estate of Martha Schmidt, deceased, for a period of one year beginning March 1, 1919, for property situate at 133 Steuben street, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, to be used for Police Station House purposes, at a rental of five hundred forty dollars (\$540.00), payable monthly, and to be charged to Code Account No. 1147, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Police, the City of Pittsburgh to pay for all water used upon the premises during the term of such lease, as a rental, in addition to the sum of five hundred and forty dollars (\$540.00) as aforesaid.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 273.

No. 110

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to make a lease with Jennie P. A. Sullivan for certain property on Frazier street, Fourth ward, and fixing the rental thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works make and execute a lease with Jennie P. A. Sullivan for playground purposes for a certain tract of land on Frazier street, Fourth ward, containing three (3) acres more or less, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Starting at a point on Frazier street; thence running westwardly 196 feet to

a point; thence southwardly 100 feet to a point; thence westwardly 191 1/4 feet to a point; thence southwardly 375 feet more or less to a point; thence southeastwardly 233 feet more or less to a point; thence northerly 305.7 feet to a point; thence eastwardly 156 feet to a point; thence northerly 210.08 feet to the place of beginning.

Said lease to cover a period of two (2) years beginning January 1, 1919, the consideration being the exoneration of said described premises from all City Taxes for the fiscal years of 1919 and 1920, and the Board of Assessors shall be and they are hereby authorized and directed to exonerate said premises from all City taxes for the fiscal years 1919 and 1920. Said lease is also to contain a clause whereby the City of Pittsburgh shall upon ninety (90) days' written notice from the owner of said property vacate said premises, and in the event the City of Pittsburgh is required to vacate before the termination of this lease, the lessor agrees to pay taxes on said property for the remaining period of 1919 and 1920 that the City does not occupy said premises.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 274.

No. 111

AN ORDINANCE—Amending parts of Section 1 and Section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating all public performances of moving picture exhibitions; prescribing and defining the arrangements and precautions in buildings, rooms, enclosures or halls in which such exhibitions are given; defining fully the equipment, size, covering, flooring, windows, doors, ventilation, wiring, of all operating booths connected with said exhibitions; licensing of said exhibits, and providing fines and penalties for violation hereof," insofar as the same relate to seating capacity and exit requirements, approved June 9, 1910.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That parts of Section 1 and Section 2 of an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance regulating all public performances of moving picture exhibitions, prescribing and defining the arrangements and precautions in buildings, rooms, enclosures or halls in which such exhibitions are given; defining fully the equipment,

size, covering, flooring, windows, doors, ventilation, wiring of all operating booths connected with said exhibitions; licensing of said exhibitions, and providing fines and penalties for violation hereof," approved by the Mayor June 9, 1910, and which reads as follows:

"Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that all buildings, rooms, enclosures or halls where moving pictures are habitually or regularly shown, having a seating capacity of three hundred people or less, shall conform to the rules and regulations hereinafter set forth, and all buildings, rooms, enclosures or halls, having a seating capacity in excess of three hundred persons, shall be subject to, and conform to the laws of the State of Pennsylvania relating to theaters."

"Section 2. Every room and enclosure used for the purpose aforesaid shall be on the ground floor and shall have sufficient aisle space and exits to provide adequate and convenient and safe ingress and egress to and from said room and enclosure: Provided, that in no case shall an exit doorway be less than five feet in width and that a red light shall be kept burning at all times and the word 'Exit' displayed over the same in letters at least eight inches high, and provided further, that there shall be at least two exits on the side opposite the machine booth and at least one other exit."

Shall be amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That all buildings, rooms, enclosures or halls, where moving pictures are habitually or regularly shown, having a seating capacity of seven hundred fifty people or less, shall conform to the rules and regulations hereinafter set forth, and all buildings, rooms, enclosures or halls, having a seating capacity in excess of seven hundred fifty persons, shall be subject to, and conform to the laws of the State of Pennsylvania relating to theaters."

"Section 2. Every room and enclosure used for the purpose aforesaid shall be on the ground floor and shall have sufficient aisle space and exits to provide adequate and convenient and safe ingress and egress to and from said room and enclosure: Provided, That in no case shall an exit doorway be less than five feet in width and that a red light shall be kept burning at all times and the word "Exit" displayed over the same in letters at least eight inches high; and provided further, that there shall be not less than three exits for each room and enclosure, the seating

capacity of which does not exceed three hundred, and at least one additional exit for each one hundred twenty-five additional seats up to and including seven hundred fifty."

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance. With special reference to Ordinance No. 528, Series 1916.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 50, Page 275.

No. 112

AN ORDINANCE—Widening Webster avenue, in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Fullerton street to Crawford street, and from the westerly line of Tannehill street to Roberts street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Webster avenue, in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Fullerton street to Crawford street, and from the westerly line of Tannehill street to Roberts street be widened to a variable width so that the street as widened shall include all of the following described parcels of land,*

FULLERTON STREET TO CRAWFORD STREET.

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Fullerton street as now opened north of Webster avenue, said point being distant 285.39 feet southwardly from the southerly line of Bedford avenue; thence deflecting to the left 90° 10' in an easterly direction for the distance of 127.08 feet to the westerly line of Crawford street; thence deflecting to the right 90° 07' in a southerly direction along said westerly line of Crawford street for the distance of 98.22 feet to the southerly line of Webster avenue as now opened; thence deflecting to the right 107° 54' 30" in a westerly direction along said southerly line for the distance of 123.85 feet to a point; thence deflecting to the left 18° 01' 30" in a westerly direction for the distance of 17.27 feet to the easterly line of Fullerton street as now opened south of Webster avenue; thence deflecting to the right 90° 10' in a northerly direction along said easterly line for the distance of 5.62 feet to the southerly line of Webster

avenue as now opened; thence deflecting to the right 107° 51' 30" in an easterly direction along said southerly line for the distance of 8.40 feet to a point on the easterly line of Fullerton street produced as now opened north of Webster avenue; thence deflecting to the left 107° 51' 30" in a northerly direction along said easterly line for the distance of 56.98 feet to the place of beginning.

TANNEHILL STREET TO ROBERTS STREET.

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Mercer street (said point being distant 283.67 feet southwardly from the southerly line of Bedford avenue); thence deflecting to the left 90° 10' in an easterly direction for the distance of 567.40 feet to the westerly line of Roberts street; thence deflecting to the right 90° 02' in a southerly direction along said westerly line for the distance of 60.0 feet to a point; thence deflecting to the right 89° 58' in a westerly direction for the distance of 545.63 feet to a point on the southerly line of Webster avenue as now opened; thence deflecting to the left 18° 58' 40" in a westerly direction along said southerly line for the distance of 147.28 feet to the westerly line of Tannehill street; thence deflecting to the right 109° 06' 40" in a northerly direction along the westerly line of Tannehill street produced for the distance of 107.85 feet to a point; thence deflecting to the right 89° 52' in an easterly direction for the distance of 117.26 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Webster avenue, in the Third ward, from Fullerton street to Crawford street and from the westerly line of Tannehill street to Roberts street to be widened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this ordinance.

Section 3. The costs, damages and expenses caused thereby, and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 276.

No. 113

AN ORDINANCE—Opening Webster avenue, in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from the easterly line of Crawford street to the westerly line of Tannehill street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Webster avenue, in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from the easterly line of Crawford street to the westerly line of Tannehill street produced be and the same is hereby opened to a width of sixty (60) feet by taking for public use for highway purposes all of the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Crawford street (said point being distant 284.75 feet southwardly from the southerly line of Bedford avenue); thence deflecting to the left 90° 07' in an easterly direction for the distance of 130.15 feet to a point on the westerly line of Tannehill street produced; thence deflecting to the right 90° 08' in a southerly direction along said westerly line of Tannehill street produced for the distance of 60 feet to a point; thence deflecting to the right 89° 52' in a westerly direction for the distance of 130.13 feet to the easterly line of Crawford street; thence deflecting to the right 90° 07' in a northerly direction along said easterly line of Crawford street for the distance of sixty (60) feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Webster avenue, in the Third ward, from the easterly line of Crawford street to the westerly line of Tannehill street to be opened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby, and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 277.

No. 114

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and re-establishing the grade of Perchment street, from Blackadore street to Standard avenue.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and the grade of the north curb line of Perchment street, from Blackadore street to Standard avenue be and the same is hereby fixed and re-established as follows, to-wit:

The northerly and southerly sidewalks shall be of a uniform width of fourteen (14) feet and shall lie along and parallel their respective street lines.

The roadway shall have a uniform width of twenty-two feet and shall occupy that portion of the street lying between the sidewalks as above described.

The grade of the north curb line shall begin on the east curb line of Blackadore street at an elevation of 273.69 feet; thence rising at the rate of 2.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 15.27 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 273.99 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 40 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 277.21 feet; thence rising at the rate of 14.12 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 216.92 feet to the west line of Hallam street to an elevation of 307.84 feet; thence rising at the rate of 7.85 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 30.80 feet to the east line of Hallam street to an elevation of 310.26 feet; thence rising at the rate of 14.65 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 149.05 feet to the west line of Lawndale street to an elevation of 332.09 feet; thence rising at the rate of 7.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 51.34 feet to the east line of Lawndale street to an elevation of 335.68 feet; thence rising at the rate of 12.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 216.0 feet to the west line of Silverdale street to an elevation of 362.68 feet; thence rising at the rate of 7.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 47.09 feet to the east line of Silverdale street to an elevation of 365.98 feet; thence rising at the rate of 15.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 211.98 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 397.78 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 500.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 400.28 feet; thence falling at the rate of 14.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 194.69 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 373.02 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve

for the distance of 50.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 368.60 feet; thence falling at the rate of 0.75 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 110.0 feet to the west curb line of Standard avenue to an elevation of 367.77 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 278.

No. 115

AN ORDINANCE — Re-establishing the grade of Singer street, from Tokio street to McKee street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the east curb line of Singer street, from Tokio street to McKee street be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the west curb line of Tokio street at an elevation of 287.66 feet; thence rising at the rate of 4.08 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 37.27 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 289.18 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 99.66 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 297.15 feet; thence rising at the rate of 10.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 150.17 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 312.92 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 320.42 feet; thence rising at the rate of 4.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 244.03 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 331.40 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 338.03 feet; thence rising at the rate of 8.75 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 408.84 feet to the north line of Nimick street to an elevation of 373.80 feet; thence rising at the rate of 7.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 50.0 feet to the south line of Nimick street to an elevation of 377.30 feet; thence rising at the rate of 15.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 279.88 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 419.28 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 60 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 424.53 feet; thence rising at the rate of 2.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 19.12 feet to the north curb line of McKee street to an elevation of 425.01 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 280.

No. 116

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and re-establishing the grade of Standard avenue, from Frankstown avenue to the City Line.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and the grade of the east curb line of Standard avenue, from Frankstown avenue to the City Line be and the same is hereby fixed and re-established as follows, to-wit:—*

The easterly and westerly sidewalks shall be of a uniform width of fourteen (14) feet and shall lie along and parallel their respective street lines. The roadway shall be of a uniform width of twenty-two (22) feet and shall occupy that portion of the street lying between the sidewalks as above described.

The grade of the east curb line shall begin on the north curb line of Frankstown avenue at an elevation of 318.16 feet; thence rising at the rate of 4.88 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 12.08 feet to the north line of Frankstown avenue to an elevation of 318.75 feet; thence rising at the rate of 8.85 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 133.18 feet to the north line of Granby way to an elevation of 330.54 feet; thence rising at the rate of 11.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 125.52 feet to the south line of Dersam street to an elevation of 344.35 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 40.17 feet to the north line of Dersam street to an elevation of 346.35 feet; thence rising at the rate of 11.85 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 125.52 feet to the south line of Jadwin way to an elevation of 361.22 feet; thence rising at the rate of 7.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 119.75 feet to a point opposite the north line of Perchment street to an elevation of 369.60 feet; thence rising at the rate of 14.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 265.65 feet to the city line to an elevation of 406.79 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provi-

sion of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 280.

No. 117

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Stoneville street, from Perchment street to the City Line.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of the west curb line of Stoneville street, from Perchment street to the City Line be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:*

Beginning on the north curb line of Perchment street at an elevation of 413.09 feet; thence rising at the rate of 6.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 47.54 feet to a point opposite the north line of Perchment street to an elevation of 415.94 feet; thence rising at the rate of 12.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 142.68 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 433.77 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 120 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 438.72 feet; thence falling at the rate of 4.25 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 215.59 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 429.56 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 50 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 428.92 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1.7 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 234.62 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 432.91 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 120 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 441.13 feet; thence rising at the rate of 12 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 22.55 feet to the City Line to an elevation of 443.84 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 281.

No. 118

AN ORDINANCE — Repealing that portion of Ordinance No. 160, Series 1916, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director

of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for repaving certain avenues, streets and ways, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved May 2, 1916, which pertains to Preble avenue, from Eckert street to a point near Superior Avenue Viaduct, estimated cost \$12,700.00.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That that portion of Ordinance No. 160, Series 1916, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for repaving certain avenues, streets and ways, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved May 2, 1916, and recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 27, page 496, which pertains to Preble avenue, from Eckert street to a point near Superior Avenue Viaduct, estimated cost \$12,700.00, shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 282.

No. 119

AN ORDINANCE—Repealing that portion of Ordinance No. 213, Series 1917, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for repaving certain avenues, streets and ways and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved May 19, 1917, which pertains to Butler street, from main entrance to Allegheny Cemetery to Stanton avenue, estimated cost \$15,000.00.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That that portion of Ordinance No. 213, Series 1917, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for repaving certain avenues, streets and ways, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved May 19, 1917, and recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 28, Page 497, which pertains to Butler street, from main entrance to Allegheny Cemetery to Stan-

ton avenue, estimated cost \$15,000.00, shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 283.

No. 120

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Section 1 of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the Letting of a contract or contracts for concrete floor and other repairs at the Mt. Washington Police Station, corner of Virginia avenue and Shiloh street," approved March 19, A. D., 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 30, Page 234.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Section 1 of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for concrete floor and other repairs at the Mt. Washington Police Station, corner of Virginia avenue and Shiloh street," approved March 19, A. D., 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 30, Page 234, which reads as follows, to-wit:

"Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts for installing a concrete floor and making any necessary repairs in connection therewith, at the Mt. Washington Police Station, Bureau of Police, for a sum of money not exceeding sixteen hundred dollars (\$1,600.00), in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided, and charge the same to Code Account No. 1153, Item E, Repairs, Mt. Washington Police Station, Bureau of Police."

Shall be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows, to-wit:

"Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Di-

rector of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts for installing a concrete floor and making any necessary repairs in connection therewith, at the Mt. Washington Police Station, Bureau of Police, for a sum of money not exceeding nineteen hundred dollars (\$1,900.00), in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided, and charge the same to Code Account No. 1153, Item E, Repairs, Mt. Washington Police Station, Bureau of Police."

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 283.

No. 121

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of Armour way, from Secane avenue to Eureka street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the westerly line of Armour way, from Secane avenue to Eureka street be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:—

Beginning on the northerly curb line of Secane avenue at an elevation of 358.28 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 14.0 feet to the northerly line of Secane avenue to an elevation of 358.98 feet; thence rising at the rate of 12.30 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 144.40 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 376.74 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 120.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 390.57 feet; thence rising at the rate of 10.75 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 271.60 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 419.77 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 28.0 feet to the southerly curb line of Eureka street to an elevation of 421.97 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 23, 1919.

Approved May 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 285.

No. 122

AN ORDINANCE—Transferring from Appropriation No. 187-B, Contracts, Water Bonds, A 1918, to Appropriation No. 187-A, Supplies and Materials, Water Bonds A 1918, the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00).

Whereas, Ordinance No. 183, approved June 17, 1918, provides for the making of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and erection of a boiler, boiler foundations, steam, water, gas and oil piping, flues and other appurtenances required, in Herron Hill Pumping Station, and,

Whereas, it has been found that this sum is in excess of the amount required for such purposes, and

Whereas, it has been found desirable to provide for the purchase of pipe and fittings for the extension of the water supply,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) shall be and the same is hereby transferred from Appropriation No. 187-B, Contracts, Water Bonds A 1918, to Appropriation No. 187-A, Supplies and Materials, Water Bonds A 1918.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 28, 1919.

Approved May 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 285.

No. 123

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading and paving of Mulberry way from Barbeau street to Fancourt street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Mulberry way, from Barbeau street to Fancourt street be graded and paved.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading and paving of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 30, 1919.

Approved May 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 286.

No. 124

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of O'Hara street, from De Soto street to Bouquet street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That O'Hara street, from De Soto street to Bouquet street, be graded, paved and curbed.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price

or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed April 30, 1919.

Approved May 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 287.

No. 125

AN ORDINANCE—Creating the position of Assistant Resident Physician, Department of Charities, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospital, Mayview, and fixing the salary thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That from and after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, the Director of the Department of Charities is hereby authorized and empowered to employ in the Department of Charities at the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospital, an Assistant Resident Physician at the salary of two thousand and ten dollars (\$2010.00) per annum payable semi-monthly on payrolls approved by said Director from Appropriation No. 1316. Salaries, Regular Employees, Department of Charities, City Home and Hospital, Mayview.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 5, 1919.

Approved May 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 287.

No. 126

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Water street and Monongahela wharf at a point about 20 feet northwest of Ross street to the exist-

ing sewer on the Monongahela wharf opposite Grant street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a Public Sewer be constructed on Water street and Monongahela wharf from a point about 20 feet northwest of Ross street to the existing sewer on Monongahela wharf opposite Grant street. Commencing on Water street at a point about 20 feet northwest of Ross street; thence northwestwardly along Water street to a point opposite Grant street; thence westwardly across Water street and the Monongahela wharf to the existing sewer on the Monongahela wharf at a point about 30 feet southwest of Water street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15) inches in diameter with nine inch laterals extending to a point one (1) foot inside the northeast curb line.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of twenty-two hundred (\$2200.00) dollars which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 5, 1919.

Approved May 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 288.

No. 127

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public

sewer on Hillcrest street, from a point about 160 feet west of North Graham street to existing sewer on North Graham street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Hillcrest street, from a point about 160 feet west of North Graham street to existing sewer on North Graham street. Commencing on Hillcrest street at a point about 160 feet west of North Graham street; thence eastwardly along Hillcrest street to existing sewer on North Graham street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and 12 inches (12") in diameter, with nine (9") inch lateral sewers extending from main sewer to a point one (1) foot inside the curb lines.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of nine hundred (\$900.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 5, 1919.

Approved May 9, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 289.

No. 128

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00) dollars and the issuance of bonds of said City

in said amount to provide for the improvement of Bigelow boulevard, and providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00) dollars to provide for the grading of the hillside, building of retaining walls, laying of sidewalks and curbing, re-grading and repaving the roadways at the intersection of Seventh avenue, and otherwise improving Bigelow boulevard between Tunnel and Craig streets, including the payment of property damages.

Section 2. That for said purpose, bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00) dollars shall be issued. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, or multiples thereof, shall be dated as of the first day of April, 1919, and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars each, one of which shall mature on the first day of April in each of the years 1920 to 1949 inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half percentum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of October and April in each year, without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund. All registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer, and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of said City, and the

coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a fac-simile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as "Bigelow Boulevard Improvement Bond."

Section 3. Said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller at not less than par and accrued interest to the highest responsible bidder after public notice by advertisement once a week for three (3) weeks in at least one (1) newspaper of general circulation published in the City.

Section 4. Until said bonds issued as herein provided shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable or hereafter to be made liable to assessment for taxation for city purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable; and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third (3⅓%) percentum of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized to be applied to and set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same are hereby appropriated out of the revenues of said city for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. All bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same, shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh; and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof; and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds, and the interest thereon semi-annually, as aforesaid, as the same shall mature and become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 9, 1919.

Approved May 10, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 290.

No. 129

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Line 1. Section 66, "Janitor," North Side Municipal Hall, Department of Public Works, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of

the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Line 1. Section 66, North Side Municipal Hall, Department of Public Works, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads as follows:

"Janitor, \$1230.00 per annum" (Allowance for high cost of living included in salary rate.)

Shall be and the same is amended to read as follows:

"Janitor, \$1460.00 per annum." (Allowance for high cost of living included in salary rate.)

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 12, 1919.

Approved May 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 291.

No. 130

AN ORDINANCE — Repealing Ordinance No. 328, entitled, "An Ordinance locating Fair Oaks street, from Shady avenue to Beechwood avenue," approved March 5, 1895.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Ordinance No. 328, entitled, "An Ordinance locating Fair Oaks street, from Shady avenue to Beechwood avenue" approved March 5, 1895, and recorded in Ordinance Book Vol. 10, Page 171, shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 12, 1919.

Approved May 20, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 292.

No. 131

AN ORDINANCE—Amending an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pitts-

burgh in the sum of one hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$174,000.00) and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said city in said amount, to provide for the improvement and extension of the water system, including the purchase and installation of meters, the acquiring of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, and the acquiring of real estate and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," approved April 9, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That*

Section 1 of an Ordinance entitled: "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$174,000.00) and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount, to provide for the improvement and extension of the water system, including the purchase and installation of meters, the acquiring of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, and the acquiring of real estate and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," approved April 9, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 30, page 254, reading as follows:

"Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of one hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$174,000.00), and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount, to provide for the improvement and extension of the water system, including the purchase and installation of meters, the acquiring of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, and the acquiring of real estate."

Be and it hereby is amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby*

ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of one hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$174,000.00), to provide funds for the improvement and extension of the water system, including the purchase and installation of meters, the acquiring of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, and the acquiring of real estate."

Section 2. That Section 2 of said Ordinance, reading as follows:

"Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$174,000.00 be issued for the purpose aforesaid, with interest coupons attached, payable semi-annually, with the privilege of exchanging such coupon bond or bonds for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity, and of the denomination of \$100.00 or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not then due, at the office of the City Controller; and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved, and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund. The proceeds arising from the sale of said bonds shall be applied to the discharge of the floating indebtedness of the City set forth in the report of the Controller above mentioned."

be and it hereby is amended to read as follows:

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of \$174,000.00 be issued for the purpose aforesaid, with interest coupons attached, payable semi-annually, with the privilege of exchanging such coupon bond or bonds for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity, and of the denomination of \$100.00 or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not then due, at the office of the City Controller; and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved, and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 293.

No. 132

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Line 15, section 34, Department of Public Health, Tuberculosis Hospital, and line 3, section 35, Department of Public Health, Municipal Hospital, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That line 15, section 34, Department of Public Health, Tuberculosis Hospital, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads as follows:

"Chauffeur \$810.00 per annum,"

Shall be and the same is hereby amended to read:

"Chauffeur \$1200.00 per annum," and that line 3, section 35, Department of Public Health, Municipal Hospital, of said Ordinance, which reads as follows:

"Chauffeur \$870.00 per annum,"

Shall be and the same is hereby amended to read:

"Chauffeur \$1200.00 per annum."

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 294.

No. 133

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount for the purpose of paying the purchase money due Joseph P. Reed

and the Wagman Estate under Ordinance approved April 4, 1919, authorizing the purchase of lands from said parties for playground purposes, and providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds.

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh, by Ordinance approved April 4, 1919, recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30, Page 236, authorized and directed the purchase from Joseph P. Reed of a certain tract of land situate in the Fifth ward, Pittsburgh, for playground purposes, for the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00), and, by Ordinance approved April 4, 1919, recorded in aforesaid Ordinance Book, Page 237, authorized and directed the purchase from the Wagman Estate of a certain other tract of land for playground purposes for the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00); and,

Whereas, It is desirable to issue bonds for the purpose of paying the aforesaid purchase money; Now, therefore,

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of twenty - five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00), for the purpose of paying the purchase money due Joseph P. Reed and the Wagman Estate under Ordinance approved April 4, 1919, authorizing the purchase from said parties by the City of Pittsburgh of certain lands for playground purposes.

Section 2. That for said purpose, bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) shall be issued. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00), or multiples thereof, shall be dated as of the first day of April, 1919, and shall be payable in twenty-five (25) equal annual installments of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of April in each of the years 1920 to 1944 inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of October and April in each year, without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the

denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00), or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund. All registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of said City, and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a fac-simile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as "Soho Playground Bond."

Section 3. Said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller at not less than par and accrued interest to the highest responsible bidder after public notice by advertisement once a week for three (3) weeks in at least one (1) newspaper of general circulation published in the City.

Section 4. Until said bonds issued as herein provided shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable or hereafter to be made liable to assessment for taxation for city purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable; and also an annual tax equal to four (4) percentum of the total amount of said bonds are hereby authorized to be applied to and set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same are hereby appropriated out of the revenues of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. All bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same, shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof; and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds, and the interest thereon semi-annually, as aforesaid, as the same shall mature and become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 295. „

No. 134

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Prescott street, Dido way, Flowers avenue and Kilbourne street, from points about 30 feet west of Graphic street and 480 feet west of Dido way to the existing sewer on Kilbourne street at a point about 100 feet west of Flowers avenue, with branch sewers on Clarion street and Flowers avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a Public Sewer be constructed on Prescott street, Dido way, Flowers avenue and Kilbourne street, from points about 30 feet west of Graphic street and 480 feet west of Dido way to the existing sewer on Kilbourne street, at a point about 100 feet west of Flowers avenue, with branch sewers on Clarion street and Flowers avenue. Commencing on Prescott street at points about 30 feet west of Graphic street and 480 feet west of Dido way; thence westwardly and eastwardly respectively along Prescott street to Dido way; thence southwardly and westwardly along Dido way to Flowers avenue; thence southwardly along Flowers avenue to Kilbourne street; thence southwestwardly along Kilbourne street to the existing sewer on Kilbourne street, at a point about 100 feet west of Flowers avenue. With a branch sewer on Clarion street. Commencing on Clarion street at points about 100 feet west of Graphic street and 440 feet west of Dido way; thence westwardly and eastwardly respectively along Clarion street to the sewer on Dido way. With a branch sewer on Flowers avenue. Commencing on Flowers avenue at a point about 250 feet west of Dido way; thence eastwardly along Flowers avenue to the sewer on Flowers avenue. Said sewer and branch sewers to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen inches in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of

Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 297.

No. 135

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk of Murdoch street from a point about 150 feet south of Forbes street to the existing sewer on Darlington road, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a Public Sewer be constructed on the west sidewalk of Murdoch street from a point about 150 feet south of Forbes street to the existing sewer on Darlington road. Commencing on the west sidewalk of Murdoch street at a point about 150 feet south of Forbes street; thence southwardly along the west sidewalk of Murdoch street, to the existing sewer on Darlington road. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and twelve (12) inches in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer

as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of twelve hundred (\$1200.00) dollars which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 298.

No. 136

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Azimuth way, from Mildred way to the existing sewer on Bryant street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a Public Sewer be constructed on Azimuth way, from Mildred way to the existing sewer on Bryant street. Commencing on Azimuth way at Mildred way, thence northwestwardly and southwestwardly along Azimuth way to the existing sewer on Bryant street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and (15) inches in diameter, with nine (9) inch lateral sewers extending from the main sewer to a point three (3) feet from the building lines.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total

sum of forty-two hundred (\$4,200.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 299.

No. 137

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and delivery of one (1) seven ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller and one (1) five ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller for the Asphalt Plants of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, and providing for the payment thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for the furnishing and delivery of one (1) seven ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller and one (1) five ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller for the Asphalt Plants of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, for a sum not to exceed four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500.00) in accordance with the Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the Government of Cities of the Second Class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the different supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided.

Section 2. That the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500.00) or so much of the same as may be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby set apart and appropriated for the payment required for the performance of the above mentioned work and that said amount shall be paid out of Code Account No. 1558, Equipment and Machinery, Asphalt Plants, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 300.

No. 138

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts for the grading, and improvement of the playgrounds located on Fulton street, Page street, Fontella street and Faulsey way, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for the grading, and improvement of the playgrounds located on Fulton street, Page street, Fontella street and Faulsey way, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and Ordinances governing the said city.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account No. 1374, Allegheny Playgrounds Association "G" Structural and Non-Structural Improvements, and the Mayor and the Controller are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants in payment of the costs of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 301.

No. 139

AN ORDINANCE — Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for laundry work for the Bureau of

Recreation, Department of Public Works from May 15, 1919, to December 31,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts for laundry work for the Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works, from May 15, 1919, to December 31, 1919, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of the City Council in such cases made and provided; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of thirty-five hundred (\$3,500.00) dollars; and charge the same to Code Account 1807, Miscellaneous Services.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 302.

No. 140

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for remodeling the Department of Public Safety Building, to provide proper quarters for the detention of juvenile prisoners.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts for remodeling the Department of Public Safety Building, to provide proper quarters for the detention of juvenile prisoners; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of nine hundred dollars (\$900.00); and to be paid from Code Account No. 1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 302.

No. 141

AN ORDINANCE — Establishing the grade of Welfer street, from Beechwood boulevard to the east line of Mary E. Welfer Plan of Lots.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the north curb line of Welfer street, from Beechwood boulevard to the east line of the Mary E. Welfer Plan of lots, shall be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the west curb line of Beechwood boulevard at an elevation of 296.61 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 per cent for a distance of 10 feet to an elevation of 297.11 feet; thence rising at a rate of 14.69 per cent for a distance of 245.33 feet to an elevation of 333.15 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5 per cent for a distance of 10 feet to the east curb lines of Murray avenue to an elevation of 333.65 feet; thence level for a distance of 40 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 per cent for a distance of 10 feet to the west line of Murray avenue to an elevation of 334.15 feet; thence rising at a rate of 16.62 per cent for a distance of 220.33 feet to an elevation of 370.78 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 per cent for a distance of 10 feet to the east curb line of Windsor street to an elevation of 371.28 feet; thence rising at a rate of 4 per cent for a distance of 30.10 feet to the west curb line of Windsor street to an elevation of 371.40 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 per cent for a distance of 10.15 feet to an elevation of 371.91 feet; thence rising at a rate of 10.4 per cent for a distance of 181.72 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 390.81 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 80 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 397.97 feet; thence rising at a rate of 7.5 per cent for a distance of 135.86 feet to the east property line of Mary E. Welfer Plan of Lots to an elevation of 408.16 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 303.

No. 142

AN ORDINANCE — Establishing the grade of Shiras avenue, from Broadway to Candace street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the south curb line of Shiras avenue, from Broadway to Candace street, be and the same is hereby established, as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the north curb line of Broadway, at an elevation of 519.51 feet; thence falling at a rate of 6.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6.36 feet to the west line of Broadway, to an elevation of 519.13 feet; thence falling at a rate of 12.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 146.6 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 502.33 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 140.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 498.38 feet; thence falling at a rate of 7.736 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 237.13 feet to the east line of Candace street, to an elevation of 480.04 feet; thence falling at a rate of 6.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 10.01 feet to the east curb line of Candace street, to an elevation of 479.44 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 304.

No. 143

AN ORDINANCE — Repealing Ordinance No. 296, entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade of Middleton street, from Beechwood Boulevard to the east line of the Mary E. Welfer Plan of Lots," approved October 7, 1915.

Whereas, the grade was established on Middleton street, from Beechwood boulevard to the east line of the Mary E. Welfer Plan of Lots after the name of this street had been changed to Welfer street, and

Whereas, the Ordinance does not give sufficient notice of the establishment of the grade of Welfer street and moreover is misleading, as it may easily be construed as an Ordinance establishing the grade on Middleton street as now opened and named, therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Ordinance No. 296, entitled, "An Ordinance establishing the grade on Middleton street, from Beechwood boulevard to the east line of the Mary E. Welfer Plan of Lots," approved October 7, 1915,

and recorded in Ordinance Book Vol. 27, page 166, shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 305.

No. 144

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Los Angeles avenue, from Crosby avenue to a point 245.61 feet southwardly therefrom.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the grade of the west curb of Los Angeles avenue, from Crosby avenue to a point 245.61 feet southwardly therefrom be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:*

Beginning on the south curb line of Crosby avenue at the elevation of 544.73 feet; thence rising at the rate of 2.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 95.61 feet to a point of curve to the elevation of 546.64 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 150 feet to a point of tangent to the elevation of 541.39 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 305.

No. 145

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the amount of nine million five hundred seventy-nine thousand dollars (\$9,579,000.00), for the following purposes, namely: For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing, reconstructing and otherwise improving the streets of the city generally and for the City's share of the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening certain new streets and improving certain new and certain existing streets, including as may be required in the case of each such street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grad-

ing and regrading, curbing and recurb-ing, relaying sidewalks, laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls, street foundations and surfaces (including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets); and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this Ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.*

Section 2. That for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of nine million five hundred and seventy-nine thousand dollars (\$9,579,000.00) for the following purposes and respective amounts:

For the cost and expense, (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing and reconstructing, and otherwise improving the streets of the City generally, \$1,401,000.00.

For the City's share of the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening the new streets and improving the new and the existing streets described below, including, as may be required in the case of each street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grading and regrading, curbing and recurb-ing, relaying sidewalks and laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls and street foundations and surfaces (including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets) the streets and the respective amounts for each being as follows, namely:

Boulevard of the Allies,
(Monongahela Boulevard)
a new boulevard
(in part along existing
streets) to extend from
the intersection of Grant
street and Second avenue
along the Bluff to Craft
avenue, including the
building of two viaducts. \$2,001,000.00

Second avenue from Liberty
avenue to Grant
Street 1,410,000.00

Ferry street from Liberty
avenue to Water street.... 351,000.00

Diamond street from Grant
street to Smithfield street 417,000.00

Diamond street from Ferry
street to Market place..... 111,000.00

East street from Tripoli
street to Royal street..... 300,000.00

East Ohio Street from Heinz
street to City Line at
Millvale borough 555,000.00

Mt. Washington Roadway,
a new highway in part
along existing streets) to
extend from Grandview
avenue at Merrimac
street, eastwardly along
the hillside to Manor
street, and thence to a
point near the intersection
of Sarah street and
South Seventh street, including the construction
of a highway bridge and
under grade crossings..... 801,000.00

Carson street east from
Smithfield street to South
Seventh street 315,000.00

Mt. Oliver street from
South Eighteenth street
to a point fifty feet north
of Loyal way 96,000.00

A new street to extend
from Hazelwood avenue
to Greenfield avenue
in part along Irvine
street on the easterly side
of and parallel to the
Baltimore & Ohio Railroad
tracks, including the
abolition of the
grade crossing on Second
avenue at a point
midway between Long-
worth street and Hazel-
wood avenue, and the
improvement of the under
grade crossing at
Greenfield avenue and
Second avenue 351,000.00

Bigelow boulevard at and
near Breton street and
also at and near Thirtieth
street 171,000.00

Arlington avenue from
South Twenty-sixth
street to Clover street, including a change of location
thereof, the elimi-

nation of curves, and the
construction of a highway
bridge 255,000.00

Baker street from Butler
street to Morningside
avenue 90,000.00

Broad Street from Highland
avenue to Frankstown
avenue and extending it in part along
Couch street to Hamilton
avenue 777,000.00

Manchester avenue, a new
street to extend from the
intersection of South avenue
and Galveston avenue in part along existing
streets to the intersection of Ridge avenue
and Allegheny avenue 177,000.00

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall by proclamation give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and county officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 26, 1919.

Approved May 27, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 306.

No. 146

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of

the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense, (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location, and improvement of highway, bridges and approaches thereto; the said bridges being as follows, namely: Center Avenue Bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shady Side Station; Beechwood Boulevard Bridge connecting Schenley Park to Beechwood Boulevard; North and Irwin Avenue Bridges; Island Avenue Bridge on Lincoln Highway connecting Chateau street and California avenue; and East Street Bridge to connect Charles and Essen streets for one-half the cost thereof, the other one-half to be paid by Allegheny County; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this Ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expenses, (including the engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location, and improvement of highway bridges and approaches thereto, the said bridges and the amount for each being as follows, namely:

Center Avenue Bridge over	
Pennsylvania Railroad at	
Shadyside Station	\$120,000.00
Beechwood Boulevard Bridge,	

connecting Schenley Park	
to Beechwood Boulevard.....	270,000.00
North and Irwin Avenue	
Bridges	60,000.00
Island Avenue Bridge on Lin-	
coln Highway connecting	
Chateau Street and Califor-	
nia Avenue	90,000.00
East Street Bridge to connect	
Charles Street and Essen	
Street for one-half the	
cost thereof, the other one-	
half to be paid by Alle-	
gheny County	210,000.00

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall by proclamation give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and county officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 26, 1919.

Approved May 27, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 308.

No. 147

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million eight hundred fifteen thousand dollars (\$1,815,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost and expense (including engineer-

ing expenses) of the following, namely: Repairing and improving the roadways of the Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks; developing and improving West Park; acquisition, development and improvement of land located in Saw Mill Run Valley for park purposes; acquisition of land, property and equipment and developing the same; improvement of City playgrounds and establishment of new playgrounds, including the acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor; acquisition of land for extension of Highland Park along Allegheny river and improvement of Washington boulevard to Heth's Run Bridge; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this Ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million eight hundred and fifteen thousand (\$1,815,000.00) dollars, for the purpose of paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the following, and the amount for each item, namely:

Repairing and improving the roadways in Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks.	\$399,000.00
Developing and improving West Park	99,000.00
Acquisition, development and improvement of land located in Saw Mill Run Valley for Park purposes.....	255,000.00
Improvement of City Playgrounds and establish-	

ment of new playgrounds, including acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor	831,000.00
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Acquisition of land for extension of Highland Park along Allegheny river, and improvement of Washington Boulevard to Heth's Run Bridge	231,000.00
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Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall by proclamation give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and county officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 26, 1919.

Approved May 27, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 310.

No. 148

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million one hundred ten thousand dollars (\$1,110,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including architectural and engineering expenses of the following namely: Six (6) public comfort stations, including acquisition

of land where necessary therefor; Additions, extensions and improvements to the Municipal Hospital, the Tuberculosis Hospital, and the Mayview City Home and Hospital; the relocation of the central fire alarm station, including the acquisition and installation of apparatus, appliances, appurtenances, and the laying of wires, and the construction of conduits; the construction, reconstruction and improvement of buildings for combination fire and police stations in the North Side, East End and West End Districts of the City, including the acquisition of land and buildings therefor; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this Ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million one hundred and ten thousand (\$1,110,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including architectural and engineering expenses), of the following; and the amount for each item, namely:

Six Public Comfort Stations, including the acquisition of land, where necessary, therefor	\$120,000.00
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Municipal Hospital	99,000.00
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Tuberculosis Hospital	201,000.00

Additions, extensions and improvements to the Mayview City Home and Hospital	99,000.00
Re-location of the Central Fire Alarm Station, including acquisition and installation of apparatus, appliances, appurtenances and the laying of wires and construction of conduits.....	90,000.00
Construction reconstruction, and improvement of buildings for combination fire and police stations in the North Side, East End and West End Districts of the City, including the acquisition of land and buildings therefor	501,000.00

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall by proclamation give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and county officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 26, 1919.
Approved May 27, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 312.

No. 149

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be

increased in the amount of one million three hundred and forty-one thousand (\$1,341,000.00) dollars (the amount estimated to be necessary) for the purpose of paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) or a part thereof of additions, extensions and improvements to the sewer and drainage systems of the City as follows: Saw Mill Run Sewer System; Negley Run Sewer System for Homewood and Brushton districts; Nine Mile Run Sewer System for Brushton and East End avenue districts; Soho Run Sewer System; Hazelwood Avenue Sewer System; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this Ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million three hundred and forty-one thousand (\$1,341,000.00) dollars, (the amount estimated to be necessary) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) or a part thereof, of additions, extensions, and improvements to the sewer and drainage systems of the City, such systems and the amount for each being as follows, namely:

Saw Mill Run Sewer System..	\$438,000 00
Negley Run Sewer System, for Homewood and Brushton Districts	366,000.00
Nine Mile Run Sewer System, for Brushton and East End Avenue Districts	321,000.00

Soho Run Sewer System.....	135,000.00
Hazelwood Avenue Sewer System	81,000.00

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall by proclamation give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and county officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 26, 1919.

Approved May 27, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 314.

No. 150

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the amount of one million four hundred one thousand dollars (\$1,401,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said

of land where necessary therefor; Additions, extensions and improvements to the Municipal Hospital, the Tuberculosis Hospital, and the Mayview City Home and Hospital; the relocation of the central fire alarm station, including the acquisition and installation of apparatus, appliances, appurtenances, and the laying of wires, and the construction of conduits; the construction, reconstruction and improvement of buildings for combination fire and police stations in the North Side, East End and West End Districts of the City, including the acquisition of land and buildings therefor; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this Ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million one hundred and ten thousand (\$1,110,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including architectural and engineering expenses), of the following; and the amount for each item, namely:

Six Public Comfort Stations, including the acquisition of land, where necessary, therefor	\$120,000.00
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Municipal Hospital	99,000.00
Additions, extensions and improvements to the Tuberculosis Hospital	201,000.00

Additions, extensions and improvements to the Mayview City Home and Hospital	99,000.00
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Re-location of the Central Fire Alarm Station, including acquisition and installation of apparatus, appliances, appurtenances and the laying of wires and construction of conduits.....	90,000.00
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Construction reconstruction, and improvement of buildings for combination fire and police stations in the North Side, East End and West End Districts of the City, including the acquisition of land and buildings therefor	501,000.00
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Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall by proclamation give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and county officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 26, 1919.
Approved May 27, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 312.

No. 149

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be

increased in the amount of one million three hundred and forty-one thousand (\$1,341,000.00) dollars (the amount estimated to be necessary) for the purpose of paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) or a part thereof of additions, extensions and improvements to the sewer and drainage systems of the City as follows: Saw Mill Run Sewer System; Negley Run Sewer System for Homewood and Brushton districts; Nine Mile Run Sewer System for Brushton and East End avenue districts; Soho Run Sewer System; Hazelwood Avenue Sewer System; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this Ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million three hundred and forty-one thousand (\$1,341,000.00) dollars, (the amount estimated to be necessary) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) or a part thereof, of additions, extensions, and improvements to the sewer and drainage systems of the City, such systems and the amount for each being as follows, namely:

Saw Mill Run Sewer System.....	\$438,000 00
Negley Run Sewer System, for Homewood and Brush- ton Districts	366,000.00
Nine Mile Run Sewer System, for Brushton and East End Avenue Districts	321,000.00

Soho Run Sewer System.....	135,000.00
Hazelwood Avenue Sewer System	81,000.00

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall by proclamation give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and county officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 26, 1919.

Approved May 27, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 314.

No. 150

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the amount of one million four hundred one thousand dollars (\$1,401,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said

purposes; and providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this Ordinance, the corporate authorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election of the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of one million four hundred one thousand dollars (\$1,401,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said purposes.

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall by proclamation give notice of said election during at least thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the pro-

posed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and county officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 26, 1919.

Approved May 27, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 315.

No. 151

AN ORDINANCE—Signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh that the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of six million dollars (\$6,000,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses) of providing transit facilities, consisting of a subway in the First and Second wards of the said City adapted to the use of either the street surface cars or high speed trains or both, as may hereafter be determined together with the necessary approaches, stations, buildings, works, appliances, equipment and appurtenances, upon such routes and according to such plan as may hereafter be determined by Ordinance, and approved by such public authorities as may be required by law; providing for a special election to be held in said City for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors thereof to such increased indebtedness, and providing for a notice of such election.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That in pursuance of an Act of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same and to impose penalties, for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several amendments and supplements thereof, and all other laws of the Commonwealth relating to the subject matter of this Ordinance, the corporate au-

thorities of said City do hereby signify a desire to make an increase of indebtedness of the said City in the amount and for the purposes stated in the proposition set forth in Section 2 hereof.

Section 2. That for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the electors of the said City to an increase of indebtedness of said City, a proposition shall be submitted at a public election to the said electors, as hereinafter provided, reading as follows:

Shall the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased in the amount of six million dollars (\$6,000,000.00) for the purpose of paying the cost, damage and expense (including engineering expenses), of providing transit facilities consisting of a subway, in the First and Second wards of the said City, adapted to the use of either street surface cars or high speed trains or both, as may hereafter be determined, together with the necessary approaches, stations, buildings, works, appliances, equipment and appurtenances, upon such routes and according to such plan as may hereafter be determined by Ordinance and approved by such public authorities as may be required by law.

Section 3. That the said proposition shall be submitted to the electors of the City of Pittsburgh at a special public election to be held in the said City on the eighth day of July, 1919, and the said election shall be held at the places, time and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections.

Section 4. The Mayor of said City shall by proclamation give notice of said election during at last thirty days by weekly advertisements in the newspapers, not exceeding three in said City, of the said election, and said notice shall contain a statement of the amount of the last assessed valuation, of the amount of the existing debt, of the amount and percentage of the proposed increase and for the purposes for which the indebtedness is to be increased.

Section 5. The Mayor of said City and all other municipal and county officials and election officers are hereby authorized and directed to do all acts and things which may be necessary for the lawful holding and conducting of the said election in the manner provided by law, and all expenses occasioned by the said election lawfully payable by the said City shall be payable out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 26, 1919.
Approved June May 27, 1919.
Ordinance Book Vol. 30, Page 317.

No. 152

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the A. M. Byers Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a reinforced concrete tunnel under and across Bingham street at a point eight (8') feet west of the westerly building line of South Seventh street in the Seventeenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, for foot traffic, the transportation of merchandise, and the installation and use of water, steam, electric power, light and telephone lines between the proposed store room situated on the southwest corner of South Seventh street and Bingham street and the Socket Shop situated directly opposite on the northern side of Bingham street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the A. M. Byers Company, its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority to construct, maintain and use a reinforced concrete tunnel under and across Bingham street at a point eight (8') feet west of the westerly building line of South Seventh street in the Seventeenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, for foot traffic, the transportation of merchandise, and the installation and use of water, steam, electric power, light and telephone lines between the proposed store-room, situated on the southwest corner of South Seventh street and Bingham street and the Socket Shop, situated directly opposite on the northern side of Bingham street.

The foregoing reinforced concrete tunnel shall be laid in the location and in full conformance with the plans on file in the Division of Public Utilities, Department of Public Works and identified as Accession No. 118, Folder "A", said plan being entitled: "Plan of proposed reinforced concrete tunnel under and across Bingham street eight (8') feet west of South Seventh street for the A. M. Byers Company."

Section 2. The construction, maintenance and use of the said tunnel shall be at all times subject to the approval of the Director of the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets and to the Ordinance of the said City relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general ordinance which

may hereafter be passed, relating to the construction, operation and maintenance of overhead and underground structures on City streets, and compensation for same.

Section 4. The said grantee shall be liable to all damage to persons or property including the street and subsurface structures therein by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said tunnel.

Section 5. The said grantee shall at their own cost and expense repair and replace all street pavement, sidewalks, surface and subsurface structures which are in any way damaged or disturbed in the construction, maintenance and use of the said tunnel, all of which work shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the Director of the Department of Public Works of the said City.

Section 6. The rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh without liability reserves the right to cause the removal of the said tunnel upon giving six months' notice through the proper officers, or by resolution or Ordinance of Council to the said A. M. Byers Company to that effect; and that the said grantee shall when so notified, remove the said structure and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following condition, to-wit: This Ordinance shall become null and void unless within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, the A. M. Byers Company shall file with the City Controller, its certificate of acceptance of this ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the Company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 27, 1919.

Approved June 3, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 319.

No. 153

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for the re-improving to the re-established grades of Sylvania avenue, from Taft avenue to Gearing avenue, and of Taft avenue, from Montooth street to a point 350 feet northwestwardly there-

from, and to the re-established lines of Main street, as widened, at its intersection with Liberty avenue, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works be and they are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the re-improvement of the following streets, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and Ordinances governing the said city.

	Est. Cost
Regrading, repaving, recurb- ing and otherwise improv- ing to the re-established grade of Sylvania avenue from Taft to Gearing Aves.	\$17,000.00
Regrading, repaving, recurb- ing and otherwise improv- ing to the re-established grades of Taft avenue, from Montooth street to a point 350 feet northwestwardly....	7,500.00
Grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving to the re-established lines of Main street, as widened at its in- tersection with Liberty ave- nue	2,200.00
	\$26,700.00

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the various sums set forth in Section 1 of this Ordinance, amounting in the aggregate to \$26,700.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account 1491-E. General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 27, 1919.

Approved June 3, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 320.

No. 154

AN ORDINANCE—Cancelling and annulling Contract No. 4857, Mayor's office File No. 253, which is a contract entered into between the City of Pittsburgh and Madden and O'Toole for the grading, paving and curbing of Gibson

street from Lorenz avenue to Marlow street, executed January 8, 1918.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Contract No. 4857, Mayor's office File No. 253, which is a contract entered into between the City of Pittsburgh and Madden & O'Toole, for the grading, paving and curbing of Gibson street from Lorenz avenue to Marlow street, executed January 8, 1918, shall be and is hereby annulled and declared to be void and of no effect.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed May 27, 1919.

Approved June 3, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 321.

No. 155

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred ninety thousand (\$390,000.00) dollars and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount to provide for the grading, re-grading, paving and re-paving, and otherwise improving West Carson street from a point 181 feet eastwardly from the south approach to the Point Bridge to a point 265.47 feet west of Steuben street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of three hundred ninety thousand (\$390,000.00) dollars to provide for the grading, re-grading, paving, re-paving and otherwise improving West Carson street from a point 181 feet eastwardly from the south approach to the Point Bridge to a point 265.47 feet west of Steuben street.

Section 2. That for said purpose, bonds of the City of Pittsburgh, in the aggregate principal amount of three hundred ninety thousand (\$390,000.00) dollars shall be issued. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, or multiples thereof, shall be dated as of the first day of April, 1919, and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of thirteen thousand (\$13,000.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of April in each of the years 1920 to 1949 inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually on the

first days of October and April in each year, without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund. All registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer, and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of said City, and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as "West Carson Street Improvement Bond, 1919."

Section 3. Said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller at not less than par and accrued interest to the highest responsible bidder after public notice by advertisement once a week for three (3) weeks in at least one (1) newspaper of general circulation published in the city.

Section 4. Until said bonds issued as herein provided shall be fully paid there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable or hereafter to be made liable to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable; and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third (3⅓%) per centum of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized to be applied to and set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same are hereby appropriated out of the revenue of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. All bonds issued by the

authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same, shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof; and and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds, and the interest thereon semi-annually, as aforesaid, as the same shall mature and become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 322.

No. 156

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Crucible Steel Company of America, its successors and assigns the right to construct, maintain and use a bridge over and above West Carson street, Nineteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, approximately 1300 feet east of the east building line of South Main street, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc. between the buildings of the Crucible Steel Company of America, said buildings being located on opposite side of West Carson street known as Singer-Nimick works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Crucible Steel Company, of America, its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority, at its own cost and expense, to construct, maintain and use a bridge over and above West Carson street, Nineteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, approximately 1300 feet east of the east building line of South Main street, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc. between the buildings of the said Crucible Steel Company of America, said buildings being located on opposite sides of West Carson street, known as the Singer-Nimick Works; said bridge to have no supports or posts within the street lines and to have a minimum clearance of 14½ feet. The said bridge shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance and in accordance with the plan hereto attached and identified as Accession No. A-122, Folder "A" in the files of the Division of Public Utilities, Department of Public Works, entitled: "Plan of Proposed Overhead Bridge crossing West Carson street for the

Crucible Steel Company of America, Nineteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh."

Section 2. The said company, prior to beginning the construction of said bridge shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the said City, a complete set of plans in triplicate showing the location and all details of construction of the said bridge, and said plans and the construction of the said bridge shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the said Director.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets, and to the Ordinances of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general Ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of said bridge on City streets and compensation for same.

Section 4. The said grantee shall bear the full cost and expense of the repaving and repair of the street pavement damaged, repair of sewers, water lines and other surface and subsurface structures which may be in any way damaged or disturbed by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said bridge. All of the said work, including the repaving of the street damaged, shall be done in the manner and at such times as the Director may order, and shall be subject to his approval and supervision.

Section 5. The rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh without liability reserves the right to cause the removal of said bridge upon giving six (6) months' notice through the proper officers pursuant to resolution or Ordinance of Council to the said Crucible Steel Company of America, its successors and assigns, to that effect; and that the said grantee when so notified shall, at the expiration of said six months, forthwith, remove the said bridge and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 6. The said grantee shall assume any liability of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property, including the street and subsurface structures therein, by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said bridge, and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following condition, to-wit: This Ordinance shall become null and void unless

within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, the Crucible Steel Company of America shall file with the City Controller, its certificate of acceptance of this Ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the Company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 323.

No. 157

AN ORDINANCE—Granting to the Eastern Railroad Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use two additional overhead crossings over Hazelwood avenue, subject to the terms and conditions of this Ordinance.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Eastern Railroad Company, its successors and assigns, is hereby given the right and authority to construct, maintain and use two additional overhead tracks across Hazelwood avenue east of and parallel to present overhead crossing at an approximate distance of 355 feet west of Langhorn street, Fifteenth ward.

The foregoing overhead tracks shall be laid in the location and in full conformance with the plan on file in the Division of Public Utilities, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, and identified by Folder "A," Accession No. 119, said plan being entitled: "Eastern Railroad Company, Proposed Overhead Crossings at Hazelwood avenue, Fifteenth ward."

Section 2. The Eastern Railroad Company agrees that all piers, pedestals, footings, piles, trestles or masonry as may be necessary to support said proposed overhead tracks, shall be built at said railroad's own expense, in a good and substantial manner, having due regard for the safety of the public, and at all times subject to the approval of the Director of the Department of Public Works, and said overhead crossings when constructed shall at all times give a clearance of at least fourteen (14) feet above the grade of said Hazelwood avenue as now established or which may hereafter be established, and shall

not interfere with the free, safe and convenient travel of the public on Hazelwood avenue.

Section 3. The said grantee shall, at its own cost and expense, repair and replace all street pavements, sidewalks, surface and sub-surface structures which are in any way damaged or disturbed in the construction, maintenance and use of the said overhead crossings, all of which work shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the Director of the Department of Public Works of said City.

Section 4. The said grantee, its successors and assigns, shall be liable for all damages to persons or property, including the street and sub-surface structures therein by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said overhead crossings.

Section 5. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets and to the Ordinance of the said City relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general Ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, operation and maintenance of overhead and underground structures on City streets, and compensation for same.

Section 6. The Eastern Railroad Company, its successors and assigns, shall pay to the City of Pittsburgh annually the amount of the switch license charge or fee as now fixed by Ordinance, or as may be hereafter fixed by Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 7. The term of this grant shall be for a period of 50 years, and shall continue thereafter until such time as the City of Pittsburgh, shall, by an Ordinance duly enacted, authorizing the same, alter, amend or repeal this Ordinance, and shall, by proper officer of the City, give the said Eastern Railroad Company, its successors and assigns, six months' notice of the termination of the rights and privileges herein conferred, and thereupon the said company shall remove the overhead crossings herein provided for and restore the said street to its original condition and in reasonable order and repair.

Section 8. This Ordinance shall not become effective unless the railroad company shall, within thirty (30) days after its passage and approval, file its acceptance of this Ordinance subject to all of its terms and conditions with the Controller of the City of Pittsburgh, said acceptance to be executed by the proper officers of the railroad company duly authorized so to do, and in case the said railroad company does not within said thirty (30) days so accept this Ordinance, all rights thereunder shall thereupon cease and terminate.

Section 9. It is hereby understood

and agreed that neither the purpose nor intent, nor the obligation of this contract, if and when approved by the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is such as to impair or in anywise affect the exercise by said Commission of any of the powers vested in it by the Public Service Company Law, approved July 26, 1913.

Section 10. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 325.

No. 158

AN ORDINANCE — Rescinding and revoking the approval by the City of a plan of lots, of record in the office of the Bureau of Engineering, Division of Surveys, of said City, in Plan Book Volume 9, Page 245, purporting to have been laid out and adopted by Charles B. Bratt, for the sub-division of certain real estate in the Twenty-seventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh (the former Eleventh ward of the former City of Allegheny).

Whereas, Charles B. Bratt, herein-after called "Owner," acquired title to a certain real estate in the Twenty-seventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh, (being the former Eleventh ward of the former City of Allegheny), by deed from Bridget Sweeney, bearing date November 23, 1897, recorded on December 2, 1897, in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny county in Deed Book Volume 978, Page 92, and

Whereas, the Common Council of the former City of Allegheny, on June 18, 1903, and the Select Council of the former City of Allegheny, on July 9, 1903, approved a plan of lots for the sub-division of said property purporting to have been laid out by said Charles B. Bratt, and

Whereas, said Charles B. Bratt did not in fact adopt or acknowledge the same and said plan has never been recorded in the Recorder's Office of said county and no lots have been sold by him from said plan, which plan has been placed of record in the Bureau of Engineering, Division of Surveys, of said City, in Plan Book Volume 9, Page 245, and

Whereas, said Charles B. Bratt is the present owner of all of said property and the approval of said plan and the recording of the same in said City office creates doubt in the mind of purchasers of said property as to whether or not streets and alleys shown thereon

are lawful public highways of said City, and said Charles B. Bratt is desirous of having the approval of said plan revoked and rescinded, and the same stricken from the records of said City, so that he may hold and convey said property free from any such purported plan of lots; Therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the approval of that certain plan of lots of record in the office of the Bureau of Engineering, Division of Surveys, of said City, in Plan Book Volume 9, Page 245, purporting to have been laid out by Charles B. Bratt, for the subdivision of property in the present Twenty-seventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh (the former Eleventh ward of the former City of Allegheny) shall be and the same is hereby rescinded, revoked and cancelled, with the same force and effect as if said plan had never been approved by the former City of Allegheny. The proper City officers, where said plan appears among the records of said City, are hereby authorized and directed to strike said plan from the records of the City, and to mark the same "Rescinded, cancelled and revoked" pursuant to the provisions hereof.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 327.

No. 159

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies to advertise for bids and enter into a contract or contracts for the publication of literature in relation to the proposed bond issue which will be submitted to the people on July 8, 1919, and providing for the payment of the cost and preparation of said literature.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for and receive bids for the printing of literature in relation to the proposed bond issue to be submitted to the people at the election to be held on the eighth day of July, 1919, and to award a contract or contracts for the same to the lowest and best bidder or

bidders, and to engage the services for the preparation of the literature for an amount agreed upon between the Mayor and the parties engaged therefor, the cost of which shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00).

Section 2. The Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the Controller to countersign warrants in payment of the work from time to time as it progresses, and charge the cost thereof to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 328.

No. 160

AN ORDINANCE—Creating position for one (1) elevator repairman in the Department of Public Works, Bureau of City Property, City-County Building, at Current Union Wages.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That from and after the passage and approval of this Ordinance the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and he is hereby authorized to employ one (1) elevator repairman in the Bureau of City Property at current union wages, same to be paid from Code Account No. 1567.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 329.

No. 161

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Brandon road, from a point about 60 feet west of Sewickley road to the existing sewer on Brandon road east of Pennock road, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a Public Sewer be constructed on Brandon road, from a point about 60 feet west of Sewickley road to the existing sewer on Brandon road east of Pennock road. Commencing on Brandon road at a point about 60 feet west of Sewickley road; thence westwardly along Brandon road to the existing sewer on Brandon road east of Pennock road. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter, with nine (9") lateral sewers extending from the main sewer to a point one foot (1') inside the curb line.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of twenty-two hundred dollars (\$2200.00) which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 330.

No. 162

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the northwest sidewalk of Veronica street and on Sundeman street, from a point about 10 feet southwest of the easterly line of the John N. Straub's Plan of Lots to the existing sewer on Sundeman street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That a Public Sewer be constructed on the northwest sidewalk of Veronica street and on Sundeman street, from a point about 10 feet southwest of the easterly line of the John N. Straub's Plan of Lots to the existing sewer on Sundeman street. Commencing on the northwest sidewalk of Veronica street at a point about 10 feet southwest of the easterly line of the John N. Straub's Plan of Lots; thence southwestwardly along the northwest sidewalk of Veronica street to Sundeman street; thence southeastwardly along Sundeman street to the existing sewer on Sundeman street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of thirty-four hundred dollars (\$3400.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 331.

No. 163

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading to width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of Blackhawk street, from Pocono street to the City line, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Blackhawk street, from Pocono street to the City line be graded to width of 50 feet, paved and curbed. The center line of said grading shall coincide with the center line of the street as opened.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading to width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of thirteen thousand (\$13,000.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 332.

No. 164

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Commercial street, from Blackhawk street to Whipple street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Commercial street, from Blackhawk street to Whipple street, be graded, paved and curbed.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Common-

wealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of fifteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$15,500.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 332.

No. 165

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading to a width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of Homestead street, from Nevada street to Pocono street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Homestead street, from Nevada street to Pocono street, be graded to a width of 50 feet, paved and curbed. The center line of said grading shall coincide with the center line of the street as opened.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading to width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the

total sum of thirty-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$32,500.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 333.

No. 166

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Hillcrest street, from North Fairmount street to North Rebecca street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Hillcrest street, from North Fairmount street to North Rebecca street, be graded, paved and curbed.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part

of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 334.

No. 167

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading to width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of Pocono street, from Whipple street to the City line, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Pocono street, from Whipple street to the City line be graded to width of 50 feet, paved and curbed. The center line of said grading shall coincide with the center line of the street as opened.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading to width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of eighteen thousand five hundred (\$18,500.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 335.

No. 168

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading to width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of Whipple street, from Goodman street to the City line, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Whipple street, from Goodman street to the City line be graded to width of 50 feet, paved and curbed. The center line of said grading shall coincide with the center line of the street as opened.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading to width of 50 feet, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of forty-five thousand (\$45,000.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, page 336.

No. 169

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and establishing the grade on Webster avenue, from Orion street to the southerly boundary line of the revised plan of Herron Hill Park.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That*

the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and the grade of the southerly and westerly curb line of Webster avenue from Orion street to the southerly boundary line of the revised plan of Herron Hill Park, be and the same are hereby fixed and established as follows, to-wit:

The sidewalks on the portion of the street, from Orion street to the first angle east (this portion of the street being 50 feet wide) shall have a uniform width of 10 feet and shall lie along and be parallel to their respective building lines.

The sidewalks, from the first angle east of Orion street to Finland street shall have a uniform width of nine feet and shall lie along and be parallel to their respective building lines.

The sidewalks, from Finland street to the southerly boundary line of the revised plan of Herron Hill Park shall have a uniform width of 11 feet and shall lie along and be parallel to their respective building lines.

The roadway shall be of a variable width and shall occupy the central portion of the street, between the lines of the sidewalks as above described.

The grade of the southerly and westerly curb line shall begin at the easterly curb line of Orion street at an elevation of 468.60 feet; thence rising at a rate of 2.4 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 390.0 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 477.96 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 60.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 478.29 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1.3 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 492.78 feet to the easterly curb line of Finland street, to an elevation of 471.88 feet; thence falling at a rate of 2.66 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 229.23 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 465.80 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 60.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 463.33 feet; thence falling at a rate of 5.56 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 302.22 feet to the southerly boundary line of the revised plan of Herron Hill Park to an elevation of 446.53 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 337.

No. 170

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Section 62, Line 2, Department of Public Works, Division of Public Utilities; Section 74, Line 2, Department of Pub-

lic Works, Water Accounting Division; Section 88, Line 4, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Parks; Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.", approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage of this Ordinance, Section 62, Department of Public Works, Division of Public Utilities of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.", approved January 22, 1919, shall be and the same is hereby amended by striking out Line 2 of said Section 62, which reads as follows:*

Stenographer-Clerk—

\$1230.00 per annum \$120.00

That Section 74, Department of Public Works, Water Accounting Division, shall be and the same is hereby amended by striking out Line 2 of said Section 74, which reads as follows:

Stenographer-Clerk—

\$1590.00 per annum \$120.00

That Section 88, Line 4, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Parks, which reads:

Two Clerks—

\$1230.00 each per annum \$120.00

Shall be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

One Clerk—\$1230.00 per annum \$120.00

That Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting,

Shall be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto to the following positions in addition to the positions fixed in this section in an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.," approved January 22, 1919:

One Stenographer-Clerk—

\$1230.00 per annum \$120.00

One Stenographer-Clerk—

\$1590.00 per annum \$120.00

One Clerk—

\$1230.00 per annum \$120.00

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 338.

No. 171

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for furnishing an automobile for the use of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contract to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for furnishing an automobile for the use of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, for a sum not to exceed \$1400.00, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the furnishing of said automobile in accordance with the laws and Ordinances governing said city.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the sum of \$1400.00, or so much thereof, as may be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account 1418-F, Equipment and Machinery, General Office, Bureau of Engineering.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 339.

No. 172

AN ORDINANCE—Designating Drake way as the name of an unnamed twenty (20') foot way, in the Tenth-Eleventh wards of the City of Pittsburgh as shown in Stanton Place Plan and W. H. Williams Plan of Lots, from Wellesley avenue to Springer way and establishing the grade thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That an unnamed twenty (20') foot way in the Tenth-Eleventh wards of the City of Pittsburgh as shown in Stanton place plan and W. H. Williams Plan of Lots, from Wellesley avenue to Springer way be and the same is hereby named and designated as Drake way.

The grade of the westerly line of Drake way shall begin at the southerly curb of Wellesley avenue, at an elevation of 203.72 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1 per cent for a distance of 524.20 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 208.96 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 211.96 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5 per cent for a distance of 136.75 feet to the northerly line of Springer way to an elevation of 218.80 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 339.

No. 173

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for changing front vestibule doors and for furnishing and erecting of a new screen and grating doors at all first floor openings at the South Side Market, and the setting aside of \$1500.00 from Code Account 1601-G for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the changing of front vestibule doors and the furnishing and erecting of new screen and grating doors at all first floor openings at the South Side Market, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing said city.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof the sum of \$1500.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account 1601-G, Structural and Non-Structural Improvements to the South Side Market, Bureau of City Property, and the Mayor and the Controller are authorized and directed to issue and countersign warrants in payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or

part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 340.

No. 174

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Section 140, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Tests, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof, etc." approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage of this Ordinance, Section 140, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Tests, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof, etc.", approved January 22, 1919, shall be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following positions in addition to the positions fixed in this section:*

Chemist Inspector—	
\$1,770.00 per annum	\$120.00
Stenographer-Clerk—	
\$1,230.00 per annum	120.00

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 341.

No. 175

AN ORDINANCE— Authorizing the director of the Department of Charities, City of Pittsburgh, to appoint medical and surgical consultants for the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Director of the Department of Charities, shall be and is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint from time to time such medical and surgical consultants as will be necessary, said*

consultants shall serve without any compensation.

Section 2. The consultants shall be persons qualified to practice medicine in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and who have had special training and experience in the handling of medical and surgical cases.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 342.

No. 176

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Line 16, Section 25, Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Electricity, of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, Line 16, Section 25, Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Electricity, of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads:*

Chauffeur, \$1 350.00 per annum \$120 00
shall be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Chauffeur \$1,470.00 per annum \$120.00

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 342.

No. 177

AN ORDINANCE — Prescribing the method of disbursement of the appropriation of \$25,000.00 made by Council as Appropriation No. 1027, Civic and War Committee.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the disbursement of said money appro-*

priated to the Civic and War Committee, Appropriation No. 1027, amounting in the aggregate to \$25,000.00, shall be placed under and in control of the Mayor of said City, who shall approve with the consent of the Finance Committee the vouchers presented for payment and issue and certify the payroll therefor.

Section 2. That the laws governing the disbursement and expenditure of city moneys shall be applicable to the expenditure of these funds.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 343.

No. 178

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile truck for the Bureau of Light.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for furnishing and delivery of one (1) automobile truck to the Bureau of Light, at a cost not to exceed the sum of thirty-five hundred (\$3500.00) dollars, in accordance with an Act of Assembly, entitled, "An Act for the government of Cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the Ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1675.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 343.

No. 179

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for Towel Service for the City County Building, Bureau of City Property, De-

partment of Public Works, from May 5, 1919, until December 31, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts for towel service for the City-County Building, Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works, from May 5, 1919, to December 31, 1919, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of the City Council in such cases made and provided; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), and charge the same to Code Account 1568, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of City Property.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 344.

No. 180

AN ORDINANCE — Repealing Ordinance No. 503, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the regrading, repaving and recurbng of Howard street as widened at the southeast corner of Staud street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," approved November 21, 1917.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Ordinance No. 503, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the regrading, repaving and recurbng of Howard street as widened at the southeast corner of Staud street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," approved November 21st, 1917, be and the same is hereby repealed and declared to be void and of no effect.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 345.

No. 181

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for additions and repairs to the power plant in the Department of Public Safety Building.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for additions and repairs to the Power Plant in the Department of Public Safety Building, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; the cost thereof shall not exceed the sum of twenty-seven hundred (\$2700.00) dollars; and to be charged to Code Account No. 1133, Item E, Repairs, General Office, Department of Public Safety.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.
Approved June 12, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 345.

No. 182

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade on Beechwood boulevard, from Hazelwood avenue to a point 129.95 feet northwardly therefrom.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the westerly curb of Beechwood boulevard, from Hazelwood avenue to a point 129.95 feet northwardly therefrom shall be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the north curb of Hazelwood avenue at an elevation of 355.92 feet; thence rising at the rate of 2.3 per cent for a distance of 21.84 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 356.42 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 15 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 356.35 feet; thence falling at a rate of 3.17 per cent for a distance of 93.11 feet to a point opposite the point of tangent on the easterly curb line to an elevation of 353.4 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.
Approved June 12, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 346.

No. 183

AN ORDINANCE — Establishing the grade on Lajole way, from Castlegate avenue to property line of the Brookline School.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the easterly building line of Lajole way, from Castlegate avenue to property line of the Brookline school be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northerly curb line of Castlegate avenue at an elevation of 541.37 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 18.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 542.97 feet; thence rising at a rate of 18.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 31.0 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 548.55 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 40 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 552.78 feet; thence rising at a rate of 3.16 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 212.64 feet to property line of the Brookline School, to an elevation of 559.50 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 9, 1919.
Approved June 12, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 346.

No. 184

AN ORDINANCE — Establishing and re-establishing the grade of Webster avenue, from Fullerton street to Roberts street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the northerly curb line of Webster avenue, from Fullerton street to Roberts street be and the same is hereby established and re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east curb line of

Fullerton street at an elevation of 215.73 feet (curb as set); thence rising at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 12 feet to the east line of Fullerton street, to an elevation of 216.33 feet; thence rising at the rate of 9.31 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 981.90 feet to the west line of Roberts street, to an elevation of 307.74 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 10 feet to the west curb line of Roberts street to an elevation of 308.24 feet (curb as set).

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 347.

No. 185

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Section 10, Mayor's Office, Transit Commission, of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof, etc." approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* from and after the passage of this Ordinance, Section 10, Mayor's Office, Transit Commission, of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof, etc." approved January 22, 1919, shall be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto the following position in addition to the positions fixed in this section.
Clerk.....\$125.00 per month

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 348.

No. 186

AN ORDINANCE — Opening Larimer street, in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Nelson street to Lemington avenue, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and

collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Larimer street, in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Nelson street to Lemington avenue be opened to a variable width in accordance with the Ordinance locating the same approved August 10, 1912, and recorded in Ordinance Book Vol. 24, Page 332.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Larimer street, in the Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Nelson street to Lemington avenue to be opened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby, and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 348.

No. 187

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the regrading, repaving and re-curbings of Stafford street, from Stadium street to a point 234.08 feet southwardly therefrom, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the regrading, repaving and re-curbings of Stafford street, from Stadium street to a point 234.08 feet southwardly therefrom, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordi-

nances governing said city.

Section 2. That for the payment of the cost thereof, the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants in payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 349.

No. 188

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh to proceed to condemn the property of Xavier Wittmer, et al., situated in the Eighth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, for public park purposes.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City of Pittsburgh deems it proper and expedient to exercise the power of eminent domain vested in said corporation for the acquisition by it of the real estate hereinafter mentioned and described to be used for public park purposes.

Therefore, The Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh, is hereby authorized and directed to proceed, in the name and on the behalf of the said City, to have taken, appropriated and condemned for public park purposes in the manner prescribed by law the real estate and property of Xavier Wittmer, Henry Wittmer, Thomas Wittmer, George Wittmer, Jr., and Roscoe H. Smith, Trustees, known as Wittmer Property Trustees, situated in the Eighth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the northerly line of Rebecca street with the easterly line of Liberty avenue; thence along said easterly line of Liberty avenue north 53° 06' 40" west for the distance of 190.73 feet to the southeasterly line of property of the City of Pittsburgh; thence along said line of property of the City of Pittsburgh north 7° 47' 35" east for the distance of 14.42 feet to the southerly line of Baum boulevard, as opened by an Ordinance

approved December 14, 1911; thence along said southerly line of Baum boulevard, north 70° 33' 20" east for the distance of 195.67 feet to the aforesaid northerly line of Rebecca street; thence along said northerly line of Rebecca street south 9° 55' 20" east for the distance of 196.85 feet to the place of beginning.

And the City of Pittsburgh does hereby elect and resolve to take, use and appropriate the said real estate and land for the purposes aforesaid, the damages therefor not having been agreed upon between the said City and the said owner.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 350.

No. 189

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Section 56, Department of Public Works, Division of Bridges, of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all Departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, by adding one (1) Chief Inspector at eighteen hundred (\$1800.00) dollars per annum.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Section 56, Department of Public Works, Division of Bridges, of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all Departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, approved January 22, 1919, be amended by adding one (1) Chief Inspector at eighteen hundred (\$1800.00) dollars per annum.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 351.

No. 190

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the payment of additional compensation to certain employees in the Bureaus of Fire and Electricity in the Department

of Public Safety for the period from July 10, 1918, to January 21, 1919, both inclusive.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That there shall be paid to the following designated employees in the Bureaus of Fire and Electricity in the Department of Public Safety, for the period beginning July 10, 1918, and ending January 21, 1919, as additional compensation, the difference between the wage received by them during said period and the rate of wage fixed for said employees by the Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, less the allowance for high cost of living included in said salary rate for 1919, to-wit:

Training School Instructors, Fuel Wagon Drivers, Captains, Lieutenants, Engineers, Drivers, Hosemen and Laddersmen, in the Bureau of Fire; and Chief Fire Alarm Operator and Fire Alarm Operators, in the Bureau of Electricity.

Section 2. Payment of said additional compensation shall be made on payrolls approved by the Director of the Department of Public Safety, and the Mayor is hereby authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants for said additional compensation, in accordance with Section 1 of this Ordinance, and charge the same to Code Account No. 1169-AM, Firemen's Equalization Fund.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 351.

No. 191

AN ORDINANCE—Regulating the installation of wires for electric light, heat, power and certain signal systems in certain classes of buildings; requiring all such wires hereafter installed in such buildings to be made and maintained in accordance with this Ordinance; providing penalties for the violation of the provisions thereof; all with a view of preventing loss of life, limb and property.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That from and after the passage and ap-

proval of this Ordinance, the following provisions regulating wires for electric light, heat, power and certain signal systems shall be in full force and effect.

Section 2. From and after the approval of this ordinance all wires for electric light, heat and power purposes, and certain signal systems, described in Section 3 hereof, hereafter installed in school buildings, auditoriums, churches, places of amusements, garages, storerooms, apartment buildings for three or more families, warehouses, office buildings, places of business and public buildings, shall be installed in rigid or flexible metal conduit, armored conductors or metal moldings.

Section 3. The signal systems referred to in Section 2 hereof are those deriving current directly from lighting circuits of 30 volts or more and all systems under 30 volts when same are installed in elevator shafts and used in connection with the operation of the elevators.

Section 4. All main service wires for light and power shall be run in metal conduit, rigid or flexible, and such wires shall not be smaller than No. 10 B. & S. gauge.

Section 5. All installations described in Sections 2 and 3 of this Ordinance shall be complete with fittings and appliances as required by the Electrical Regulations of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be maintained to comply with said regulations.

Section 6. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall, upon the conviction thereof, before any Alderman or Police Magistrate of the City of Pittsburgh, be subject to a fine not exceeding \$100.00 and costs for any one offense and, in default of payment of said fine and costs, shall be subject to imprisonment in the County Jail for a period not exceeding thirty (30) days.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 352.

No. 192

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Estate of Henry Rea, Jr., his heirs, successors and assigns, the right to build, construct, maintain and use a certain brick, steel and reinforced concrete warehouse, structure or building over and across Gasoline street at a point from the southerly line of Sec-

ond avenue to a point on the northerly line of Greenough street in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, subject to the terms and conditions of this Ordinance.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Estate of Henry Rea, Jr., his heirs, successors and assigns, is hereby given the right and authority to build, construct, maintain and use a brick, steel and reinforced concrete warehouse, structure or building over and across Gasoline street at a point from the southerly line of Second avenue to a point on the northerly line of Greenough street in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh for the purpose of connecting the warehouse situate on the easterly side of Gasoline street to the warehouse now being erected and constructed on the westerly side of Gasoline street, six (6) stories in height; subject to the provisions of this Ordinance. The foregoing building or structure shall be built and constructed in the said location and shall have a vertical clearance of not less than fourteen and one-half (14½) feet from the grade of Gasoline street and in full conformity with the plans on file in the Department of Public Works, Division of Public Utilities, City of Pittsburgh, identified as Folder "A", Accession No. A-121, and said plan shall be entitled "Proposed Plan Showing Structure Over and Across Gasoline Street."

Section 2. The building, construction and maintenance and use of the said overhead structure or warehouse shall at all times be subject to the approval of the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinated to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over city streets and to the Ordinances of the said City relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general ordinance, which may hereafter be passed relating to the building, construction, operation, maintenance and use of overhead and underground structures on City streets.

Section 4. The said grantee, his heirs, successors and assigns, shall be liable for all damages to persons or property, including the street and overhead structures therein by reason of the building, construction, maintenance, and use of said overhead warehouse structure.

Section 5. The said grantee, his heirs, successors and assigns, shall at his own cost and expense repair and replace all street pavements, side-walks, surface, subsurface and overhead structures, which are in any way damaged or

destroyed in the construction, maintenance and use of the said overhead warehouse structure, all of which work shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the Director of the Department of Public Works of the said City.

Section 6. The rights herein granted may be cancelled or revoked at any time hereafter upon twelve months' notice by the Director of the Department of Public Works to the Estate of Henry Rea, Jr., his heirs, successors and assigns, and thereupon the said Estate of Henry Rea, Jr., his heirs, successors and assigns, shall remove the said overhead warehouse structure from Gasoline street and replace the same in good condition under the direction of the Director of the Department of Public Works.

Section 7. The said grantee, his heirs, successors and assigns, hereby agrees to pay all the taxes levied against and upon said overhead warehouse building constructed, maintained and used over and across the said Gasoline street in the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 8. This Ordinance shall not become operative unless the said Estate of Henry Rea, Jr., his heirs, successors or assigns, shall within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval thereof file acceptance in writing by the proper legal officer of said estate with the City Controller of this Ordinance, with all the terms and conditions thereof.

Section 9. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 353.

No. 193

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalk of Stadium street, from Radcliffe street to Stafford street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width and position of the roadway and sidewalk of Stadium street, from Radcliffe street to Stafford street shall be and the same are hereby fixed as follows, to-wit:

The southerly sidewalk shall have a uniform width of eight (8) feet and shall lie along and parallel the southerly line of the street.

The roadway shall have a uniform width of 20.25 feet and shall lie along and parallel the southerly sidewalk, as above described.

The remainder of the street shall be used for the construction of retaining wall, etc.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.
Approved June 26, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 355.

No. 194

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the width and position of the roadway and sidewalks on Beltzhoover avenue, from Hartford way to Michigan street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width and position of the roadway and sidewalks of Beltzhoover avenue, from Hartford way to Michigan street shall be and the same is hereby fixed as follows, to-wit:

The westerly sidewalk shall be of a uniform width of ten (10) feet and shall lie along and parallel the westerly line of the street.

The roadway shall have a uniform width of thirty-two (32) feet and shall lie along and parallel the westerly sidewalk as above described.

The easterly sidewalk shall have a variable width and occupy that portion of the street lying between the City line and the easterly line of the roadway as above described.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.
Approved June 26, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 356.

No. 195

AN ORDINANCE — Establishing the grade of Perry street, from Webster avenue to a point 214.50 feet northwardly therefrom.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the west curb line of Perry street, from Webster avenue to a point 214.50 feet northwardly therefrom be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the north curb line of

Webster avenue at an elevation of 340.82 feet (curb as set); thence rising at the rate of 1.2 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 226.50 feet to a point, to an elevation of 343.54 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.
Approved June 26, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 356.

No. 196

AN ORDINANCE—Accepting the dedication of certain property in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes, opening the same as an extension of Love street and establishing the grade thereof.

Whereas, The Board of Public Education of the School District of Pittsburgh, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, owner of the property herein after described has executed and delivered to the City of Pittsburgh its certain deed of dedication bearing date March 28, 1919, now on file in the office of the Bureau of Engineering of said City, wherein it has conveyed said ground to said City for public street or public highway purposes for the extension of Love street and has released said City from any liability for damage for or by reason of the physical grading of said lot or piece of ground to the grade hereinafter established; Therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the said deed of dedication be and the same is hereby accepted and the Bureau of Engineering is hereby authorized and directed to place the same of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., for the County of Allegheny.

Section 2. The ground so as aforesaid conveyed to said City for public highway purposes shall be and the same is hereby appropriated and opened as a public highway, as an extension of Love street, in accordance with the terms of said deed of dedication, the same being bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the southerly line of Love street, as laid out in McKelvey Grove Plan of Lots recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., for Allegheny County in Plan Book Vol. 19, Pages 76-77, at its intersection with the easterly line of lot marked "A" in said

plan, which is also the easterly property line of said plan; thence along said easterly line of said plan north 3° 36' 50" east for the distance of 63.51 feet to the southerly line of Onondago street, as laid out in the "Homestead Bank and Life Insurance Plan of Lots," recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., in Plan Book Vol. 4, Pages 244-245; thence along the southerly line of Onondago street as laid out in said plan south 56° 23' 10" east for the distance of 110.78 feet to the southerly line of Love street produced, as laid out in said McKelvey Grove Plan; thence along said southerly line of Love street produced south 88° 46' 40" west for the distance of 96.28 feet to the place of beginning, containing 3,046.48 square feet.

Section 3. The grade of said Extension of Love street is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

The grade of the southerly curb line shall begin on the westerly curb line of Whipple street at an elevation of 226.32 feet; thence falling at the rate of 1 per cent for the distance of 82.84 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 225.49 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 60 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 225.42 feet; thence rising at the rate of .75 per cent for the distance of 2.61 feet to a point, to an elevation of 225.44 feet.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and appropriate the said described ground for a public highway in conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.
Approved June 26, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 357.

No. 197

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Berthoud street and Wallace street, from a point about 20 feet southwest of Robinson street, to the existing sewer on Wallace street at Carrillo street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That*

a Public Sewer be constructed on Berthoud street and Wallace street, from a point about 20 feet southwest of Robinson street to the existing sewer on Wallace street at Carrillo street. Commencing on Berthoud street at a point about 20 feet southwest of Robinson street; thence southwestwardly along Berthoud street to Wallace street; thence southeastwardly along Wallace street to the existing sewer on Wallace street at Carrillo street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen inches (15") in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of forty-two hundred dollars (\$4,200.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.
Approved June 26, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 358.

No. 198

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Esplanade street, from a point about 10 feet south of Hemlock street to the existing sewer on Esplanade street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* a Public Sewer be constructed on Esplanade street, from a point about 10 feet south of Hemlock street to the existing sewer on Esplanade street. Com-

mencing on Esplanade street at a point about 10 feet south of Hemlock street; thence southwardly along Esplanade street to the existing sewer on Esplanade street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and six (6") inches in diameter, with six (6") inch lateral sewers extending from the main sewer to a point one foot (1') inside the east curb line.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinance and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 359.

No. 199

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the setting aside of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) from the Contingent Fund Code Account No. 42 for the expenses incurred in parade and concert bands and athletic and aquatic sports in the celebration of the Fourth day of July, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City Controller shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to set aside from the Contingent Fund Code Account No. 42, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) for the purpose of paying expenses incurred in parade and concert bands and athletic and aquatic sports in the public celebration of the

Fourth day of July, commonly called "Independence Day."

Section 2. Said money is to be dispersed on Department of Public Works departmental orders; and bill rolls to be approved by the Director of the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 360.

No. 200

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for repairs in the South Side Market and the setting aside of \$12,715.00 from Code Account 1599-E, Repairs to South Side Market, Bureau of City Property, for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the construction of repairs in the South Side Market and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing the said City.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the sum of \$12,715.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account 1599-E, Repairs to South Side Market, Bureau of City Property, and the Mayor and the Controller respectively are authorized and directed to issue and countersign warrants in payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 361.

No. 201

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the regrading, repaving, recurbing and otherwise improving of Irwin avenue as widened at its intersection with North avenue; Beechwood boulevard as widened at its intersection with Hazelwood avenue; Mansfield avenue as widened at its intersection with South Main street; and for the widening, repaving and recurbing of the roadway of Shady avenue at the second angle southwardly from Fifth avenue, and of the roadway of Mansfield avenue at the first angle southeastwardly from South Main street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and they are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the re-improvement of the following streets, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing said City:*

Regrading, Repaving, Recurbing and otherwise Improving,

	Estimated Cost
Irwin avenue as widened at its intersection with North avenue	\$ 900.00
Beechwood boulevard as widened at its intersection with Hazelwood avenue.....	2,400.00
Mansfield avenue as widened at its intersection with South Main street.....	1,200.00
Widening, Repaving and Recurbing, Roadway of Shady avenue at the second angle southwardly from Fifth avenue	800.00
Roadway of Mansfield avenue at the first angle southeastwardly from South Main street.....	800.00
Total.....	\$6,100.00

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the various sums set forth in Section 1 of this Ordinance, amounting in the aggregate to \$6,100.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 361.

No. 202

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the construction of an 18-inch terra cotta pipe storm drain on the southwest sidewalk of Pioneer avenue and the east sidewalk of McConnell avenue from the existing 18 inch terra cotta pipe storm drain on the southwest sidewalk of Pioneer avenue to a surface drain on the east sidewalk of McConnell avenue at a point about 40 feet south of Pioneer avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the construction of an 18-inch terra cotta pipe storm drain on the southwest sidewalk of Pioneer avenue and the east sidewalk of McConnell avenue, from the existing 18-inch terra cotta pipe storm drain on the southwest sidewalk of Pioneer avenue to a surface drain on the east sidewalk of McConnell avenue at a point about 40 feet south of Pioneer avenue and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and Ordinances governing the said City.*

LOCATION OF STORM DRAIN TO BE CONSTRUCTED

Commencing by intercepting the existing 18-inch terra cotta pipe storm drain on the southwest sidewalk of Pioneer avenue at a point about 250 feet southeast of McConnell avenue; thence northwestwardly along the southwest sidewalk of Pioneer avenue to the east sidewalk of McConnell avenue; thence southwestwardly along the east sidewalk of McConnell avenue to a surface drain at a point about 40 feet south of Pioneer avenue. Said storm drain to be terra cotta pipe and eighteen (18") inches in diameter.

Section 2. That for the payment of the cost thereof, the sum of one thou-

sand two hundred dollars (\$1,200.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account 1478-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn in payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 362.

No. 203

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and delivery of one (1) seven ton Horizontal Engine Steam Tandem Roller and one (1) five ton Horizontal Engine Steam Tandem Roller for the Asphalt Plants of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, and providing for the payment thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for the furnishing and delivery of one (1) seven ton Horizontal Engine Steam Tandem Roller and one (1) five ton Horizontal Engine Steam Tandem Roller for the Asphalt Plants of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, for a sum not to exceed six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6 500.00) in accordance with the Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved the 7th day of March, A. D. 1901, and the different supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided.*

Section 2. That the sum of six thousand five hundred dollars, (\$6,500.00), or so much of the same as may be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby set apart and appropriated for the payment required for the performance of the above mentioned work and that said amount shall be paid out of Code Account No. 1558, Equipment and Machinery, Asphalt Plants, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Section 3. That Ordinance No. 137, being an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance

providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing and delivery of one (1) seven ton Horizontal Engine Steam Tandem Roller and one (1) five-ton Horizontal Engine Steam Tandem Roller for the Asphalt Plants of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, and providing for the payment thereof," approved May 26, 1919, recorded in Ordinance Book Vol. 30, Page 300, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 7, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 363.

No. 204

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts, for the furnishing of one (1) automobile truck, for the Bureau of Electricity, City of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for furnishing one (1) automobile truck for the Bureau of Electricity, at a cost not to exceed the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars, the same to be payable from Code Account No. 1177, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of Cities of second class," approved March 7th, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided.*

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 364.

No. 205

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for remodeling and repairing Engine House No. 11, Bureau of Fire.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts for remodeling and repairing No. 11 Engine House, Bureau of Fire, corner South Ninth and Bingham streets, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly, entitled, "An Act for the government of Cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of eleven thousand (\$11,000.00) dollars, and to be charged to Code Account No. 1166, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Fire.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 365.

No. 206

AN ORDINANCE—Accepting the dedication of certain property in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same "Romanhoff Street," and establishing the grade thereof.

Whereas, Amanda M. Dewhurst, Sarah E. Miles, George Metzger, Fridolin Metzger and Anna Metzger, his wife, all of the City of Pittsburgh, County of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania, and Nathaniel Miles of the City of New York and State of New York the owners of the property hereinafter described, have executed and delivered to the City of Pittsburgh their certain deed of dedication bearing date of April 16, 1919, now on file in the Bureau of Engineering of said City, wherein they have conveyed said ground to said City for public highway purposes and have released said City from any liability for or by reason of the physical grading of said public highway to the grade hereinafter established; therefore:

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the said deed of dedication be and the same is hereby accepted and the Bureau of Engineering is hereby authorized and directed to place the same of record in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., in and for the County of Allegheny.

Section 2. The ground, so as aforesaid conveyed to the said City for public highway purposes, shall be and the same is hereby appropriated and opened as a public highway in accordance with the terms of said deed of dedication and shall be known as "Romanhoff Street," the same being bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Rockledge street as widened to a width of fifty (50) feet by Ordinance No. 523, approved February 14, 1911, at a distance of 271.94 feet northwardly from the northerly line of Miles way, as laid out in Christian Hetzels' Plan, recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., for Allegheny County in Plan Book Vol. 9, Page 6, and on the northerly line of property of Fridolin Metzger and Anna Metzger, his wife; thence along said northerly line of property of Fridolin Metzger and Anna Metzger his wife, and said property line produced north 77° 20' east for the distance of 203.6 feet to the westerly line of the Joseph Hartle Plan of Lots; thence along said westerly line of the said plan north 13° 30' west for the distance of 40 feet to a point on the southerly line of property of George Metzger, produced; thence along the said southerly line of property of George Metzger south 77° 20' west for the distance of 208.6 feet to the easterly line of property of Katherine Linkenheimer, formerly property of the Jenny Heirs; thence along said easterly property line south 13° 30' east for the distance of 9.19 feet to the northerly line of Romanhoff street, as widened by Ordinance No. 524, approved February 14, 1911; thence along said northerly line of Romanhoff street due east for the distance of 5.14 feet to the aforesaid easterly line of Rockledge street; thence along the said easterly line of Rockledge street south 13° 30' east for the distance of 29.68 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 3. The grade of Romanhoff street, from Rockledge street to the westerly line of the Joseph Hartle Plan of Lots, is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

The grade of the southerly curb line shall begin on the easterly curb of Rockledge street, at an elevation of 402.29 feet; thence falling at a rate of 8 per cent. for a distance of 10.0 feet to an elevation of 401.49 feet; thence falling at a rate of 13 per cent. for a distance of 203.6 feet to the westerly line of the Joseph Hartle Plan of Lots to an elevation of 375.02 feet.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and appropriate the said described ground for a public highway, in conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part

of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 366.

No. 207

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Eberhardt avenue, from Froman street to property line at the easterly terminus thereof, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Whereas, it appears by the petition and affidavit on file in the office of the City Clerk that a majority of property owners in interest and number abutting upon the line of Eberhardt avenue, between Froman street and property line at the easterly terminus thereof, have petitioned the Council of the City of Pittsburgh to enact an ordinance for the grading, paving and curbing of the same; therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Eberhardt avenue, from Froman street to property line at the easterly terminus thereof be graded, paved and curbed.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part

of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 367.

No. 208

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of St. Martins street, from Birmingham street to Monastery street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That St. Martins street, from Birmingham street to Monastery street be graded, paved and curbed. The grading of the roadway and sidewalks thereof to conform to the width and position fixed by Ordinance No. 529, approved December 13, 1917.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of thirty-two thousand (\$32,000) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 368.

No. 209

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Welfer street, from Frank street to the existing sewer on Welfer street at a point about 300 feet east of Frank street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Welfer street, from Frank street to the existing sewer on Welfer street at a point about 300 feet east of Frank street. Commencing on Welfer street at Frank street; thence eastwardly along Welfer street to the existing sewer on Welfer street at a point about 300 feet east of Frank street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter with nine (9") inch lateral sewers extending from the main sewer to a point one (1') foot inside the curb line.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of twenty-three hundred dollars (\$2,300.00) which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 369.

No. 210

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Veronica street, from Sunde-

man street to the easterly line of Jno. N. Straub's Plan of Lots, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Veronica street from Sundeman street to the easterly line of Jno. N. Straub's Plan of Lots be graded, paved and curbed.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of eleven thousand four hundred (\$11,400.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 370.

No. 211

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts jointly with the County Commissioners for additional work on the City-County Building, and providing for the payment of the cost of the city's share thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works be and they are hereby authorized and directed to

enter into a contract or contracts jointly with the County Commissioners of Allegheny County for additional work on the City-County Building within the square bound by Grant street, Ross street, Diamond street and Fourth avenue, City of Pittsburgh, and to enter into a contract or contracts jointly with said County Commissioners with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing the said City.

Section 2. The said contract or contracts shall provide that the City shall pay for the costs of the part of the building owned by it, being one-half the total cost involved in the erection and construction of the building complete, in accordance with the architect's plans and specifications. That for the payment of the City's portion of the costs thereof, the sum of \$15,926.52, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby set apart and appropriated from Appropriation No. 156, "City Hall Bonds," and the Mayor and the Director are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and the Controller to countersign warrants drawn on said funds for the payment of the costs of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.
Approved July 11, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 371.

No. 212

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of a retaining wall on Leander street between Rust way and the westerly terminus thereof, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the reconstruction of a retaining wall on Leander street between Rust way and the westerly terminus thereof, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing said City.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof the sum of twenty thousand (\$20,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account No. 1490-G, Retaining Wall Schedule, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are respectively authorized and directed to issue and countersign warrants in payment of the costs of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.
Approved July 11, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 372.

No. 213

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile for the City Treasurer's office, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for furnishing one (1) automobile for the City Treasurer's Office, at a cost not to exceed the sum of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00), in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of Cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided, the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1066.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.
Approved July 11, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 372.

No. 214

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the leasing of a building site of city property at the southwest corner of the Smithfield Street Bridge at Water street and Smithfield street in the City of

Pittsburgh to George T. Byrne, and fixing the term, rental and conditions thereof.

Whereas, One, George T. Byrne, has offered to lease from the City of Pittsburgh a building site on the southwest corner of Smithfield Street Bridge at Water street and Smithfield street in the City of Pittsburgh, upon certain terms and conditions; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works be and they are hereby authorized to enter into a lease with George T. Byrne for a building site on the property of the City of Pittsburgh at the southwest corner of the Smithfield Street Bridge at Water and Smithfield streets, sufficient for the erection of a one story concrete building with basement 40x30 feet in dimensions. Said lease shall provide that said building shall be erected at a cost from three to four thousand dollars (\$3,000.00 to \$4,000.00), and shall be used exclusively by said lessee as a fruit and confectionery store.

Said lessee shall further provide for the equipping and maintaining of a public comfort station, in such portion of said building as the Director of the Department of Public Works shall designate, and also for a shelter platform for the use of the public. Said comfort station and shelter platform to be under the supervision of the Director of the Department of Public Works.

Said lease shall further provide that the plans and specifications for said building shall be submitted to and approved by the Director of the Department of Public Works, and shall be built in accordance with said plans and specifications.

Said lessee shall further provide for (5) years from date thereof, at an annual rental of \$600.00, payable monthly in advance, or any extension thereof by the City not exceeding a total term of ten (10) years, and at the end of the term, or at the termination of this lease, the building to be erected on said site shall become the property of the City of Pittsburgh.

Said lease shall contain a further provision that the said George T. Byrne waives any claim for damages against the City by reason of the widening or change of grade on Water street, which may hereafter be provided for by ordinances of Council.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same

is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 373.

No. 215

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Charities of the City of Pittsburgh, to advertise for and award to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders a contract or contracts for the construction of an extension to the present coal handling machinery in the power house at the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa., and setting aside the sum of four thousand (\$4,000.00) dollars, for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Charities of the City of Pittsburgh shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the construction of an extension to the present coal handling machinery in the power house at the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Mayview, Pa., for a sum not to exceed four thousand \$4,000.00) dollars, in accordance with an Act of Assembly, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D. 1901, and the several supplements and amendment thereto and the ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided.

Section 2. That the sum of four thousand (\$4,000.00) dollars, or so much of same as may be necessary, shall be and is hereby set apart and appropriated for the payment or payments required for the cost of the above-mentioned work and that the said amount or amounts to be paid out of the proceeds of the Bond Issue, authorized by an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase in the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, in the sum of three hundred and sixty thousand (\$360,000.00) dollars, and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount, to provide funds for the improvements to the City Home for the Poor at Marshalsea, including the acquisition of additional lands and the erection and equipment of new buildings and addition to existing buildings and other improvements" approved July 8, 1914.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part

of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 374.

No. 216

AN ORDINANCE—Designating "Adaza way" as the name of an unnamed twenty foot way laid out in E. G. Moony's Plan of Lots, in the Seventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Akron way westwardly to the westerly line of the plan and establishing the grade thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the unnamed twenty foot way laid out in E. G. Moony's Plan of Lots, approved March 16, 1893, in the Seventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Akron way westwardly to the westerly line of the said plan be and the same is hereby named and designated as "Adaza way."*

Section 2. The grade of the northerly line of said way shall begin on the westerly line of Akron way at an elevation of 203.13 feet; thence falling at the rate of 1 foot per 100 feet for the distance of 219.07 feet to the westerly line of Edward G. Moony's Plan of Lots to an elevation of 200.94 feet.

And the said way shall hereafter be known as "Adaza Way."

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 375.

No. 217

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, to hire automobile trucks and wagons and teams when required and providing for the payment thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to hire automobile trucks and wagons and teams for the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, when required, during the fiscal year of*

1919; the rental for the said automobile trucks and wagons and teams to be based upon the prevailing rates charged in the City of Pittsburgh for the use of the same.

Section 2. That all moneys expended by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers for the hire of the said automobile trucks and wagons and teams shall be chargeable to and paid from appropriations for Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, for the fiscal year of 1919.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 376.

No. 218

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Dunkirk street, from North Fairmount street 272.0 feet eastwardly to the easterly line of the A. J. Davis Estate Plan.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of the north curb of Dunkirk street, from North Fairmount street 272.0 feet eastwardly to the easterly line of the A. J. Davis Estate Plan shall be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:*

Beginning on the east curb of North Fairmount street, at an elevation of 279.62 feet; thence falling at the rate of 4 per cent for a distance of 282.01 feet to the easterly line of the A. J. Davis Estate Plan, to an elevation of 268.34 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 17, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 377.

No. 219

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of Akron way, from Alder street to the southerly line of Edward G. Mooney Plan of Lots.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of the easterly line of Akron*

way, from Alder street to the southerly line of Edward G. Mooney Plan of Lots be and the same is hereby established, as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the south curb line of Alder street at an elevation of 199.01 feet, curb as set; thence rising at the rate of 2.75 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 142.44 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 202.93 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 40 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 202.94 feet; thence falling at the rate of 2.68 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 84.20 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 200.63 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 30 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 200.13 feet; thence falling at the rate of 1 foot per 100 feet for the distance of 13.20 feet to the north curb line of Holden street to an elevation of 200.0 feet (curb as set); thence rising for the distance of 30.07 feet to the south curb line of Holden street to an elevation of 200.11 feet (curb as set); thence rising at the rate of 1.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 10.0 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 200.26 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 30 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 200.95 feet; thence rising at the rate of 3.12 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 76.34 feet to the southerly line of Edward G. Mooney Plan of Lots, to an elevation of 203.33 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.
Approved July 11, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 377.

No. 220

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade on Marshall avenue, from Perrysville avenue to Goshen street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the south curb line of Marshall avenue, from Perrysville avenue to Goshen street shall be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the easterly curb of Perrysville avenue at an elevation of 453.20 feet; thence rising at a rate of 7 per cent for a distance of 140 feet to the westerly line of Sonora way, to an elevation of 463.0 feet; thence level for a distance of 23.82 feet to the easterly line of Sonora way; thence falling at

a rate of 5 per cent for a distance of 58.20 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 460.09 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 240.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 433.69 feet; thence falling at a rate of 17 per cent for a distance of 166.71 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 405.35 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 46.94 feet to the westerly curb line of Goshen street, to an elevation of 400.87 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.
Approved July 11, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 378.

No. 221

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade on Marshall avenue, from Brighton road to a point 400.89 feet eastwardly therefrom.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the southerly curb line of Marshall avenue, from Brighton road to a point 400.89 feet eastwardly therefrom shall be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the easterly curb of Brighton road at an elevation of 205.49 feet; thence rising at a rate of 3.82 per cent for a distance of 81.55 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 208.6 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 60.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 212.01 feet; thence rising at the rate of 7.54 per cent for a distance of 259.34 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 231.58 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.
Approved July 11, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 379.

No. 222

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Armitage way, from North Fairmount street to the easterly terminus at a point 216.33 feet eastwardly therefrom, and providing that the costs,

damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Armitage way, from North Fairmount street to the easterly terminus at a point 216.33 feet eastwardly therefrom be graded, paved and curbed.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise, in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of four thousand (\$4,000.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 379.

No. 223

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Melwood street, from Ridgeway street to Denver street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Melwood street, from Ridgway street to Denver street, be graded, paved and curbed.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with

the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of ninety thousand dollars (\$90,000.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 380.

No. 224

AN ORDINANCE—Directing the Directors of the several departments of the City Government to allow to employees who were in the United States army, navy and marine corps during the World War and who were working at the time of entering the army under a graduated wage salary the same benefit that would accrue to them if they had continued in the City service.

Whereas, during the period in which a number of men employed in the Department of Public Safety in the Bureau of Fire and Police, were in the service of the United States government in the army, navy or marines, they passed from one grade of salary to another based upon the term of service as provided in the salary ordinance; and

Whereas, The Department of Public Safety is said to be so interpreting the law as to deprive said employees of the advantage of having the time spent in the service count in the time to their credit as City employees;

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Directors of the several departments of the City Government where the salary of any employee who served or is still in service in the army, navy*

or marine corps of the United States during the World War is fixed by a graduated scale shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to allow any time spent in the United States army, navy or marine corps as a part of the terms of their employment with the City of Pittsburgh as fully and to the same extent as though they had been continuously on duty in said employment during said period of the war.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 381.

No. 225

AN ORDINANCE— Authorizing and directing partial payments to be made to M. O'Herron Co. for the grading, regrading, paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving Carson street west.

Whereas, The City has let certain contracts to M. O'Herron Company for the grading, regrading, paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving Carson street west which improvements were authorized by ordinances which provided that the costs, damages and expenses be assessed against property benefited, and,

Whereas, But a small portion of the cost of said improvements can be assessed against property benefited, and the City knowing this fact authorized an increase of indebtedness in the sum of three hundred ninety thousand dollars (\$390,000.00), for the purpose of paying any amount assessed against it by reason thereof, and,

Whereas, It is now evident that the City's share of said cost will not be less than said amount, and the City is desirous of making partial payments to the contractor on account thereof, in advance of the actual assessment against said City, now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the proper City officers be and they are hereby authorized and directed upon the consent in writing of the bondsmen of the said contractor, filed with the City Controller to issue partial estimates to said contractor on account of said improvements, and to pay the said contractor seventy-five (75%) percent of said estimates, in advance of the completion of the work and the making of an assessment against said City; and the

Mayor is authorized to issue and the Controller to countersign warrants therefor, up to the sum of three hundred and three thousand, seven hundred and fifty (\$303,750.00) dollars, drawn on the proceeds of the West Carson Street Improvement Bonds which were issued for that purpose.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 382.

No. 226

AN ORDINANCE— Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a contract with the W. W. Lawrence & Company, a corporation of the State of Pennsylvania and owner of certain property including a six-story warehouse building on the northeast side of Carson Street West, in the Nineteenth ward, City; relating to the construction of an arcade over the sidewalk and to the making of various changes and alterations in said building so as to provide a continuous sidewalk for the use of the public, and providing the conditions and payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh, be and they are hereby authorized and directed to make, execute and deliver, in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, and for the City of Pittsburgh, the following contract with the W. W. Lawrence & Company, a corporation of the State of Pennsylvania, and affix thereto the corporate seal of the said City of Pittsburgh.

AGREEMENT.

Made thisday of 1919, between the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation of the County of Allegheny, Pennsylvania, and a city of the second class, party of the first part, hereinafter called "City," and W. W. Lawrence & Company, a corporation of the State of Pennsylvania, hereinafter called "Company", party of the second part.

Whereas, said Company is the owner, inter alia, of certain property on the northeast side of Carson Street West, in the Nineteenth ward of the said City, upon which is erected a six-story warehouse building, the front of which ex-

tends out to the street line of said street, as established by ordinance, approved November 24, 1873, and,

Whereas, said City, by Ordinance No. 234, approved August 5, 1918, widened said street on both sides of said building, so that at the present time ten feet of the front part of said building and the ground on which it is erected extends beyond the northeasterly line projected of said street, as widened by said ordinance, and,

Whereas, said City desires to procure from said Company, the right for pedestrians to use that portion of the street floor of said building (being the third floor of said building as now constructed) extending beyond the northeasterly line of said street projected as widened by said ordinance, so as to make a substantially continuous sidewalk for the use of pedestrians, and

Whereas, to accomplish this result without otherwise interfering with said building, it will be necessary to arcade the street floor of said building, which will necessitate various changes and alterations in the building, to enable said company to have substantially the same access to the building from the street as it now has,

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for the considerations and advantages moving from one to the other, hereinafter mentioned, the parties hereto do mutually covenant and agree to and with each other and their successors and assigns, forever, as follows:

1. Said company agrees to arcade the street floor of said building and to remodel, change and alter said building, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the W. G. Wilkins Company, Engineers and Architects of the City of Pittsburgh, which plans have been submitted to and approved by the Director of the Department of Public Works of said city, and are authenticated by the signatures of the Director of said Department and the President of said Company, and which plans and specifications, by reference thereto, are made part hereof. The portion of said building to be arcaded lies between the northeasterly line of Carson Street West, as established by Ordinance, approved November 24, 1873, of record in Ordinance Book, Vol. 3, Page 426, and a line parallel to and ten feet northwardly therefrom.

2. The arcade shall be so constructed that the public shall have the free and uninterrupted use of the arcaded street floor of said building for sidewalk purposes, with a clear head room of eleven (11) feet above the grade of said street as established by Ordinance No. 238, approved August 5, 1918, except to the extent that the same is now occupied by piers extending along the street line, which support the front part of said

building, which piers the company shall have the right to maintain on the present location thereof as shown on the plans hereto attached and made part hereof.

3. Upon the completion of said arcade and so long as said Ordinance No. 238, approved August 5, 1918, remains in force and effect, the public shall have the right to free and uninterrupted travel across and through said arcade as though it were a regular public sidewalk of said city. This right, however, not to affect in any manner whatsoever, the right of said company to maintain said building above or below the portions so arcaded.

4. It is understood and agreed that the construction of said arcade will make it necessary for said company to make various changes and alterations in the building, for the purpose of enabling said Company to have access hereafter substantially equivalent to what it now has, the changes and alterations so required being provided for in said plans and specifications.

It is understood and agreed that neither the City nor the public are to acquire any rights in respect to said building or the ground on which it is erected other than the right of the public to free and uninterrupted use of said arcaded floor of said building for sidewalk purposes, and it is further understood and agreed that nothing contained in this contract shall in any wise abridge or bar the right of the City to take and appropriate that portion of the property or building arcaded for street purposes in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania now in force or hereafter to be passed.

6. Said City agrees to pay said Company the actual cost of the construction of said arcade, and the actual cost of making the changes and alterations shown on said plans and specifications, and also the actual cost of said services of said W. G. Wilkins Company for the preparation of plans and specifications for and supervision of the work of constructing said arcade, and the remodeling and changes provided for in said plans and specifications.

7. Said company has solicited proposals for the doing of said work in accordance with said plans and specifications from three responsible Building Contractors engaged in business in said City, and the lowest bid received therefor from such Contractor was the sum of \$10,585.00. Said Company agrees to let said contract to the lowest responsible bidder for said sum, or, at the option of the Director of the Department of Public Works of said City, it will solicit proposals from such other responsible Building Contractors as he may desire, and let a contract therefor

to the lowest responsible bidder, the letting to be subject to the approval of the Director of said Department.

8. Said Company agrees to let a contract promptly for the doing of said work, and to insert a provision in the contract that the work must be done within two months from the the letting thereof.

9. Said City agrees to pay said company, from time to time hereafter, as the work progresses, such amounts as it may be required to pay to the contractor or contractors engaged to do said work, and the amount required to be paid to the W. G. Wilkins Company for architectural and engineering services, these bills, if desired by the Director of the Department of Public Works, to be approved by said Director. On the completion of said work, said City agrees to pay said Company the entire balance required to be paid by it to the person or persons doing such work, such payments to include any extras for work, materials and services required and not foreseen, the entire cost however to be paid by said City to said Company, not to exceed \$12,740.00.

10. All money payable by said City under this contract shall be payable out of Appropriation West Carson Street Improvement Bonds, 1919.

11. The City, during the course of the work, shall have the right to inspect or examine the work, without interference on the part of said Company, or the Contractor or Contractors engaged to do said work.

12. This contract is entered into by said City, pursuant to Ordinance No. _____, approved _____ of record in Ordinance Book Vo. _____, Page _____, and by said Company, in pursuance of a resolution of the Board of Directors thereof, duly passed at a regular meeting thereof, held _____, 1919.

In witness whereof, said City has caused its corporate seal to be affixed hereto and the same to be signed by its Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works, and said Company has caused its corporate seal to be affixed hereto and the same to be attested by the hands of the President and Secretary, the day and year aforesaid.

City of Pittsburgh,

By _____ Mayor.

Countersigned _____
City Controller.

Director of Dept. of Public Works.

W. W. LAWRENCE & COMPANY,

By _____ President

Attest: _____
Secretary.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 383.

No. 227

AN ORDINANCE — Demising and leasing to the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society the grounds belonging to the City east of the Union Bridge and extending eastwardly along Duquesne way up to Third street from the street line to low water line of the Allegheny river, until January 1 1940, and providing conditions of lease.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City of Pittsburgh demises and leases to the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society, all the grounds belonging to the City east of the Union bridge and extending eastwardly along Duquesne way up to Third street from the street line to the low water line of the Allegheny river, free of all rental and City taxation. This lease shall begin at the time of approval thereof by the Mayor, and shall continue until January 1, 1940.

Section 2. On the application of the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works the Machinery Hall of the Society shall at all times, except during the period of the holding of the annual Exposition, be at the disposal of the City for the holding of various conventions which may be induced to come to the City, free of all rental or charge whatsoever, except only the actual cost of lighting, heating and janitor service during the time actually occupied by such conventions. The decision as to what conventions shall be held and have the privilege of said Machinery Hall shall be in the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. That the City shall have the further privilege of using the Music Hall or Auditorium for any general civic or City assembly or meeting that may require the use of the said hall, free of all rental or charge of any kind, except only the actual cost of lighting, heating and janitor service for the time the said

building shall be actually used for said purpose; and also the use of said Music Hall as an Auditorium in connection with the holding of said conventions, if the same shall be deemed necessary or advisable by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works upon like terms and conditions.

It is understood that the Society shall have the free and uninterrupted use of the premises for the purpose of holding its Expositions, and further, the right to use the premises as heretofore, and the benefit of all rents, receipts, concessions, etc., but in order that there may be no conflict or embarrassment to either party for the use of such premises as are to be jointly occupied by the City and the Society, the Society agrees that upon entering into any agreement for space for the premises in question it shall file with the Mayor a memorandum of its contracts and their duration.

Section 4. The steam plant installed by the City in said Machinery Hall shall be at the service of the Society, to be operated at its own proper cost and expense for fuel, labor and supplies, and the Society for such use shall keep the said equipment in proper repair and order. Should the City at any time desire the use of the Society's steam plant located in the same premises, it shall have the free use of the same at its own (the City's) expense of operation.

Section 5. The Society is to be relieved of all damage for injury to property or persons when the City occupies the premises. The steam plant and equipment installed by the City is to be treated as City property, and is to be tested, insured and the responsibility for the same is to rest with the City.

Section 6. No spirituous, malt or vinous liquors shall be sold on said premises during said lease.

Section 7. Any breach of the provisions or conditions of this Ordinance by the said Society shall work a forfeiture of this lease, and at the termination of this lease the said property shall revert to the City, with all buildings and improvements thereon of every kind and description, and the same shall become the property of the City, free of all costs and charges.

Section 8. The City reserves the right to place posts and rings for tying purposes at such places along the shore of the Allegheny river as it may deem necessary, and all wharfages shall be payable to the City.

Section 9. The said Society shall have the right to sub-let portions of said premises to any person or persons, firms or corporations, upon such terms, conditions and rentals as the Society may deem proper, and the rentals reserved

shall be the property of the said Society.

Section 10. This lease is made in substitution of the lease heretofore made by the City to the said Society by Ordinance approved March 3, 1886, recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 5, Page 432.

Section 11. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 336.

No. 228

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the purchase of a certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Sarah J. Lee and Edna Craig, and providing for the payment of the purchase money therefor.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Director of the Department of Public Works of said City be and he is hereby authorized and directed to purchase in fee simple for the use and benefit of said City, from Sarah J. Lee and Edna Craig, for the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00), all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, County of Allegheny, State of Pennsylvania, fronting fifty (50) feet on the southerly side of Virginia avenue, and extending therefrom preserving the same width a distance of one hundred fifty (150) feet, and being part of Lot No. 128 in Bigham & Leslie's Plan of Lots as recorded in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County afore-said in Plan Book Vol. 1, Page 334.

Section 2. That upon the delivery of the deed for said described lot or piece of ground, the Mayor of said City is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in favor of Sarah J. Lee and Edna Craig in the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) for payment of the purchase money for the above described premises, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 1812-A Land.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 388.

No. 229

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the payment to such employees of the City of Pittsburgh, as enlisted or were drafted into the military, naval or marine service of the United States during the recent war, of one-half of the increase of the salary or wages of their respective positions for the period of time they were in said military, naval or marine service, and authorizing the proper officers of the City to make the necessary payrolls for the payment thereof.

Whereas, in many cases the salaries and wages attached to the positions of employees of the City, who enlisted or were drafted in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States during the recent war, were increased, and

Whereas, the amount paid to the dependents of said employees, as were entitled thereto by law, was based upon the salary of such employee at the time of his enlistment or draft, and

Whereas, it is just and proper that such employees should receive the benefit of the increase in the salaries of their respective positions during the term of their service in the United States army, navy or marine corps; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the several employees of the City of Pittsburgh, who enlisted or were drafted in the military, naval or marine service of the United States during the recent war, shall be paid one-half of the increase of the salary or wages attached to the position of such employees for the period of time they were in the military, naval or marine service of the United States, and that the directors of the several departments of the City are hereby authorized and directed to make payrolls in favor of said employees for one-half the increase in the salary or wages of their respective positions for the period of time they were in the military, naval or marine service of the United States.*

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 389.

No. 230

AN ORDINANCE—Repealing that portion of Ordinance No. 213, Series 1917, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the

Department of Public Works, to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for repaving certain avenues, streets and ways, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved May 19, 1917, which pertains to Shiloh street, from Virginia avenue to Southern avenue; Shiloh street, from Grandview avenue to Sycamore street; and thirty-second street from Penn avenue to Liberty avenue.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That that portion of Ordinance No. 213, Series 1917, which is entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for repaving certain avenues, streets and ways, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof," approved May 19, 1917, and recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 28, Page 497, which pertains to the following streets shall be and the same is hereby repealed:*

Shiloh street, from Virginia avenue to Southern avenue... \$1,500.00

Shiloh street, from Grandview avenue, to Sycamore street... 3,200.00

Thirty-second street, from Penn avenue to Liberty avenue.... 3,200.00

\$7,900.00

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 390.

No. 231

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade on Lyzell street, from McIntyre avenue to Lawton street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of the westerly curb line of Lyzell street, from McIntyre avenue to Lawton street shall be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:*

Beginning on the northerly curb line of McIntyre avenue at an elevation of 493.74 feet; thence falling at the rate of 1 per cent for a distance of 9.0 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 493.65 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 107.40 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of

488.01 feet; thence falling at the rate of 9.50 per cent for a distance of 291.62 feet to the southerly curb line of Lawton street to an elevation of 460.31 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 391.

No. 232

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade on Lawton street, from Hazelton street to Lyzell street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of the southerly curb line of Lawton street, from Hazelton street to Lyzell street shall be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:*

Beginning on the easterly curb of Hazelton street at an elevation of 476.40 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1 per cent for a distance of 14.39 feet to an elevation of 476.26 feet; thence falling at the rate of 8 per cent for a distance of 162.27 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 463.27 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 63.82 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 460.40 feet; thence falling at the rate of 1 per cent for a distance of 9.25 feet to the westerly curb of Lyzell street, to an elevation of 460.31 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 391.

No. 233

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Carnegie Steel Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use bridge over and above West Carson street, Nineteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, approximately nineteen hundred (1900) feet east of South Main street, for the purpose of conveying material, etc., between the buildings of the Carnegie Steel Company, said buildings being lo-

cated on opposite sides of West Carson street known as the Painter Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Carnegie Steel Company, its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority at its own cost and expense to construct, maintain and use a bridge over and above West Carson street, Nineteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, approximately nineteen hundred (1900) feet east of South Main street, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., between the buildings of the said Carnegie Steel Company, said buildings being located on opposite sides of West Carson street known as the Painter Works, said bridge to have no supports or posts within the street lines and to have a minimum clearance of 14½ feet. The said bridge shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance, and in accordance with the plan hereto attached and identified as Accession No. A-120, Folder No. A, in the files of the Division of Public utilities, Department of Public Works entitled "Plan of Proposed Overhead Bridge across West Carson Street for the Carnegie Steel Company, Nineteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh."*

Section 2. The said company, prior to beginning the construction of said bridge shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the said City, a complete set of plans in triplicate showing the location and all details of construction of the said bridge, and said plans and the construction of the said bridge shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the said Director.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets, and to the ordinances of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of said bridge on City streets and compensation for same.

Section 4. The said grantee shall bear the full cost and expense of the repaving and repair of the street pavement damaged, repair of sewers, water lines and other surface and subsurface structures which may be in any way damaged or disturbed by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said bridge. All of the said work, including the repaving of the street damaged, shall be done in the manner and at such times as the Director may order, and shall be subject to his approval and supervision.

Section 5. The rights and privileges

granted by this ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh without liability reserves the right to cause the removal of said bridge upon giving six (6) months' notice through the proper officers pursuant to resolution or ordinance of Council to the said Carnegie Steel Company, its successors and assigns, to that effect; and that the said grantee when so notified shall, at the expiration of said six months, forthwith, remove the said bridge and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 6. The said grantee shall assume any liability of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property, including the street and subsurface structures, therein by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said bridge, and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following condition, to-wit: This ordinance shall become null and void unless within (30) days after the passage and approval of this ordinance, the Carnegie Steel Company shall file with the City Controller, its certificate of acceptance of this ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the president and secretary of the company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 392.

No. 234

AN ORDINANCE — Widening certain portions of Brownsville avenue in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, between a point 22.92 feet west of the third angle east of Warrington avenue and a point 23.02 feet west of the first angle east of William street hereinafter designated and described as portions A, B, C, D and E, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That certain portions of Brownsville avenue in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth wards*

of the City of Pittsburgh, between a point 22.92 feet west of the third angle east of Warrington avenue and a point 23.02 feet west of the first angle east of William street be widened as hereinafter designated and described as portions A, B, C, D and E.

Portions A and C of Brownsville avenue shall be widened so that the street as widened shall lie between the street lines as hereinafter described.

Portion A. From a point 22.92 feet west of the third angle east of Warrington avenue to a point 5.08 feet west of the angle at Behring street.

The northerly line shall begin at a point on the present northerly line of Brownsville avenue, 50 feet wide, distant 22.92 feet west of the third angle east of Warrington avenue; thence deflecting westwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 524.73 feet and a central angle of 30° 00' for the distance of 274.75 feet to a point of compound curve; thence continuing to deflect westwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 161.11 feet and a central angle of 127° 00' for the distance of 357.11 feet to a point of reverse curve; thence deflecting northwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 361.30 feet and a central angle of 10° 46' 52" for the distance of 67.98 feet to the present southerly line of Brownsville avenue; thence along the said present southerly line for the distance of 56.57 feet to an angle point, said point being at the first angle southeast of Hartford street; thence deflecting toward the north 29° 25' and continuing along the said present southerly line for the distance of 214.14 feet; thence deflecting toward the north 38° 08' 10" and continuing along the said present line for the distance of 222.88 feet to an angle point, said point being at the angle at Behring street.

The southerly line shall begin at a point on the present southerly line of Brownsville avenue, distant 14.4 feet eastwardly from the third angle east of Warrington avenue; thence deflecting westwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 510.1 feet and a central angle of 30° 00' and continuing along the said present line for the distance of 267.09 feet to a point of compound curve; thence continuing to deflect westwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 221.11 feet and a central angle of 127° 00' and continuing along the said present line for the distance of 490.11 feet to a point; thence deflecting toward the north 90° 00' from the tangent to the last described curve and extending in a northerly direction for the distance of 32.09 feet to the southerly line of Hartford street; thence deflecting westwardly 86° 17' 40" and extending westwardly along the said southerly line of Hartford street for the

distance of 153.82 feet to a point on a curve, said point on the curve being tangent to a line deflecting northwardly $26^{\circ} 55' 18''$ from the last described southwardly line of Hartford street; thence deflecting northwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 301.30 feet and a central angle of $36^{\circ} 34' 22''$ for the distance of 192.31 feet to a point of reverse curve; thence deflecting westwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 219.72 feet and a central angle of $23^{\circ} 11' 40''$ for the distance of 88.95 feet to a point of tangent; thence by the tangent to said curve in a northwesterly direction for the distance of 48.74 feet to a point on the present northerly line of Brownsville avenue at the said angle at Behring street.

Portion C. From a point 70.08 feet eastwardly from the second angle east of Newton street to a point 157.85 feet eastwardly from the third angle east of William street.

The southerly line shall begin on the present southerly line of Brownsville avenue, 50 feet wide, distant 70.08 feet eastwardly from the second angle east of Newton street; thence deflecting westwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 244.99 feet and a central angle of $20^{\circ} 31' 20''$ for the distance of 87.75 feet to a point on the said present southerly line; thence deflecting westwardly $24^{\circ} 00' 20''$ from the tangent to said curve and continuing in a westerly direction along the said present southerly line for the distance of 78.81 feet to an angle point, said point being the first angle west of Newton street; thence deflecting northwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 260.65 feet and a central angle of $35^{\circ} 00'$ and continuing along the said present southerly line for the distance of 159.22 feet to a point of compound curve; thence deflecting northwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 206.65 feet and a central angle of $18^{\circ} 45'$ and continuing along the said present southerly line for the distance of 67.55 feet to a point of tangent; thence by the tangent to the said curve in a northwesterly direction and continuing along the present southerly line for the distance of 61.92 feet to a point; thence deflecting northwardly $17^{\circ} 54' 40''$ and in a northwesterly direction continuing along the said southerly line for the distance of 162.34 feet to a point on a curve, said point on the curve being tangent to a line deflecting westwardly $8^{\circ} 31' 24''$ from the last described course; thence deflecting westwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 271.63 feet and a central angle of $19^{\circ} 38' 16''$ for the distance of 93.10 feet to a point on the said southerly line of Brownsville avenue.

The northerly line shall begin on the

present northerly line distant 57.12 feet eastwardly from the second angle east of Newton street; thence deflecting westwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 251.29 feet and a central angle of $35^{\circ} 32'$ for the distance of 155.84 feet to a point of reverse curve; thence deflecting northwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 289.62 feet and a central angle of $63^{\circ} 53' 40''$ for the distance of 322.98 feet to a point of reverse curve; thence deflecting westwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 247.15 feet and a central angle of $28^{\circ} 09' 40''$ for the distance of 121.48 feet to a point of tangent on the present northerly line of Brownsville avenue; thence by the tangent to the said curve in a westerly direction for the distance of 39.86 feet to a point.

Portions "B," "D" and "E" of Brownsville avenue as hereinafter designated and described shall be widened by taking for public use for highway purpose all the following described pieces of land.

Portion B at second angle west of Behring street.

Beginning at a point on the present southerly line of Brownsville avenue, 50 feet wide, distant 98.53 feet westwardly from the second angle west of Behring street; thence deflecting westwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 1,674.90 feet and a central angle of $6^{\circ} 44'$ for the distance of 196.83 feet to a point on the present southerly line; thence by the tangent to said curve which is the present southerly line in an easterly direction for the distance of 98.53 feet to a point; thence deflecting southwardly $6^{\circ} 44'$ and continuing along the present southerly line in an easterly direction for the distance of 98.53 feet to the place of beginning.

Portion D at the third angle east of William street.

Beginning at a point on the present southerly line of Brownsville avenue, 50 feet wide, distant 96.45 feet eastwardly from the third angle east of William street; thence deflecting westwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 679.35 feet and a central angle of $16^{\circ} 09' 40''$ for the distance of 191.62 feet to a point on the present southerly line; thence by the tangent to said curve, which is the present southerly line, in an easterly direction for the distance of 96.45 feet to a point; thence deflecting eastwardly $16^{\circ} 09' 40''$ and continuing southeastwardly along the present southerly line for the distance of 96.45 feet to the place of beginning.

Portion E at the second angle east of William street.

Beginning at a point on the present northerly line of Brownsville avenue 50 feet wide, distant 121.79 feet eastwardly from the second angle east of Wil-

William street; thence along the present northerly line in a westerly direction for the distance of 121.79 feet to a point; thence deflecting northwardly 23° 02' 20" and continuing along the present northerly line in a westerly direction for the distance of 153.52 feet to a point; thence deflecting northwardly 4° 56' 40" and continuing along the present northerly line in a westerly direction for the distance of 21.94 feet to a point; thence deflecting northwardly by the arc of a circle having a radius of 601.99 feet and a central angle of 27° 59' for the distance of 294.01 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Brownsville avenue in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, between a point 22.92 feet west of the third angle east of Warrington avenue and a point 23.02 feet west of the first angle east of William street, to be widened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 394.

No. 235

AN ORDINANCE — Widening and changing the lines of certain portions of Pioneer avenue, in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, between Templeton street and West Liberty avenue, as hereinafter designated and described as portions "A", "B", "C", "D", "E", "F", "G", "H" and "I", and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* certain portions of Pioneer avenue, in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, between Templeton street and West Liberty avenue, be widened and changed as hereinafter designated and described as portions "A", "B", "C",

"D", "E", "F", "G", "H" and "I", according to the following descriptions.

Part "A". Describing portion between Belle Isle avenue and the westerly line of Cullen Plan.

The northerly line shall begin at the intersection of the northerly line of Pioneer avenue and the westerly line of Belle Isle avenue, as laid out and located in the Hughey Farm Plan of Lots, which plan is recorded in the Recorder's Office in and for the County of Allegheny in Plan Book, Vol. 19, page 142; thence continuing along the northerly line of Pioneer avenue as laid out and located in said plan north 39° 22' east 373.31 feet to a point of curve; thence by a curve deflecting to the right, having a radius of 350 feet and a central angle of 45° 59', 280.90 feet to a point of tangent; thence by a tangent north 85° 21' east 195.41 feet to the westerly line of the Andrew Cullen Plan of Lots, which plan is recorded in the Recorder's Office in and for the County of Allegheny in Plan Book, Vol. 22, page 109.

The southerly line shall be parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of 40 feet southwardly from the above described northerly line.

Part "B". Describing portion between Capital avenue and a point 131.29 feet south of West Liberty avenue.

Beginning at a point of curve on the northerly line of Pioneer avenue, as laid out and located in the Paul Place Plan of Lots, which plan is recorded in the Recorder's Office in and for the County of Allegheny in Plan Book, Vol. 21, pages 156-58, said point being distant north 21° 34' E. 338.41 feet from the easterly line of Capital avenue, as laid out in said plan; thence by a curve deflecting to the left having a radius of 280 feet and a central angle of 9° 38', 47.08 feet to a point of tangent; thence by a tangent continuing along the northerly line of Pioneer avenue, as laid out in said plan north 11° 56' east 849.65 feet to a point of curve; thence by a curve deflecting to the left having a radius of 280 feet and a central angle of 16° 16' 20", 79.52 feet to a point of tangent; thence by a tangent north 4° 20' 20" west 479.00 feet to a point of curve; thence by a curve deflecting to the right having a radius of 520 feet and a central angle of 37° 39', 341.70 feet to a point of tangent; thence by a tangent north 33° 18' 40" east 185.86 feet to a point of curve; thence by a curve deflecting to the right having a radius of 320 feet and a central angle of 31° 38', 176.67 feet to a point of tangent; thence by a tangent north 64° 56' 40" east 260.53 feet to a point of curve; thence by a curve deflecting to the right having a radius of 320 feet and a central angle of 9° 53', 55.20 feet to a point of tangent; thence by a tangent north 74° 49' 40" east 450.27 feet to a point of curve;

thence by a curve deflecting to the left having a radius of 280 feet and a central angle of $16^{\circ} 35'$, 81.04 feet to a point of tangent; thence by a tangent north $58^{\circ} 14' 40''$ east 217.56 feet to a point of curve; thence by a curve deflecting to the left having a radius of 280 feet and a central angle of $13^{\circ} 21'$, 65.24 feet to a point of tangent; thence by a tangent north $44^{\circ} 53' 40''$ east 279.07 feet to a point of curve; thence by a curve deflecting to the left having a radius of 280 feet and a central angle of $11^{\circ} 55'$, 58.24 feet to a point of tangent; thence by a tangent north $32^{\circ} 58' 40''$ east 242.68 feet to a point of curve; thence by a curve deflecting to the left having a radius of 180 feet and a central angle of $86^{\circ} 30'$, 271.75 feet to a point of tangent, said point being distant 131.29 feet south $53^{\circ} 31' 20''$ east from the southerly line of West Liberty avenue, as widened to a width of seventy (70) feet.

The southerly line shall be parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of 40 feet southwardly from the above described northerly line.

The following described portions "C", "D", "E", "F", "G", "H" and "I" of Pioneer avenue shall be widened by taking for public use for highway purposes all the following described pieces or parcels of land, to-wit:

Part "C". The portion at Rossmore avenue.

Beginning on the southerly line of Pioneer avenue and the westerly line of Rossmore avenue, as laid out and located in the Second ward of Brookline by the West Liberty Improvement Company, which plan is recorded in the Recorder's Office in and for the County of Allegheny in Plan Book, Vol. 23, pages 34-35; thence south $50^{\circ} 01'$ west 34.23 feet to an angle in said avenue; thence continuing along said avenue south $22^{\circ} 51'$ west 34.23 feet to a point of curve; thence eastwardly by a curve deflecting to the right and tangent to said line having a radius of 141.67 feet and a central angle of $27^{\circ} 10'$, 67.17 feet to the place of beginning.

Part "D". The portion at first angle westwardly from Belle Isle avenue.

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Pioneer avenue, as laid out and located in the Hughey Farm Plan of Lots, hereinbefore mentioned, at the line dividing lots 81 and 82 in said plan; thence north $49^{\circ} 35'$ east 17.78 feet along said Pioneer avenue to an angle; thence continuing along said avenue north $39^{\circ} 22'$ east 17.78 feet to a point of curve; thence westwardly by a curve deflecting to the right and tangent to said line having a radius of 198.89 feet and a central angle of $10^{\circ} 13'$, 35.46 feet to the place of beginning.

Part "E". The portion at angle in Pioneer avenue at the Cullen and Paul Place Plan of Lots.

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Pioneer avenue, as laid out and located in the Andrew Cullen Plan of Lots, hereinbefore mentioned, said point being distant north $85^{\circ} 21'$ east 95.85 feet from the westerly boundary line of said plan; thence along said northerly line of Pioneer avenue north $85^{\circ} 21'$ east 35.01 feet to an angle; thence continuing along said line of Pioneer avenue, as laid out and located in the Paul Place Plan of Lots, hereinbefore mentioned, north $72^{\circ} 02' 20''$ east 35.01 feet to a point of curve; thence westwardly by a curve deflecting to the right having a radius of 280 feet and a central angle of $13^{\circ} 18' 40''$, 65.05 feet to the place of beginning.

Part "F". The portion at the second angle westwardly from Capital avenue.

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Pioneer avenue, as laid out and located in the Paul Place Plan of Lots, hereinbefore mentioned, said point being the second angle point westwardly from Capital avenue; thence south $71^{\circ} 33'$ west 85.18 feet to a point of curve; thence eastwardly by a curve deflecting to the left having a radius of 280 feet and a central angle of $24^{\circ} 31'$ to a point of tangent; thence by said tangent south $47^{\circ} 02'$ west 65.18 feet to the place of beginning.

Part "G". The portion at the first angle westwardly from Capital avenue.

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Pioneer avenue, as laid out and located in the Paul Place Plan of Lots, hereinbefore mentioned, said point being the first angle point westwardly from Capital avenue; thence south $47^{\circ} 02'$ west 67.79 feet to a point of curve; thence eastwardly by a curve deflecting to the left having a radius of 280 feet and a central angle of $25^{\circ} 28'$, 124.45 feet to a point of tangent; thence by a tangent south $21^{\circ} 34'$ west 67.79 feet to the place of beginning.

Part "H".

Beginning at the southwesterly intersection of West Liberty avenue and Pioneer avenue; thence southwestwardly along the southwestwardly line of West Liberty avenue 12.67 feet to a point of curve in said avenue; thence in a northeasterly direction by a curve deflecting to the right having a radius of 9.64 feet and a central angle of $105^{\circ} 28' 50''$, 16.75 feet to a point of tangent on Pioneer avenue; thence in a northwesterly direction along Pioneer avenue 12.67 feet to the place of beginning.

Part "I".

Beginning at the southeasterly intersection of West Liberty avenue and Pioneer avenue; thence northeastwardly along the southeasterly line of West

Liberty avenue 15.31 feet to a point of curve; thence in a southerly direction by a curve deflecting to the left having a radius of 20 feet and a central angle of 74° 31' 10", 23.01 feet to a point of tangent on Pioneer avenue; thence in a northwesterly direction along Pioneer avenue 15.31 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. This ordinance shall operate as a taking and appropriation for highway purposes of all necessary properties not included in the present confines of the avenue to conform with the description of Parts "A" and "B", and a vacation of portions of the existing avenue not included in the descriptions of Parts "A" and "B".

Section 3. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said certain portions of Pioneer avenue in the Nineteenth ward, between Templeton street and West Liberty avenue to be widened and changed in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 4. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 397.

No. 236

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Bricelyn street, from Tokio street to Wilkinsburg avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Bricelyn street, from Tokio street to Wilkinsburg avenue be graded, paved and curbed.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto

and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of thirty-three thousand dollars (\$33,000.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 401.

No. 237

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading to a width of 38 feet, paving and curbing of McCandless street, from Fifty-third street to Fifty-sixth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That McCandless street, from Fifty-third street to Fifty-sixth street, be graded, to a width of 38 feet, paved and curbed.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, to a width of 38 feet, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of Forty-one thousand dollars (\$41,000.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.
Approved July 23, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 402.

No. 238

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Swope street and way, from Ravenna street to Alder street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Swope street and way, from Ravenna street to Alder street, be graded, paved and curbed.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of fourteen thousand dollars (\$14,000.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same

is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.
Approved July 23, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 402.

No. 239

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Stadium street, from Stafford street to Radcliffe street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Stadium street, from Stafford street to Radcliffe street, be graded, paved and curbed.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of nine thousand dollars (\$9,000.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.
Approved July 23, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 403.

No. 240

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the grading, paving and curbing of Sidney street, from South Twenty-fourth street to South Twenty-

fifth street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Sidney street, from South Twenty-fourth street to South Twenty-fifth street, be graded, paved and curbed.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of thirteen thousand dollars (\$13,00.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 404.

No. 241

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the northwest sidewalk of McCandless street, from a point about 560 feet northeast of Fifty-fourth street to the existing sewer on the northwest sidewalk of McCandless street at Fifty-third street, with a branch sewer on the southeast sidewalk of McCandless street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on the

northwest sidewalk of McCandless street, from a point about 560 feet northeast of Fifty-fourth street to the existing sewer on the northwest sidewalk of McCandless street at Fifty-third street, with a branch sewer on the southeast sidewalk of McCandless street. Commencing on the northwest sidewalk of McCandless street at a point about 560 feet northeast of Fifty-fourth street; thence southwestwardly along the northwest sidewalk of McCandless street to the existing sewer on the northwest sidewalk of McCandless street at Fifty-third street, with a branch sewer on the southeast sidewalk of McCandless street, commencing on the southeast sidewalk of McCandless street at a point opposite Fifty-fourth street; thence southwestwardly along the southeast sidewalk of McCandless street to a point opposite Fifty-third street; thence northwestwardly across McCandless street to the sewer on the northwest sidewalk of McCandless street, said sewer and branch sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen inches (15") in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise, in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of sixty-two hundred dollars (\$6,200.00) which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 14, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 405.

No. 242

AN ORDINANCE—Prescribing the form of
\$174,000. Water Loan Bonds, Series A.
1919.

\$300,000. Bigelow Boulevard Improvement Bonds.

\$ 25,000. Soho Playground Bonds, and

\$390,000. West Carson Street Improvement Bonds.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the coupon and registered bonds of the City of Pittsburgh to be issued pursuant to four ordinances entitled respectively:*

(1) "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred seventy-four thousand dollars (\$174,000.00), and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount, to provide for the improvement and extension of the water system, including the purchase and installation of meters, the acquiring of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, and the acquiring of real estate and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," approved by the Mayor April 9, 1919, as amended.

(2) "An ordinance authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00) dollars and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount to provide for the improvement of Bigelow boulevard, and providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds," approved by the Mayor May 10, 1919.

(3) "An Ordinance authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount for the purpose of paying the purchase money due Joseph P. Reed and the Wagman estate under Ordinance approved April 4, 1919, authorizing the purchase of lands from said parties for playground purposes, and providing for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds," approved by the Mayor May 26, 1919.

(4) "An Ordinance authorizing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred ninety thousand (\$390,000.00) dollars, and the issuance of bonds of said City in said amount to provide for the grading, regrading, paving and repaving, and otherwise improving West Carson street from a point 181 feet eastwardly from the south approach to the Point Bridge to a point 265.47 feet west of Steuben street," approved by the Mayor June 12, 1919.

Shall be substantially in the following form:

(Form of Coupon Bond)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Number

Number

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

\$

CITY OF PITTSBURGH

(Insert title of bond.)

Know All Men by These Presents:

THAT THE CITY OF PITTSBURGH, a municipal corporation, created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to the bearer in the sum of

..... Dollars lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of April, A. D. 19....., with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half (4½%) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons, at the time and place herein specified, without deduction for any taxes which may be levied hereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more coupon bonds of the series of which this bond is one, may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity, and of the denomination of \$100, or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due, at the office of the City Controller of said City.

This bond is one of a series of bonds, amounting in the aggregate to

..... Dollars, issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes, by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the

government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled (insert title of Ordinance), and duly recorded and published in the manner provided by law, authorizing and directing the same.

It is hereby certified that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, created without the consent of the electors thereof, including the entire issue of the above mentioned bonds, aggregating dollars, of which this bond is one, is less than two per centum of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and the entire indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the above mentioned bonds, of which this bond is one, is less than seven per centum of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor thereof, and counter-signed by the City Controller, as of the first day of April, A. D., 1919.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH,

By..... Mayor.

Countersigned:

.....
City Controller.

(Form of Registered Bonds.)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

Number Number

CITY OF PITTSBURGH

(Insert title of bonds.)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation, created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to in the sum of dollars, lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said legal representatives or assigns, at the office of the City Treasurer of said City, on the first day of April, A. D. 19..... with interest thereon at the rate of four and

one-half (4½%) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually at the same place on the first days of April and October of each year, without deduction for any taxes which may be levied hereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

This bond is one of a series of bonds, amounting in the aggregate to thousand dollars, issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes, by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act authorizing the registry or transfer of certain bonds," approved May 1st, 1873, and by virtue of an Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled (Insert title of Ordinance), and duly recorded and published in the manner provided by law, authorizing and directing the same.

It is hereby certified that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, created without the consent of the electors thereof, including the entire issue of the above mentioned bonds, aggregating thousand dollars, of which this bond is one, is less than two per centum of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and the entire indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the above mentioned bonds, of which this bond is one, is less than seven per centum of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor

thereof, and counter-signed by the City Controller, as of the first day of April, A. D. 1919.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH,

By..... Mayor.

Countersigned:

..... City Controller.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 406.

No. 243

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of Hoffers way, from Arthur street to Roberts street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the south line of Hoffers way, from Arthur street to Roberts street, be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east curb line of Arthur street at an elevation of 243.77 feet (curb as set); thence rising at the rate of 4.93 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 129.75 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 250.16 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 30.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 251.05 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1 foot per 100 feet for the distance of 13.75 feet to the west curb line of Roberts street to an elevation of 251.19 feet (curb as set).

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 410.

No. 244

AN ORDINANCE—Widening Ashton avenue, in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 125.0 feet west of Mansion street to a point 385.0 feet west therefrom, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Ashton avenue, in the Fifteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 125.0 feet west of Mansion street to a point 385.0 feet west therefrom shall be and the same is hereby widened to a uniform width of fifty (50) feet by taking for public use for highway purposes all the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of the Schiller View Plan of Lots and the southerly line of Ashton avenue, as laid out in said plan and at a distance of 125.0 feet westwardly from Mansion street; thence along said southerly line of Ashton avenue produced north 58° 51' west for a distance of 260.0 feet to the easterly line of the Blair and Johnston Estate Plan; thence along said line north 31° 09' east for a distance of 25 feet to the center line of Ashton avenue, as laid out in the aforesaid Blair and Johnston Estate Plan and the J. C. Mackrell Plan; thence along said center line south 58° 51' east for a distance of 260.0 feet to the westerly line of the Schiller View Plan of Lots; thence along said westerly line of the Schiller View Plan of Lots south 31° 09' west for a distance of 25.0 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Ashton avenue, in the Fifteenth ward, from a point 125.0 feet west of Mansion street to a point 385.0 feet west therefrom, to be widened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 411.

No. 245

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a contract without advertising or competitive bidding with the John

Eichleay, Jr., Company, for repair work and material for the repairing and reconstruction of Pittsburgh Asphalt Plant No. 1 at Dallas and Hamilton avenues.

Whereas, On the morning of July 13th, 1919, the City Asphalt Plant No. 1 was partially destroyed by fire and it is urgently necessary that the same should be repaired and reconstructed with all possible speed, otherwise the City will suffer great loss and detriment by reason of being unable to use said plant for public work; and

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Public Works has asked for and obtained a bid from the John Eichleay, Jr., Company for doing the said repair work and for furnishing all the material therefor, with the proper guarantee that the said repair and reconstruction work will be done at the earliest possible moment, said bid so received being made for actual cost of material and labor, liability insurance, and all other actual expense in connection with the work, plus 20% to the contractor; now, therefore,

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of Public Works be authorized to accept the said bid of the John Eichleay, Jr., Company, that advertising of said contract be dispensed with, and the said contract be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works as required by law.

Section 2. That the sum of \$10,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby set apart and appropriated to pay the cost of said contract, work and material, same to be charged to Code Account No. 1557, Asphalt Plant Repairs.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 412.

No. 246

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the grading, to certain widths, paving and curbing of Webster avenue, from Orion street to Alpena street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Webster avenue, from Orion street to Alpena street, be graded to certain widths, paved and curbed. Said grading between Orion street and Finland street shall extend to the full width of the street as opened. Said grading between Finland street and Blessing street shall be done to a width of 34 feet, the center line thereof to coincide with the center line of the street as opened. Said grading between Blessing street and Alpena street shall be done for the portion included between the northeasterly line of the street as opened and a line parallel thereto and distant 30 feet southwestwardly therefrom.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, to certain widths, paving and curbing of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of fifty-seven thousand dollars (\$57,000.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 412.

No. 247

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Cowan street, from a point about 20 feet west of Dilworth street to the existing sewer on Prospect street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Cowan street, from a point about 20 feet west of Dilworth street to the existing sewer on Prospect street. Commencing on Cowan street at a point about 20 feet west of Dilworth street; thence westwardly along Cowan street to the existing sewer on Prospect street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen inches (15") in diameter with nine inch (9") lateral sewers extending from the main sewer to a point one foot (1') inside the curb lines.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of twenty-two hundred dollars (\$2,200.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 413.

No. 248

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Forsythe street from a point about 20 feet west of Mullins street to the existing sewer on Forsythe street at Annis way, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That

a public sewer be constructed on Forsythe street from a point about 20 feet west of Mullins street to the existing sewer on Forsythe street at Annis way. Commencing on Forsythe street at a point about 20 feet west of Mullins street; thence westwardly along Forsythe street to the existing sewer on Forsythe street at Annis way. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter, with nine (9") inch lateral sewer extending from the main sewer to a point one (1) foot inside the curb lines.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The costs, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 414.

No. 249

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Harlan avenue from a point about 350 feet east of Irwin avenue to the existing sewer on Harlan avenue at Irwin avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Harlan avenue, from a point about 350 feet east of Irwin avenue to the existing sewer on

Harlan avenue at Irwin avenue. Commencing on Harlan avenue at a point about 350 feet east of Irwin avenue; thence westwardly along Harlan avenue to the existing sewer on Harlan avenue at Irwin avenue. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 415.

No. 250

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the

Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh to proceed to condemn the property of the Freehold Real Estate Company of the City of Pittsburgh, situated in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, for public park purposes.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City of Pittsburgh deems it proper and expedient to exercise the power of eminent domain vested in said corporation for the acquisition by it of the real estate hereinafter mentioned and described to be used for public park purposes.

Therefore, The Director of the Department of Public Works of the City

of Pittsburgh is hereby authorized and directed to proceed, in the name and on behalf of the said City, to have taken, appropriated and condemned for public park purposes in the manner prescribed by law the real estate and property of the Freehold Real Estate Company of the City of Pittsburgh, situate in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the southerly building line of Brookline boulevard with the westerly building line of Queensboro avenue; thence in a westerly direction along the southerly building line of Brookline boulevard 109.50 feet to the northerly building line of Chelton avenue 100.30 feet to the westerly building line of Queensboro avenue 44 feet to the southerly building line of Brookline boulevard at the place of beginning.

And the City of Pittsburgh does hereby elect and resolve to take, use and appropriate the said real estate and land for the purposes aforesaid, the damages thereon not having been agreed upon between the said City and the said owner.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 416.

No. 251

AN ORDINANCE — Establishing the opening grades on Henrietta street, La Clair street, Milton street, Overton street, Gamma way and Rear way, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened highways by William E. Harmon in a plan of lots of his property in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, named "Regent Place."

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That upon the approval of a certain plan of lots named "Regent Place," proposed to be laid out by William E. Harmon of his property in the Fourteenth ward of the said City, the grade to which Henrietta street, La Clair street, Wilton street, Overton street, Gamma way and Rear way, as shown thereon, shall be accepted as public highways of the said city, shall be as hereinafter set forth:

HENRIETTA STREET.

The grade of the south curb line of Henrietta street, from La Clair street to

South Braddock avenue, shall begin at the east curb line of La Clair street at an elevation of 209.67 feet; thence rising at a rate of 4.4 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 403.0 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 227.40 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 80.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 227.40 feet; thence falling at a rate of 4.4 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 109.0 feet to the west curb line of South Braddock avenue, to an elevation of 222.60 feet.

LA CLAIR STREET.

The grade of the east curb line of La Clair street, from Henrietta street to Overton street, shall begin at the south curb line of Henrietta street, at an elevation of 209.67 feet; thence falling at a rate of 4.4 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 85.0 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 205.93 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 100.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 205.25 feet; thence rising at a rate of 3.031 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 557.34 feet to the north curb line of Overton street, to an elevation of 222.14 feet.

MILTON STREET.

The grade of the east curb line of Milton street, from Henrietta street to Overton street, from La Clair street to curb line of Henrietta street, at an elevation of 223.31 feet; thence rising at a rate of 0.6 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 515.0 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 226.40 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 40.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 226.24 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1.39 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 79.45 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 225.14 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 50.0 feet to the north curb line of Overton street, to an elevation of 223.75 feet.

OVERTON STREET.

The grade of the north curb line of Overton street, from La Clair street to the City Line shall begin at the west curb line of La Clair street at an elevation of 220.64 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 110.0 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 226.14 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 80.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 227.22 feet; thence falling at a rate of 2.31 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 204.33 feet to the City Line, to an elevation of 222.50 feet.

GAMMA WAY.

The grade of the east building line of Gamma way, from Henrietta street to Overton street, shall begin at the south curb line of Henrietta street, at an ele-

vation of 216.27 feet; thence rising at a rate of 0.8 per 100 feet for a distance of 355.62 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 218.95 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 40.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 219.57 feet; thence rising at a rate of 2.311 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 338.72 feet to the north curb line of Overton street, to an elevation of 227.40 feet.

REAR WAY.

The grade of the south and west building line of Rear way, from Milton street to the City Line, shall begin at the east curb line of Milton street, at an elevation of 224.59 feet; thence rising at a rate of 3.4 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 130.0 feet to an angle, to an elevation of 229.01 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1.85 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 350.11 feet to the City Line, to an elevation of 222.53 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 417.

No. 252

AN ORDINANCE—Widening Woodville avenue, in the Twentieth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 11.78 feet west of the first angle in Woodville avenue east of Lowe street to a point 124.0 feet east of Shaler street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Woodville avenue, in the Twentieth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 11.78 feet west of the first angle in Woodville avenue east of Lowe street to a point 124.0 feet east of Shaler street be widened to a variable width by taking for public use for highway purposes the following described pieces or parcels of ground hereinafter designated as Sections A, B and C.

Section A. Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Woodville avenue, distant 0.79 feet eastwardly from the angle in Woodville avenue east of Lowe street, as said Woodville avenue was opened by Ordinance No. 65, approved January 22, 1879; thence deflecting to the left 19° 12' 20" and extending in an easterly direction by the arc of a circle

deflecting to the right having a radius of 700.0 feet and a central angle of 29° 35' 25" for the distance of 361.51 feet to the westerly line of Shaler street; thence deflecting to the right 79° 37' and extending in a southerly direction along the said westerly line of Shaler street for the distance of 27.50 feet to the said northerly line of Woodville avenue; thence deflecting to the right 90° and extending in a westerly direction along the said northerly line of Woodville avenue for the distance of 356.45 feet to the place of beginning.

Section B. Beginning at the intersection of the said northerly line of Woodville avenue with the easterly line of said Shaler street; thence extending in a northerly direction along the said easterly line of Shaler street for the distance of 18.95 feet to a point; thence deflecting to the right 103° 43' 50" and extending in an easterly direction by the arc of a circle deflecting to the right having a radius of 700.0 feet and a central angle of 1° 33' 45" for the distance of 19.10 feet to a point of reverse curve; thence continuing in an easterly direction by the arc of a circle having a radius of 400.0 feet and a central angle of 15° 17' 40" for the distance of 106.78 feet to a point of tangent on the said northerly line of Woodville avenue, distant 124.0 feet eastwardly from the said easterly line of Shaler street; thence extending in a westerly direction along the said northerly line of Woodville avenue for the distance of 124.0 feet to the said easterly line of Shaler street, to the place of beginning.

Section C. Beginning at a point on the southerly line of said Woodville avenue at the distance of 11.78 feet westwardly from the said angle in Woodville avenue east of Lowe street; thence extending in an easterly direction along the said southerly line of Woodville avenue for the distance of 11.78 feet to the above mentioned angle; thence deflecting to the right 20° 50' and continuing in an easterly direction along the said southerly line of Woodville avenue for the distance of 0.31 feet to a point; thence deflecting to the right 160° 12' 50" and extending in a westerly direction by the arc of a circle deflecting to the left having a radius of 660.0 feet and a central angle of 1° 02' 50" for the distance of 12.07 feet to a point of tangent, to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Woodville avenue, in the Twentieth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from a point 11.78 feet west of the first angle in Woodville avenue east of Lowe street to a point 124.0 feet east of Shaler street, to be widened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby, and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 419.

No. 253

AN ORDINANCE — Extending and opening Wabash street, in the Twentieth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Wilmerding street to Woodstock street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Wabash street, in the Twentieth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Wilmerding street to Woodstock street, be extended and opened to a variable width by taking for public use for highway purposes all the following described property, to-wit: :

Beginning at the intersection of the northerly line of Wabash street with the easterly line of Wilmerding street, as the said Wabash street and Wilmerding street were opened by the Executor's Plan of the Denny Estate, as of record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., in and for the County of Allegheny, in Plan Book, Vol. 1, Part 1, Pages 2-3-4-5; thence deflecting to the right 95° 49' 40" and extending in an easterly direction along the said northerly line of Wabash street produced, for the distance of 42.86 feet to the westerly line of Woodstock street, as said Woodstock street was opened by the Plan of the Village of Shalersville, as of record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., in and for the County of Allegheny in Plan Book, Vol. 6, Part 2, Page 175; thence deflecting to the right 69° 15' and extending in a southerly direction along the said westerly line of Woodstock street for the distance of 104.93 feet to a point of curve, said point of curve being distant 175.65 feet measured along the said westerly line of Woodstock street from the northerly line of Woodville avenue, as said Woodville avenue was opened by the said

Plan of the Village of Shalerville; thence deflecting to the left by the arc of a circle with a radius of 90.00 feet and a central angle of 63° 59' and extending in a northwesterly direction for the distance of 100.51 feet to the aforesaid easterly line of Wilmerding street; thence deflecting to the right 78° 54' 20" and extending in a northerly direction along the said easterly line of Wilmerding street for the distance of 40.59 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Wabash street, in the Twentieth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Wilmerding street to Woodstock street, to be opened, in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby, and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 420.

No. 254

AN ORDINANCE—Accepting the dedication of certain property in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same Crawford street and accepting the grading, paving and curbing thereof.

Whereas, The Fidelity Title and Trust Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, Trustee under the will of Henry J. Bailey, deceased, who was the owner of the property hereinafter described, has executed and delivered to the City of Pittsburgh its certain deed of dedication bearing date of July 8th, 1919, now on file in the Bureau of Engineering of said City, wherein it has conveyed said ground to said City for public highway purposes, and

Whereas, Said Henry J. Bailey during his lifetime had graded, paved and curbed the street dedicated in the said deed of dedication, between Bedford avenue and Cliff street, at his own cost and expense, and

Whereas, It is desired that the City of Pittsburgh accept said improvements

as a part of the City's system of improved highways; therefore:

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the said deed of dedication be and the same is hereby accepted and the Bureau of Engineering is hereby authorized and directed to place the same of record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., in and for the County of Allegheny.

Section 2. The ground, so as aforesaid, conveyed to said City for public highway purposes shall be and the same is hereby appropriated and opened as a public highway in accordance with the terms of said deed of dedication and shall be known as "Crawford street," the same being bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the northerly line of Bedford avenue at the distance of 168.15 feet eastwardly from the easterly line of Fullerton street and on the line dividing the properties of the Kingsley House Association and the estate of Henry J. Bailey, deceased; thence along said dividing line north 28° 56' 30" west for the distance of 118.17 feet to a point; thence continuing along the dividing line between said properties south 61° 00' west for the distance of 5.50 feet to a point; thence north 28° 56' 30" west for the distance of 147.41 feet to a point on the southerly line of Cliff street; thence along the said southerly line of Cliff street north 60° 58' 10" east for the distance of 35 feet to a point; thence south 28° 56' 30" east for the distance of 265.60 feet to the northerly line of Bedford avenue; thence along said northerly line of Bedford avenue south 61° 00' west for the distance of 29.50 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 3. The grading, paving and curbing of said Crawford street, between Bedford avenue and Cliff street, is hereby accepted and declared to be a public improvement of the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and appropriate the said described ground for a public highway and directed to treat the said street as other improved highways of the said City, in conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 422.

No. 255

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Grandview avenue and on the east sidewalk and roadway of Olympia street, from points about 300 feet east and west of Olympia street to the existing sewer on Olympia street south of Piado way, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Grandview avenue and on the east sidewalk and roadway of Olympia street, from points about 300 feet east and west of Olympia street to the existing sewer on Olympia street south of Piado way. Commencing on Grandview avenue at points about 300 feet east and west of Olympia street; thence eastwardly and westward-along Grandview avenue to Olympia street; thence southwardly across Grandview avenue and along the east sidewalk of Olympia street to a point about 25 feet south of Piado way; thence southwardly across Olympia street to the existing sewer on Olympia street south of Piado way. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of forty-three hundred dollars (\$4,300.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 423.

No. 256

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the making of a contract or contracts for the laying and construction of concrete sidewalks in the City of Pittsburgh, and providing for the payment thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the laying of certain cement sidewalks in the City of Pittsburgh at such time as may be ordered by the Director of the Department of Public Works between the 15th day of April, 1919, and the 1st day of October, 1919, the said contract price or prices not to exceed the total sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), being the estimated cost of said work, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved the 7th day of March, A. D. 1901, and the different supplements and amendments thereto and the Ordinances of Council in such cases made and approved.

Section 2. That the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much of the same as may be necessary, shall be and is hereby set apart and appropriated for the payment or payments required for the performance of the above mentioned work, and the said amount or amounts be paid out of Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 424.

No. 257

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) motor truck for the Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered

and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for furnishing one (1) motor truck, $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 tons capacity, at a cost not to exceed the sum of twenty-five hundred (\$2,500.00) dollars in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of second class," approved March 7th, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the Ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided, the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1584, Equipment.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 425.

No. 258

AN ORDINANCE — Establishing the opening grades on Arlington avenue, Foley street, Kozell street, Plave street, Pluso street, Zaruba street, Kordecki way and Krakow way, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened highways by the Pittsburgh-St. Clair Realty Company in a plan of lots of its property in the Sixteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, named "Arlington Park Terrace."

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That upon the approval of a certain plan of lots named "Arlington Park Terrace," proposed to be laid out by the Pittsburgh-St. Clair Realty Company, of its property in the Sixteenth ward of the said city, the grade to which Arlington avenue, Foley street, Kozell street, Plave street, Pluso street, Zaruba street, Kordecki way and Krakow way, as shown thereon, shall be accepted as public highways of the said City, shall be as hereinafter set forth:

FOLEY STREET.

The grade of the south curb line of Foley street, from Davis street, in St. Clair Borough to Pluso street, shall begin at the east curb line of Davis street at an elevation of 325.87 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1.82 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 36.23 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 325.21 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 100.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 326.32 feet; thence rising at a rate of 4.04 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 623.84 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of

351.53 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 60.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 353.47 feet; thence rising at a rate of 2.42 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 405.0 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 363.27 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 100.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 370.30 feet; thence rising at a rate of 11.65 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 200.0 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 393.62 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 100.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 400.94 feet; thence rising at a rate of 3.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 125.29 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 404.08 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 41.52 feet to the westerly curb line of Pluso street, to an elevation of 406.36 feet.

KOZELL STREET.

The grade of the south curb line of Kozell street, from Plave street to City Line, shall begin at the west curb line of Plave street, at an elevation of 443.0 feet; thence falling at a rate of 8.56 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 68.19 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 437.16 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 143.91 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 429.81 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1.66 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 335.04 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 424.25 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 60.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 422.87 feet; thence falling at a rate of 2.94 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 423.26 feet to the City Line, to an elevation of 410.42 feet.

PIAVE STREET.

The grade of the south curb line of Plave street, from Zaruba street to property line, shall begin at the east curb line of Zaruba street, at an elevation of 477.70 feet; thence falling at a rate of 2.08 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 87.02 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 475.89 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 468.35 feet; thence falling at a rate of 13.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 156.79 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 447.97 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 66.42 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 441.41 feet; thence falling at a rate of 6.75 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 485.50 feet to property line, to an elevation of 408.64 feet.

PLUSO STREET.

The grade of the west curb line of Pluso street, from the southerly property line to the northerly property line shall begin at the southerly property

line of said plan at an elevation of 422.91 feet; thence falling at a rate of 9.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 79.0 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 415.80 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 30.0 feet to the south curb line of Piave street, to an elevation of 414.59 feet; thence level for a distance of 22.0 feet to the north curb line of Piave street; thence falling at a rate of 8.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 330.0 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 388.19 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 120.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 372.59 feet; thence falling at a rate of 18.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 249.58 feet to a point, to an elevation of 316.46 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 120.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 305.18 feet; thence falling at a rate of 4.35 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 142.11 feet to the northerly property line of said plan to an elevation of 299.0 feet.

ZARUBA STREET.

The grade of the northeasterly curb line of Zaruba street, from the property line to City Line shall begin at the southerly property line of said plan at an elevation of 479.08 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1.0 foot per 100 feet for a distance of 118.27 feet to a point of horizontal curve to an elevation of 477.90 feet; thence falling at a rate of 0.943 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 213.08 feet to a point of tangent on said horizontal curve to an elevation of 475.89 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1.0 foot per 100 feet for a distance of 79.90 feet to City Line, to an elevation of 475.09 feet.

KORDECKI WAY.

The grade of the southerly building line of Kordecki way, from Foley street to City Line shall begin at the southerly curb line of Foley street at an elevation of 405.34 feet; thence rising at a rate of 4.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 201.66 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 413.40 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 58.26 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 417.42 feet; thence rising at a rate of 9.77 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 165.22 feet to the easterly curb line of Kozell street to an elevation of 433.64 feet; thence falling to the westerly curb line of Kozell street to an elevation of 433.48 feet; thence rising at a rate of 9.622 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 142.34 feet to a point to an elevation of 447.18 feet; thence rising at a rate of 8.49 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 128.54 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 458.09 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 460.33 feet; thence falling at a rate of 5.14 feet per

100 feet for a distance of 411.17 feet to City Line to an elevation of 439.20 feet.

KRAKOW WAY.

The grade of the southerly building line of Krakow way, from Kordecki way to City Line shall begin at the northerly building line of Kordecki way at an elevation of 414.57 feet; thence falling at a rate of 8.81 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 100 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 405.76 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 400.11 feet; thence falling at a rate of 2.5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 1059.41 feet to the City Line to an elevation of 373.62 feet.

ARLINGTON AVENUE

The grade of the easterly curb line of Arlington avenue from Foley street to property line shall begin at the northerly curb line of Foley street at an elevation of 325.03 feet; thence falling at a rate of 3.91 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 86.0 feet to a point, to an elevation of 321.67 feet; thence falling at a rate of 3.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 148.46 feet to property line, to an elevation of 317.22 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 426.

No. 259

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and establishing the grade of Wabash street, from Independence street to Woodstock street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and the grade of the southerly curb line of Wabash street, from Independence street to Woodstock street, shall be and the same are hereby fixed and established as follows, to-wit:

The northerly sidewalk, from Independence street to the first angle east thereof, shall have a uniform width of 8.0 feet and shall lie along and parallel the northerly line; and from the first angle east of Independence street to Woodstock street shall have a uniform width of 7.0 feet and shall lie along and parallel the northerly line.

The southerly sidewalk, from Independence street to the first angle east thereof shall have a uniform width of

8.0 feet and shall lie along and parallel the southerly line and from the first angle east of Independence street to Woodstock street shall have a uniform width of 7.0 feet and shall lie along and parallel the southerly line.

The roadway shall have a variable width and shall occupy the central portion of the street, lying between the sidewalks as above described.

The grade of the southerly curb line shall begin at the easterly curb line of Independence street at the elevation of 44.67 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1.35 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 1061.33 feet to the easterly curb line of Lowe street to the elevation of 59.0 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1.954 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 560.0 feet to the westerly curb line of Shaler street to the elevation of 69.94 feet; thence level for the distance of 24.0 feet to the easterly curb line of Shaler street; thence falling at the rate of 0.75 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 327.0 feet to a point of curve to the elevation of 67.49 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 40.0 feet to a point of tangent to the elevation of 67.49 feet; thence rising at the rate of 0.75 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 473.10 feet to the point of horizontal curve at the westerly curb line of Banksville avenue, to the elevation of 71.04 feet; thence to the point of tangent of the horizontal curve at the easterly curb line of Banksville avenue to the elevation of 71.68 feet; thence rising at the rate of 0.97 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 548.71 feet to a point of curve to the elevation of 77.0 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 50.0 feet to a point of tangent of both horizontal and vertical curve at the westerly curb line of Woodstock street to the elevation of 77.05 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

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Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 428.

No. 260

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing and re-establishing the grade of Sutherland street, from Chartiers avenue to Jean street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of the north curb line of Sutherland street, from Chartiers avenue to Jean street, be and the same is*

hereby established and re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east curb line of Chartiers avenue at an elevation of 258.77 feet; thence falling at the rate of 3.93 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 40.51 feet to an elevation of 257.18 feet; thence falling at the rate of 16.08 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 86.05 feet to the west line of Huxley street to an elevation of 243.34 feet; thence falling at the rate of 3.55 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 37.12 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 242.03 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 40.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 239.52 feet; thence falling at the rate of 9 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 52.88 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 234.76 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 233.01 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 106.05 feet to the west curb line of Universal street, to an elevation of 238.84 feet; thence level for the distance of 18.02 feet to the east curb line of Universal street to an elevation of 238.84 feet; thence rising at the rate of 4.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 120.87 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 243.67 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 243.17 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 42.30 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 241.06 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 40 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 239.66 feet; thence falling at the rate of 2.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 11.75 feet to the west curb line of Allendale street to an elevation of 239.42 feet (curb as set); thence falling for the distance of 22.02 feet to the east curb line of Allendale street to an elevation of 239.33 feet (curb as set); thence falling at the rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 9.01 feet to the east line of Allendale street to an elevation of 238.88 feet; thence falling at the rate of 7.63 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 260.21 feet to the west line of Jean street, to an elevation of 219.03 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 9.01 feet to the west curb line of Jean street to an elevation of 218.58 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 430.

No. 261

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing an agreement between the City of Pittsburgh and the Borough of Wilkinsburg, providing for an interchange of facilities for sewer connections between the said municipalities and providing for the terms and conditions thereof.

Whereas, It is mutually advantageous for the City of Pittsburgh and the Borough of Wilkinsburg, by reason of the topography of the territory and location and arrangement of existing sewers, to provide for interchange of sewerage facilities in the territory of said municipalities where same are contiguous; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh be and they are hereby authorized and directed to enter into an agreement on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh with the Borough of Wilkinsburg, said agreement to be in the following form, to-wit:

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT.

Made and entered into this..... day of between the City of Pittsburgh and the Borough of Wilkinsburg, to provide for an interchange of facilities for sewerage connections between the said municipalities.

THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH: That in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, it is agreed as follows:

1. Either municipality, party to this agreement, shall have the right to make connections with the sewerage system of the other party to this agreement subject to the terms and conditions provided in this agreement.

2. Application for the right to make such connections shall be made on behalf of the City by the Director of the Department of Public Works, and on behalf of the Borough by the Sewer Committee of the Council of Wilkinsburg, hereafter referred to as "the committee." Said application shall contain a statement giving full information as to sizes and lengths of sewers to be connected, kind of system, area drained, estimated present and future population, and such additional information as may be reasonably required by the party of the other part. Said application shall be accompanied by a plan and profile of such sewers as are to be connected.

3. Permission to make connections to the existing sewers of the City or Borough respectively, shall be granted only when the representatives of the said City or Borough conclude that the sewerage system to which the connections will be

made will have an adequate capacity for the additional drainage, and that said system will not be injuriously affected thereby.

4. The rights to connect any sewerage system of either municipality with the sewerage system of the other municipality may be terminated by the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh, or the Committee of the Council of Wilkinsburg upon giving six (6) months' notice in writing to the said City or Borough, respectively, of the termination of said privilege. Upon receipt of such notice of termination, the said City or Borough shall proceed to disconnect the said sewers and make such other arrangements or provisions as may be required by the special circumstances in each case.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 431.

No. 262

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the City Treasurer to issue a peddler's or vendor's license to soldiers or sailors of the World War who have been honorably discharged from the service, without charge.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City Treasurer shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue a peddler's or vendor's license to any soldier or sailor having served in the World War and who has been honorably discharged, without charge. Provided, however, that said applicant shall have entered on his discharge the fact that license has been granted to him for the then current year.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 432.

No. 263

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh to hire four (4) or more trucks suitable for

the conveyance of passengers to provide free transportation to any and all persons within the limits of Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks, and making an appropriation for payment of the expense thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh is hereby authorized and empowered to rent or hire four (4) or more motor trucks for the purpose of providing, in Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks, free conveyance or transportation to any and all persons visiting said parks, every day in the week. This service is established for the purpose of assisting and promoting the better enjoyment of all the people of the resources of said parks for recreation, amusement and entertainment, and the Director of the Department of Public Works is authorized and directed to use his best judgment in providing a means of conveyance and deciding upon the kinds of conveyances to be employed for the best service. the various details of said service as to starting points, routes, etc., all of which matters are to be for the present fully under his control and direction.

Section 2. That the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars is hereby appropriated to pay for the hire of said trucks and other expenses in connection with said free transportation service, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1682.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 433.

No. 264

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the sale to Mrs. Jennie M. Emich, of Pittsburgh of a plot of ground known as the North Side Pumping Station property on River avenue, in the Twenty-fourth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, for the sum of \$125,000.00, fixing the terms and conditions of said sale and providing for the reservation of a portion of said plot now occupied by Engine Company No. 48 for a period of ten (10) years from the date of deed for said property.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That

the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and empowered in the name of the City of Pittsburgh by proper conveyance to grant, bargain and sell to Mrs. Jennie M. Emich, of Pittsburgh, the following described property in the Twenty-fourth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of the northerly line of Lumberman way with the westerly line of River avenue; thence along said Lumberman way north 44° 10' west for the distance of 355.72 feet to the southeasterly right of way line of the Western Pennsylvania Railroad Company; thence along said right of way line north 60° 36' east for the distance of 127.45 feet to a point; thence south 74° 24' east for the distance of 28.28 feet to a point; thence north 60° 36' east, for the distance of 75.0 feet to a point; thence south 44° 10' east parallel with and 20 feet southwardly from the line dividing the properties of the City of Pittsburgh and the William Flaccus Oak Leather Company for the distance of 283.29 feet to the said westerly line of River avenue; thence along said westerly line of River avenue south 46° 49' west for the distance of 210.0 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The consideration for said conveyance shall be the sum of \$125,000.00, payable as follows: One-third thereof in cash upon delivery of deed and the balance in three equal annual installments with 5% interest thereon payable annually; said balance to be secured by bond and mortgage. The purchaser shall further grant to the City the right to use and occupy the following described portion of said lot, with the building thereon erected, for a period of ten (10) years from the date of said deed with no charge whatsoever to the City of Pittsburgh, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of the northerly line of Lumberman way with the westerly line of River avenue; thence north 44° 10' west for the distance of 93.0 feet to a point; thence north 45° 50' east for the distance of 38.40 feet to a point; thence south 44° 10' east for the distance of 93.66 feet to a point on the westerly line of River avenue; thence along said westerly line of River avenue south 46° 49' west for the distance of 38.40 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 433.

No. 265

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk of Richmond street, in the City of Pittsburgh, the west sidewalk of Richmond street and on Trevanion street, in the Borough of Swissvale, and on Trevanion street and private property of Louis A. Meyran, in the City of Pittsburgh from a point about fifteen (15') feet south of Sanders street to the existing sanitary outlet sewer of the Borough of Wilkinsburg on the private property of Louis A. Meyran. With branch sewers on the east and west sidewalks of Trevanion street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on the west sidewalk of Richmond street in the City of Pittsburgh, the west sidewalk of Richmond street and on Trevanion street in the Borough of Swissvale, and on Trevanion street and private property of Louis A. Meyran, in the City of Pittsburgh, from a point about 15 feet south of Sanders street to the existing sanitary outlet sewer of the Borough of Wilkinsburg, on the private property of Louis A. Meyran. With branch sewers on the east and west sidewalks of Trevanion street. Commencing on the west sidewalk of Richmond street, in the City of Pittsburgh at a point about fifteen (15') feet south of Sanders street; thence southwardly along the west sidewalk of Richmond street to the City Line; thence continuing southwardly along the west sidewalk of Richmond street in the Borough of Swissvale to Trevanion street; thence westwardly along Trevanion street in the Borough of Swissvale to the City Line; thence continuing westwardly along Trevanion street in the City of Pittsburgh to the angle in Trevanion street south of Sanders street; thence southwestwardly across Trevanion street to the private property of Louis A. Meyran; thence continuing southwestwardly on, over, across and through the private property of Louis A. Meyran to a point about twenty (20') feet northeast of Forward avenue. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and eight (8") inches in diameter. Thence continuing southwestwardly on, over, across and through the private property of Louis A. Meyran to Forward avenue; thence continuing southwestwardly across Forward avenue to the private property of Louis A. Meyran; thence continuing southwestwardly on, over, across and through the private property of Louis A. Meyran to the existing san-

itary outlet sewer of the Borough of Wilkinsburg on the private property of Louis A. Meyran. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and ten (10") inches in diameter. With a branch sewer on the east sidewalk of Trevanion street. Commencing on the east sidewalk of Trevanion street at a point about fifteen (15') feet south of Sanders street; thence southwardly along the east sidewalk of Trevanion street to the sewer on Trevanion street. With a branch sewer on the west sidewalk of Trevanion street. Commencing on the west sidewalk of Trevanion street at the north sidewalk of Sanders street; thence southwardly along the west sidewalk of Trevanion street to a point about 235 feet south of Sanders street; thence eastwardly across Trevanion street to the sewer on the east sidewalk of Trevanion street. Said branch sewers to be terra cotta pipe and eight (8") inches in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of eight thousand (\$8,000.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 434.

No. 266

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk and roadway of Crestline street, in the City of Pittsburgh, and on Coal street, in the Borough of Wilkinsburg, from a point

about fifteen (15') feet south of Nimick place to the existing sewer on Coal street, in the Borough of Wilkinsburg, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on the west sidewalk and roadway of Crestline street in the City of Pittsburgh and on Coal street in the Borough of Wilkinsburg, from a point about fifteen (15') feet south of Nimick place to the existing sewer on Coal street in the Borough of Wilkinsburg. Commencing on the west sidewalk of Crestline street in the City of Pittsburgh at a point about fifteen (15') feet south of Nimick place; thence southwardly along the west sidewalk and roadway of Crestline street to the City Line; thence continuing southwardly along Coal street in the Borough of Wilkinsburg to the existing sewer on Coal street in the Borough of Wilkinsburg. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and eight (8") inches in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of twenty-one hundred (\$2,100.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 7, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 436.

No. 267

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for the construction of a 12-inch terra cotta pipe sewer on the east sidewalk of Fallowfield avenue, from a point about 40 feet south of Sebring avenue to the existing sewer on Fallowfield avenue south of Broadway, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the construction of a 12-inch terra cotta pipe sewer on the east sidewalk of Fallowfield avenue from a point about 40 feet south of Sebring avenue to the existing sewer on Fallowfield avenue south of Broadway, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work, in accordance with the laws and Ordinances governing said City.

LOCATION OF SEWER TO BE CONSTRUCTED.

Commencing on the east sidewalk of Fallowfield avenue at a point about 40 feet south of Sebring avenue; thence southwardly along the east sidewalk of Fallowfield avenue to the existing sewer on Fallowfield avenue south of Broadway. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and twelve inches (12") in diameter.

Section 2. That for the payment of the cost thereof the sum of forty-two hundred dollars (\$4,200.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account No. 1476-E; Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn in payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 437.

No. 268

AN ORDINANCE—Repealing Ordinance No. 98, entitled, "An Ordinance locating Somers street, from Bedford avenue to Webster avenue," approved November 25th, 1887.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Ordinance No. 98, entitled, "An Ordinance locating Somers street, from Bedford avenue to Webster avenue," approved November 25th, 1887, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 6, Page 205, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 438.

No. 269

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of five hundred forty thousand dollars (\$540,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing and reconstructing and otherwise improving the streets of the City generally, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Whereas, The corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh, by Ordinance approved by the Mayor on May 27, 1919, and duly published and recorded as required by law, signified their desire that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the sum of one million four hundred one thousand (\$1,401,000.00) dollars for the purposes, among others, described in the following ordinance, and provided that the question of increasing the indebtedness in said amount and for said purposes be submitted to a vote of the electors of said City at a special election held on July 8, 1919; and

Whereas, After proper and timely notice of said election was given according to law, said election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and a majority of the electors, who voted at said election, voted in favor of said increase of indebtedness; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of five hundred forty thousand (\$540,000.00) dollars to provide funds presently required for the following purposes, viz:

For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing and reconstructing and otherwise improving the streets of the City generally.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of five hundred forty thousand dollars (\$540,000.00) be issued for the purposes aforesaid. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiples thereof; shall be dated as of the first day of August, 1919; and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of eighteen thousand dollars (\$18,000.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of August in each of the years 1920 to 1949, inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not yet due, at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42 (Contingent Fund). Registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer, and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as Street Improvement Bond—Series "A".

Section 3. That said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller, at not less than par and accrued interest, after giving such notice of sale as may be required by law.

Section 4. That until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable, and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third per centum ($3\frac{1}{3}\%$) of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the revenue of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. That all bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon semi-annually as the same shall become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That the form of coupon bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be substantially as follows:

No. No.
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
\$ \$
COMMONWEALTH OF PENN-
SYLVANIA.
CITY OF PITTSBURGH.
STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND—
SERIES "A".

Know All Men by These Presents: That the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, is indebted to the bearer in the sum of dollars (\$.....), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D. 19....., with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons at the time and place therein specified without deduction for any taxes which

may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more of the coupon bonds of the series of which this is one may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor by surrendering the said coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller of said City.

This bond is one of a series of bonds issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of a special election duly called and held in said City on July 8, 1919; and in pursuance of an Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of five hundred forty thousand dollars (\$540,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

For the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repaving, repairing and reconstructing and otherwise improving the streets of the City generally, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon, duly enacted by the Council thereof and approved by the Mayor thereof on, 1919, and duly recorded and published in the manner required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of

Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the bonds of which this is one, is less than seven per centum (7%) of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor thereof and countersigned by the City Controller as of the first day of August, 1919.

(Seal of the City
of Pittsburgh.)

CITY OF PITTSBURGH.

By.....
Mayor.

Countersigned:

.....
City Controller.

(Form of Coupon)

On the first day of, 19....., the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania will pay to the bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City twenty-two and 50.100 dollars (\$22.50), lawful money of the United States of America, for six months interest on its Street Improvement Bond—Series "A", dated as of August 1, 1919, numbered.....

.....
City Controller.

The registered bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the same form as the coupon bonds as hereinabove provided, except that the first paragraph of said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

Know All Men by These Presents: That the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to.....

..... in the sum of dollars (\$.....), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said legal representatives or assigns, at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D. 19....., with interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually, at the same place, on the first days of February and August of each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of

the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 438.

No. 270

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred eleven thousand dollars (\$111,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving Diamond street from Ferry street to Market place, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Whereas, The corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh, by Ordinance approved by the Mayor on May 27, 1919, and duly published and recorded as required by law, signified their desire that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the sum of one hundred eleven thousand dollars (\$111,000.00) for the purposes, among others, described in the following Ordinance, and provided that the question of increasing the indebtedness in said amount and for said purposes be submitted to a vote of the electors of said City at a special election held on July 8, 1919; and

Whereas, After proper and timely notice of said election was given according to law, said election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and a majority of the electors, who voted at said election, voted in favor of said increase of indebtedness; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of one hundred eleven thousand dollars (\$111,000.00) to provide funds presently required for the following purposes, viz:

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving the street below described (including, as may be required in the case of such street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grading and re-

grading, curbing and recurbing, relaying sidewalks, laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls and street foundations and surfaces, including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets) the said street being the following, namely:

Diamond street from Ferry street to Market place.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of one hundred eleven thousand dollars (\$111,000.00) be issued for the purposes aforesaid. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiples thereof; shall be dated as of the first day of August, 1919, and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of three thousand seven hundred dollars (\$3,700.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of August in each of the years 1920 to 1949, inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not yet due, at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42 (Contingent Fund). Registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as Diamond Street Improvement Bond—Series 2.

Section 3. That said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller, at not less than par and accrued

interest, after giving such notice of sale as may be required by law.

Section 4. That until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable, and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third per centum ($3\frac{1}{3}\%$) of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the revenue of the City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. That all bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon semi-annually as the same shall become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That the form of coupon bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall be substantially as follows:

No. No.
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

\$ \$
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH.
DIAMOND STREET IMPROVEMENT
BOND—SERIES 2.

Know All Men by These Presents: That the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania is indebted to the bearer in the sum of dollars (\$), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D., 19....., with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons at the time and place therein specified without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by

the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more of the coupon bonds of the series of which this is one may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor by surrendering the said coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller of said City.

This bond is one of a series of bonds issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes by virtue in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of a special election duly called and held in said City on July 8, 1919; and in pursuance of an Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred eleven thousand dollars (\$111,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving Diamond street from Ferry street to Market place, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon, duly enacted by the Council thereof and approved by the Mayor thereof on 1919, and duly recorded and published in the manner required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the bonds of which this is one, is less than seven per centum (7%) of the last preceding assessed valuation

of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor thereof and countersigned by the City Controller as of the first day of August, 1919.

(Seal of the City
of Pittsburgh).

CITY OF PITTSBURGH.

By..... Mayor.

Countersigned:

.....
City Controller.

(Form of Coupon)

On the first day of
19....., the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will pay to the bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City twenty-two and 50/100 dollars (\$22.50), lawful money of the United States of America, for six months' interest on its Diamond Street Improvement Bond, Series 2, dated as of August 1, 1919, numbered

.....
City Controller.

The registered bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the same form as the coupon bonds as hereinabove provided, except that the first paragraph of said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

Know All Men by These Presents: That the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to..... in the sum of dollars (\$.....), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said legal representatives or assigns, at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D. 19....., with interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually, at the same place, on the first days of February and August of each year, without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 443.

No. 271

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of five hundred fifty-five thousand dollars (\$555,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

For the city's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving East Ohio street from Heinz street to City Line at Millvale Borough, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Whereas, The corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh, by Ordinance approved by the Mayor on May 27, 1919, and duly published and recorded as required by law, signified their desire that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the sum of five hundred fifty-five thousand dollars (\$555,000.00) the purposes, among others, described in the following Ordinance, and provided that the question of increasing the indebtedness in said amount and for said purposes be submitted to a vote of the electors of said City at a special election held on July 8, 1919; and

Whereas, After proper and timely notice of said election was given according to law, said election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and a majority of the electors, who voted at said election, voted in favor of said increase of indebtedness; now therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of five hundred fifty-five thousand dollars (\$555,000.00) to provide funds presently required for the following purposes, viz:*

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving the street below described (including, as may be required in the case of such street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grading and regrading, curbing and recurbing, relaying

sidewalks, laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls and street foundations and surfaces, including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets), the said street being the following, namely:

East Ohio street from Heinz street to City Line at Millvale Borough.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of five hundred fifty-five thousand dollars (\$555,000.00) be issued for the purposes aforesaid. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiples thereof; shall be dated as of the first day of August, 1919; and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of eighteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$18,500.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of August in each of the years 1920 to 1949, inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not yet due, at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42 (Contingent Fund. Registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer, and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as East Ohio Street Improvement Bond.

Section 3. That said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller, at not less than par and accrued

of the bonds of which this is one, is less than seven per centum (7%) of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor thereof and countersigned by the City Controller as of the first day of August, 1919.

(Seal of the City
of Pittsburgh)

CITY OF PITTSBURGH.

By.....
Mayor.

Countersigned:

.....
City Controller.

(Form of Coupon)

On the first day of, 19....., the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will pay to the bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City twenty-two and 50/100 dollars (\$22.50), lawful money of the United States of America, for six months' interest on its East Ohio Street Improvement Bond dated as of August 1, 1919, numbered.....

.....
City Controller.

The registered bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the same form as the coupon bonds as hereinabove provided, except that the first paragraph of said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

Know All Men by These Presents: That the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to.....

..... in the sum of..... dollars (\$.....), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said legal representative or assigns, at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D., 19..... with interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually, at the same place, on the first days of February and August of each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and

property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 446.

No. 272

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of ninety-six thousand dollars (\$96,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

For the city's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving Mount Oliver street from South Eleventh street to a point 50 feet north of Loyal way, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Whereas, The corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh, by Ordinance approved by the Mayor on May 27, 1919, and duly published and recorded as required by law, signified their desire that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the sum of ninety-six thousand dollars (\$96,000.00) for the purposes, among others, described in the following Ordinance, and provided that the question of increasing the indebtedness in said amount and for said purposes be submitted to a vote of the electors of said City at a special election held on July 8, 1919; and

Whereas, After proper and timely notice of said election was given according to law, said election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and a majority of the electors, who voted at said election, voted in favor of said increase of indebtedness; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of ninety-six thousand dollars (\$96,000.00) to provide funds presently required for the following purposes, viz:*

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving the street below described (including, as may be required in the case of such

interest, after giving such notice of sale as may be required by law.

Section 4. That until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable, and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third per centum ($3\frac{1}{3}\%$) of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the revenue of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. That all bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the bonded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon semi-annually as the same shall become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That the form of coupon bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall be substantially as follows:

No. _____ No. _____
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
\$ _____ \$ _____
, COMMONWEALTH OF PENN-
SYLVANIA.
CITY OF PITTSBURGH.
EAST OHIO STREET IMPROVEMENT
BOND.

Know All Men by These Presents: That the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, is indebted to the bearer in the sum of _____ dollars (\$ _____), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D. 19____, with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons at the time and place therein specified without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the pay-

ment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more of the coupon bonds of the series of which this is one may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor by surrendering the said coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller of said City.

This bond is one of a series of bonds issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of a special election duly called and held in said City on July 8, 1919; and in pursuance of an Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of five hundred fifty-five thousand dollars (\$555,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving East Ohio street from Heinz street to City Line at Millvale Borough, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon, duly enacted by the Council thereof and approved by the Mayor thereof on _____, 1919, and duly recorded and published in the manner required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue

street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grading and re-grading, curbing and recurbing, relaying sidewalks, laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls and street foundations and surfaces, including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets), the said street being the following, namely:

Mount Oliver street from South Eighteenth street to a point 50 feet north of Loyal way.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of ninety-six thousand (\$96,000.00) be issued for the purposes aforesaid. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiples thereof; shall be dated as of the first day of August, 1919; and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of three thousand two hundred dollars (\$3,200.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of August in each of the years 1920 to 1949, inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not yet due, at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42 (Contingent Fund.) Registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as Mount Oliver Street Improvement Bond.

Section 3. That said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller, at not less than par and accrued interest, after giving such notice of sale as may be required by law.

Section 4. That until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable, and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third per centum (3⅓%) of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the revenue of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. That all bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon semi-annually as the same shall become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That the form of coupon bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall be substantially as follows:

No. No.
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
\$ \$
COMMONWEALTH OF
PENNSYLVANIA.
CITY OF PITTSBURGH.
MOUNT OLIVER STREET IMPROVE-
MENT BOND.

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, is indebted to the bearer in the sum of dollars (\$.....), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D. 19....., with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons at the time and place therein specified without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon

by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more of the coupon bonds of the series of which this is one may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor by surrendering the said coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller of said City.

This bond is one of a series of bonds issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of a special election duly called and held in said City on July 8, 1919; and in pursuance of an ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of ninety-six thousand dollars (\$96,000.00) and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving Mount Oliver street from South Eighteenth street to a point 50 feet north of Loyal way, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon." duly enacted by the Council thereof and approved by the Mayor thereof on _____, 1919, and duly recorded and published in the manner required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the

principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the bonds of which this is one, is less than seven per centum (7%) of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor thereof and countersigned by the City Controller as of the first day of August, 1919.

(Seal of the City of Pittsburgh.)

CITY OF PITTSBURGH

By _____ Mayor.

Countersigned:

City Controller.

(Form of Coupon)

On the first day of _____, 19____, the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will pay to the bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City twenty-two and 50/100 dollars (\$22.50), lawful money of the United States of America, for six months' interest on its Mount Oliver Street Improvement Bond dated as of August 1, 1919, numbered _____.

City Controller.

The registered bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the same form as the coupon bonds as hereinabove provided, except that the first paragraph of said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to _____

in the sum of _____ dollars (\$ _____) lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said _____

legal representatives or assigns, at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D., 19____, with interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually, at the same place, on the first days of February and August of each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby as-

sumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 452.

No. 273

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred seventy-one thousand dollars (\$171,000.00) and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense including engineering expenses) of opening and improving Bigelow boulevard at and near Brereton street, and also at and near Thirtieth street, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Whereas, The corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh, by Ordinance approved by the Mayor on May 27, 1919, and duly published and recorded as required by law, signified their desire that the indebtedness of the said City be increased in the sum of one hundred seventy-one thousand dollars (\$171,000.00) for the purposes, among others described in the following Ordinance, and provided that the question of increasing the indebtedness in said amount and for said purposes be submitted to a vote of the electors of said City at a special election held on July 8, 1919; and

Whereas, After proper and timely notice of said election was given according to law, said election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and a majority of the electors, who voted at said election, voted in favor of said increase of indebtedness; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of one hundred seventy-one thousand dollars (\$171,000.00) to provide funds

presently required for the following purposes, viz:

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving the street below described (including, as may be required in the case of such street, vacating, widening, establishing and changing grades, grading and regrading, curbing and recurbings, relaying, sidewalks, laying and relaying sewers and drains, constructing and reconstructing retaining walls and street foundations and surfaces, including any and all such improvements as may be incidentally necessary to intersecting and adjacent streets), the said street being the following, namely:

Bigelow Boulevard at and near Brereton street, and also at and near Thirtieth street.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of one hundred seventy-one thousand dollars (\$171,000.00) be issued for the purposes aforesaid. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiples thereof; shall be dated as of the first day of August, 1919; and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of five thousand seven hundred dollars (\$5,700.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of August in each of the years 1920 to 1949 inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not yet due, at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42 (Contingent Fund.) Registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer, and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds

shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as Bigelow Boulevard Improvement Bond.

Section 3. That said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller, at not less than par and accrued interest, after giving such notice of sale as may be required by law.

Section 4. That until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third per centum ($3\frac{1}{3}\%$) of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the revenue of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. That all bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon semi-annually as the same shall become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That the form of coupon bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall be substantially as follows:

No. No.
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
\$ \$
COMMONWEALTH OF
PENNSYLVANIA.
CITY OF PITTSBURGH.
BIGELOW BOULEVARD IMPROVE-
MENT BOND.

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, is indebted to the bearer in the sum of dollars (\$.....), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh prom-

ises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D. 19....., with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons at the time and place therein specified without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more of the coupon bonds of the series of which this is one may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor by surrendering the said coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller of said City.

This bond is one of a series of bonds issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of a special election duly called and held in said City on July 8, 1919; and in pursuance of an ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred seventy-one thousand dollars (\$171,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

For the City's share of the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of opening and improving Bigelow Boulevard at and near Brereton street, and also at and near Thirtieth street, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," duly enacted by the Council thereof and approved by the Mayor thereof on

1919, and duly recorded and published in the manner required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the bonds of which this is one, is less than seven per centum (7%) of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor thereof and countersigned by the City Controller as of the first day of August, 1919.

(Seal of the City of Pittsburgh.)

CITY OF PITTSBURGH

By Mayor.

Countersigned:

City Controller.

(Form of Coupon)

On the first day of 19....., the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will pay to the bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City twenty-two and 50/100 dollars (\$22.50), lawful money of the United States of America, for six months' interest on its Bigelow Boulevard Improvement Bond dated as of August 1, 1919, numbered

City Controller.

The registered bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the same form as the coupon bonds as hereinabove provided, except that the first paragraph of said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to

..... in the sum of dollars (\$.....) lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said

..... legal representatives or assigns, at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D., 19..... with interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum,

payable semi-annually, at the same place, on the first days of February and August of each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 456.

No. 274

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$399,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repairing and improving the roadways in Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Whereas, The corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh by Ordinance approved by the Mayor on May 27, 1919, and duly published and recorded as required by law, signified their desire that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the sum of three hundred ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$399,000.00) for the purposes, among others, described in the following Ordinance, and provided that the question of increasing the indebtedness in said amount and for said purposes be submitted to a vote of the electors of said City at a special election held on July 8, 1919; and

Whereas, After proper and timely notice of said election was given according to law, said election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and a majority of the electors, who voted at said election, voted in favor of said increase of indebtedness; now, therefore,

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council

assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of three hundred ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$399,000.00) to provide funds presently required for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repairing and improving the roadways in Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of three hundred ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$399,000.00) be issued for the purposes aforesaid. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiples thereof; shall be dated as of the first day of August, 1919; and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of thirteen thousand three hundred dollars (\$13,300.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of August in each of the years 1920 to 1949, inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not yet due, at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42 (Contingent Fund). Registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer, and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as Park Roadway Improvement Bond.

Section 3. That said bonds shall be

sold by the Mayor and the City Controller, at not less than par and accrued interest, after giving such notice of sale as may be required by law.

Section 4. That until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable, and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third per centum ($3\frac{1}{3}\%$) of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the revenue of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. That all bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon semi-annually as the same shall become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That the form of coupon bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall be substantially as follows:

No. No.
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
\$ \$
COMMONWEALTH OF
PENNSYLVANIA.
CITY OF PITTSBURGH.
PARK ROADWAY IMPROVEMENT
BOND

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, is indebted to the bearer in the sum of dollars (\$.....), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D. 19....., with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons at the time and place therein specified without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon

by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more of the coupon bonds of the series of which this is one may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor by surrendering the said coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller of said City.

This bond is one of a series of bonds issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of a special election duly called and held in said City on July 8, 1919; and in pursuance of an ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$399,000.00) and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of repairing and improving the roadways in Schenley, Highland and Riverview Parks, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," duly enacted by the Council thereof and approved by the Mayor thereof on 1919, and duly recorded and published in the manner required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the

City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the bonds of which this is one, is less than seven per centum (7%) of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor thereof and countersigned by the City Controller as of the first day of August, 1919.

(Seal of the City of Pittsburgh.)

CITY OF PITTSBURGH

By Mayor.

Countersigned:

..... City Controller.

(Form of Coupon)

On the first day of, 19....., the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will pay to the bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City twenty-two and 50/100 dollars (\$22.50), lawful money of the United States of America, for six months' interest on its Park Roadway Improvement Bond dated as of August 1, 1919, numbered

..... City Controller.

The registered bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the same form as the coupon bonds as hereinabove provided, except that the first paragraph of said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to.....

.....in the sum of dollars (\$.....) lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said

..... legal representatives or assigns, at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D., 19..... with interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually, at the same place, on the first days of February and August of each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of

the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 460.

No. 275

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$99,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of developing and improving West Park, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Whereas, The corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh, by Ordinance approved by the Mayor on May 27, 1919, and duly published and recorded as required by law, signified their desire that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the sum of ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$99,000.00) for the purposes, among others, described in the following Ordinance, and provided that the question of increasing the indebtedness in said amount and for said purposes be submitted to a vote of the electors of said City at a special election held on July 8, 1919; and

Whereas, After proper and timely notice of said election was given according to law, said election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and a majority of the electors, who voted at said election, voted in favor of said increase of indebtedness; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$99,000.00) to provide funds presently required for the following purposes, viz:*

Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of developing and improving West Park.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of

Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$99,000.00) be issued for the purposes aforesaid. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiples thereof; shall be dated as of the first day of August, 1919; and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of three thousand three hundred dollars (\$3,300.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of August in each of the years 1920 to 1949, inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, or surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not yet due, at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42, (Contingent Fund). Registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer, and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as West Park Improvement Bond.

Section 3. That said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller, at not less than par and accrued interest, after giving such notice of sale as may be required by law.

Section 4. That until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on

said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable, and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third per centum ($3\frac{1}{3}\%$) of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the revenue of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. That all bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon semi-annually as the same shall become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That the form of coupon bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall be substantially as follows:

No. No.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

\$ \$

COMMONWEALTH OF
PENNSYLVANIA.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH.

WEST PARK IMPROVEMENT
BOND.

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, is indebted to the bearer in the sum of dollars (\$.....), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D. 19....., with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons at the time and place therein specified without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more of the coupon bonds

of the series of which this is one may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor by surrendering the said coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller of said City.

This bond is one of a series of bonds issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of a special election duly called and held in said City on July 8, 1919; and in pursuance of an ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$99,000.00) and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of developing and improving West Park, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," duly enacted by the Council thereof and approved by the Mayor thereof on....., 1919, and duly recorded and published in the manner required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the bonds of which this is one, is less than seven per centum (7%) of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor thereof and countersigned by the City Controller as of the first day of August, 1919.

(Seal of the City of Pittsburgh.)

CITY OF PITTSBURGH

By Mayor.

Countersigned:

.....
City Controller.

(Form of Coupon)

On the first day of 19....., the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will pay to the bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City twenty-two and 50/100 dollars (\$22.50). lawful money of the United States of America, for six months' interest on its West Park Improvement Bond dated as of August 1, 1919, numbered.....

.....
City Controller.

The registered bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the same form as the coupon bonds as hereinabove provided, except that the first paragraph of said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to.....

..... in the sum of dollars (\$.....) lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said

..... legal representatives or assigns, at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D., 19..... with interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually, at the same place, on the first days of February and August of each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the

same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 465.

No. 276

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred thirty thousand dollars (\$330,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement of City playgrounds and the establishment of new playgrounds, including acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Whereas, the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh by Ordinance approved by the Mayor on May 27, 1919, and duly published and recorded as required by law, signified their desire that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the sum of eight hundred thirty-one thousand dollars (\$831,000.00) for the purposes, among others, described in the following ordinance, and provided that the question of increasing the indebtedness in said amount and for said purposes be submitted to a vote of the electors of said City at a special election held on July 8, 1919; and

Whereas, After proper and timely notice of said election was given according to law, said election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and a majority of the electors, who voted at said election, voted in favor of said increase of indebtedness; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of three hundred thirty thousand dollars (\$330,000.00) to provide funds presently required for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement of City playgrounds and the establishment of new playgrounds, including acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of three hundred thirty

thousand dollars (\$330,000.00) be issued for the purposes aforesaid. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiples thereof; shall be dated as of the first day of August, 1919; and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of eleven thousand dollars (\$11,000.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of August in each of the years 1920 to 1949, inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds, surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not yet due, at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42 (Contingent Fund). Registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer, and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as Playground Improvement Bond, Series "A."

Section 3. That said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller, at not less than par and accrued interest, after giving such notice of sale as may be required by law.

Section 4. That until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue

and become payable, and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third per centum ($3\frac{1}{3}\%$) of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the revenue of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. That all bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon semi-annually as the same shall become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That the form of coupon bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall be substantially as follows:

No. No.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

\$ \$

COMMONWEALTH OF
PENNSYLVANIA.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH.
PLAYGROUND IMPROVEMENT BOND
SERIES "A"

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, is indebted to the bearer in the sum of dollars (\$.....), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D. 19..... with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons at the time and place therein specified without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more of the coupon bonds of the series of which this is one may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the

denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor by surrendering the said coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller of said City.

This bond is one of a series of bonds issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of a special election duly called and held in said City on July 8, 1919; and in pursuance of an Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of three hundred thirty thousand dollars (\$330,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement of City Playgrounds and the establishment of new playgrounds, including acquisition of land, property and equipment therefor, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," duly enacted by the Council thereof and approved by the Mayor thereof on _____, 1919, and duly recorded and published in the manner required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the bonds of which this is one, is less than seven per centum (7%) of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the

City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor thereof and countersigned by the City Controller as of the first day of August, 1919.

(Seal of the City of Pittsburgh.)

CITY OF PITTSBURGH

By _____ Mayor.

Countersigned:

City Controller.

(Form of Coupon)

On the first day of _____, 19____, the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will pay to the bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City twenty-two and 50/100 dollars (\$22.50), lawful money of the United States of America, for six months' interest on its Playground Improvement Bond—Series "A" dated as of August 1, 1919, numbered_____.

City Controller.

The registered bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the same form as the coupon bonds as hereinabove provided, except that the first paragraph of said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to _____

_____ in the sum of _____ dollars (\$_____) lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said _____

_____ legal representatives or assigns, at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D., 19____ with interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually, at the same place, on the first days of February and August of each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the

same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30. Page 469.

No. 277

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00) and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost, damages and expenses (including architectural and engineering expenses) of six (6) Public Comfort Stations, including the acquisition of land where necessary therefor, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Whereas, The Corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh, by Ordinance approved by the Mayor on May 27, 1919, and duly published and recorded as required by law, signified their desire that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the sum of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00) for the purposes, among others, described in the following Ordinance, and provided that the question of increasing the indebtedness in said amount and for said purposes be submitted to a vote of the electors of said City at a special election held on July 8, 1919; and

Whereas, After proper and timely notice of said election was given according to law, said election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and a majority of the electors, who voted at said election, voted in favor of said increase of indebtedness; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00) to provide funds presently required for the following purposes, viz:*

Paying the cost, damages and expenses (including architectural and engineering expenses) of six (6) Public Comfort Stations, including the acquisition of land where necessary therefor.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal

amount of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00) be issued for the purposes aforesaid. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiples thereof; shall be dated as of the first day of August, 1919; and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of August in each of the years 1920 to 1949, inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not yet due, at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42 (Contingent Fund). Registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer, and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as Public Comfort Station Bond.

Section 3. That said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller, at not less than par and accrued interest, after giving such notice of sale as may be required by law.

Section 4. That until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue

and become payable, and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third per centum ($3\frac{1}{3}\%$) of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the revenue of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. That all bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon semi-annually as the same shall become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That the form of coupon bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall be substantially as follows:

No. No.
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
\$ \$
COMMONWEALTH OF
PENNSYLVANIA.
CITY OF PITTSBURGH.
PUBLIC COMFORT STATION BOND

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, is indebted to the bearer in the sum of dollars (\$.....), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D. 19....., with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons at the time and place therein specified without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more of the coupon bonds of the series of which this is one may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the

denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor by surrendering the said coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller of said City.

This bond is one of a series of bonds issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of a special election duly called and held in said City on July 8, 1919; and in pursuance of an ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00) and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost, damages and expenses (including architectural and engineering expenses) of six (6) Public Comfort Stations, including the acquisition of land where necessary therefor, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," duly enacted by the Council thereof and approved by the Mayor thereof on, 1919, and duly recorded and published in the manner required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the bonds of which this is one, is less than seven per centum (7%) of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor

thereof and countersigned by the City Controller as of the first day of August, 1919.

(Seal of the City of Pittsburgh.)

CITY OF PITTSBURGH

By

Mayor.

Countersigned:

.....
City Controller.

(Form of Coupon)

On the first day of
19....., the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will pay to the bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City twenty-two and 50/100 dollars (\$22.50), lawful money of the United States of America, for six months' interest on its Public Comfort Station Bond dated as of August 1, 1919, numbered.....

.....
City Controller.

The registered bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the same form as the coupon bonds as hereinabove provided, except that the first paragraph of said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to.....

.....in the sum of dollars (\$.....) lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said

..... legal representatives or assigns, at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D., 19....., with interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually, at the same place, on the first days of February and August of each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the

same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 474.

No. 278

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one million twenty thousand dollars (\$1,020,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said purposes, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Whereas, the corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh, by Ordinance approved by the Mayor on May 27, 1919, and duly published and recorded as required by law, signified their desire that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the sum of one million four hundred one thousand dollars (\$1,401,000.00) for the purposes, among others, described in the following Ordinance, and provided that the question of increasing the indebtedness in said amount and for said purposes be submitted to a vote of the electors of said City at a special election held on July 8, 1919; and

Whereas, After proper and timely notice of said election was given according to law, said election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and a majority of the electors, who voted at said election, voted in favor of said increase of indebtedness; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of one million twenty thousand dollars (\$1,020,000.00) to provide funds pres-*

ently required for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said purposes.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of one million twenty-thousand dollars (\$1,020,000.00) be issued for the purpose aforesaid. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiples thereof; shall be dated as of the first day of August, 1919; and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of thirty-four thousand dollars (\$34,000.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of August in each of the years 1920 to 1949, inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not yet due, at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42 (Contingent Fund). Registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer, and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City

Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as Water Bond—Series "A."

Section 3. That said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller, at not less than par and accrued interest, after giving such notice of sale as may be required by law.

Section 4. That until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable, and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third per centum ($3\frac{1}{3}\%$) of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the revenue of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. That all bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon semi-annually as the same shall become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That the form of coupon bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be substantially as follows:

No. No.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

\$ \$

COMMONWEALTH OF
PENNSYLVANIA.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH.

WATER BOND—SERIES "A"

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, is indebted to the bearer in the sum of dollars (\$.....), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D. 19..... with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half

per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons at the time and place therein specified without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more of the coupon bonds of the series of which this is one may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor by surrendering the said coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller of said City.

This bond is one of a series of bonds issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of a special election duly called and held in said City on July 8, 1919; and in pursuance of an ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one million twenty thousand dollars (\$1,020,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz.:

Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the improvement and extension of the water supply system of the City of Pittsburgh, including the acquisition of equipment, the erection and equipment of structures and buildings, the construction, remodeling and equipment of pumping stations, the extension and improvement of the pipe line system, the improvement and equipment of reservoirs, the purchase and installation of meters and the acquisition of real estate for said purposes, and providing

for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," duly enacted by the Council thereof and approved by the Mayor thereof on 1919, and duly recorded and published in the manner required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the bonds of which this is one, is less than seven per centum (7%) of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor thereof and countersigned by the City Controller as of the first day of August, 1919.

(Seal of the City of Pittsburgh.)

CITY OF PITTSBURGH

By Mayor.

Countersigned:

..... City Controller.

(Form of Coupon)

On the first day of 19....., the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will pay to the bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City twenty-two and 50/100 dollars (\$22.50) lawful money of the United States of America, for six months' interest on its Water Bond—Series "A" dated as of August 1, 1919, numbered.....

..... City Controller.

The registered bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the same form as the coupon bonds as hereinabove provided, except that the first paragraph of said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to..... in the sum of dollars (\$.....) lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to

the said legal representatives or assigns, at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D., 19....., with interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually, at the same place, on the first days of February and August of each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 478.

No. 279

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of Center Avenue Bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shadyside Station, and the approaches thereto, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Whereas, The corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh, by Ordinance approved by the Mayor on May 27, 1919, and duly published and recorded as required by law, signified their desire that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the sum of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00) for the purposes, among others, described in the following Ordinance, and provided that the question of increasing the indebtedness in said amount and for said purposes be submitted to a vote of the electors of said City at a special election held on July 8, 1919; and

Whereas, After proper and timely no-

tice of said election was given according to law, said election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and a majority of the electors, who voted at said election, voted in favor of said increase of indebtedness now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00) to provide funds presently required for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of Center Avenue Bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shadyside Station, and the approaches thereto.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00) be issued for the purposes aforesaid. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiples thereof; shall be dated as of the first day of August, 1919; and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of August in each of the years 1920 to 1949, inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not yet due, at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42 (Contingent Fund). Registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer, and shall be

transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller and sealed with the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as Center Avenue Bridge Bonds.

Section 3. That said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller, at not less than par and accrued interest, after giving such notice of sale as may be required by law.

Section 4. That until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable, and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third per centum ($3\frac{1}{3}\%$) of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the revenue of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. That all bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon semi-annually as the same shall become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That the form of coupon bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall be substantially as follows:

No. No.
 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
 \$ \$
 COMMONWEALTH OF
 PENNSYLVANIA.
 CITY OF PITTSBURGH.
 CENTER AVENUE BRIDGE BOND

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, is indebted to the bearer in the sum of

dollars (\$.....), lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D. 19....., with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half per centum ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons at the time and place therein specified without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more of the coupon bonds of the series of which this is one may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor by surrendering the said coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller of said City.

This bond is one of a series of bonds issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 29, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of a special election duly called and held in said City on July 8, 1919; and in pursuance of an ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of Center Avenue Bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad at Shadyside Station, and

the approaches thereto, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon,' duly enacted by the Council thereof and approved by the Mayor thereof on 1919, and duly recorded and published in the manner required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the bonds of which this is one, is less than seven per centum (7%) of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor thereof and countersigned by the City Controller as of the first day of August, 1919.

(Seal of the City of Pittsburgh.)

CITY OF PITTSBURGH

By Mayor.

Countersigned:

.....
City Controller.

(Form of Coupon)

On the first day of, 19....., the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will pay to the bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City twenty-two and 50/100 dollars (\$22.50), lawful money of the United States of America, for six months' interest on its Center Avenue Bridge Bond dated as of August 1, 1919, numbered.....

.....
City Controller.

The registered bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the same form as the coupon bonds as hereinabove provided, except that the first paragraph of said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to..... in the sum of dollars (\$.....) lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to

the said legal representatives or assigns, at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D., 19....., with interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually, at the same place, on the first days of February and August of each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 483.

No. 280

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00), and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of the North and Irwin Avenue Bridges and approaches thereto, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon.

Whereas, The corporate authorities of the City of Pittsburgh, by Ordinance approved by the Mayor on May 27, 1919, and duly published and recorded as required by law, signified their desire that the indebtedness of said City be increased in the sum of sixty-thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) for the purposes, among others, described in the following Ordinance, and provided that the question of increasing the indebtedness in said amount and for said purposes be submitted to a vote of the electors of said City at a special election held on July 8, 1919; and

Whereas, After proper and timely notice of said election was given accord-

ing to law, said election was held and conducted in every respect as required by law, and a majority of the electors, who voted at said election, voted in favor of said increase of indebtedness; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) to provide funds presently required for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of the North and Irwin Avenue Bridges and approaches thereto.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) be issued for the purposes aforesaid. Said bonds shall be in denominations of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or multiples thereof; shall be dated as of the first day of August, 1919; and shall be payable in thirty (30) equal annual installments of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) each, one of which shall mature on the first day of August in each of the years 1920 to 1949, inclusive. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. The principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City. Said bonds shall be coupon bonds, exchangeable at the option of the holder for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not yet due, at the office of the City Controller, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved and to issue the sum in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42 (Contingent Fund). Registered bonds shall be registered with the City Treasurer, and shall be transferable only on the books of the said City Treasurer. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Con-

troller and sealed with the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, and the coupons attached thereto shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as North and Irwin Avenue Bridge Bond.

Section 3. That said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller, at not less than par and accrued interest, after giving such notice of sale as may be required by law.

Section 4. That until said bonds, issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable, and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third per centum (3⅓%) of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the revenue of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. That all bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof, and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon semi-annually as the same shall become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 6. That the form of coupon bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall be substantially as follows:

No. No.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

\$ \$

COMMONWEALTH OF
PENNSYLVANIA.

CITY OF PITTSBURGH.

NORTH AND IRWIN AVENUE
BRIDGE BOND

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, is indebted to the bearer in the sum of dollars (\$.....), lawful money of the United States of America, which

sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D. 19....., with interest thereon from the date hereof at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually to the bearer of the annexed coupons at the time and place therein specified without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Any one or more of the coupon bonds of the series of which this is one may, at the option of the holder, be exchanged at any time for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity and of the denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor by surrendering the said coupon bond or bonds with all coupons not then due at the office of the City Controller of said City.

This bond is one of a series of bonds issued by the City of Pittsburgh for valid municipal purposes by virtue and in pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act to regulate the manner of increasing the indebtedness of municipalities, to provide for the redemption of the same, and to impose penalties for the illegal increase thereof," approved April 20, 1874, and the several supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the supplements and amendments thereof; and by virtue of a special election duly called and held in said City on July 8, 1919; and in pursuance of an ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) and providing for the issue of bonds of said City in said amount to provide for the following purposes, viz:

Paying the cost, damages and expense (including engineering expenses) of the construction, reconstruction, change of location and improvement of the North and Irwin Avenue Bridges and approaches thereto, and providing for the redemption of said bonds and the payment of interest thereon," duly enacted by the Council thereof and ap-

proved by the Mayor thereof on 1919, and duly recorded and published in the manner required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that every requirement of law affecting the issue hereof has been duly complied with; that provision has been made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest and also the principal hereof at maturity; that the total amount of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh, including the entire issue of the bonds of which this is one, is less than seven per centum (7%) of the last preceding assessed valuation of the taxable property therein; and that this bond and the debt created thereby are within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Given under the corporate seal of the City of Pittsburgh, signed by the Mayor thereof and countersigned by the City Controller as of the first day of August, 1919.

(Seal of the City of Pittsburgh.)

CITY OF PITTSBURGH

By Mayor.

Countersigned:

..... City Controller.

(Form of Coupon)

On the first day of 19....., the City of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, will pay to the bearer at the office of the City Treasurer of said City twenty-two and 50/100 dollars (\$22.50), lawful money of the United States of America, for six months' interest on its North and Irwin Avenue Bridge Bond dated as of August 1, 1919, numbered

..... City Controller.

The registered bonds issued in pursuance of this Ordinance shall be in substantially the same form as the coupon bonds as hereinabove provided, except that the first paragraph of said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

Know All Men By These Presents that the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is indebted to in the sum of dollars (\$.....) lawful money of the United States of America, which sum the said City of Pittsburgh promises to pay to the said legal representatives or assigns, at the office of

the City Treasurer of said City on the first day of August, A. D., 19....., with interest thereon at the rate of four and one-half per centum (4½%) per annum, payable semi-annually, at the same place, on the first days of February and August of each year without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh. And for the true and faithful payment of the principal of this bond and the semi-annual interest thereon, as aforesaid, the faith, honor, credit and property of the said City of Pittsburgh are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 6, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 487.

No. 281

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor to appoint appraisers not exceeding three in number for the purpose of appraising the water works of the City and providing for their compensation.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to appoint appraisers not exceeding three in number to appraise the water works of the City of Pittsburgh, said appointees to be persons qualified by experience to do said work, and their compensation to be fixed by the Mayor either on a per diem or monthly basis or by contract for the whole work, provided the total compensation shall not exceed \$10,000.00, and to be paid by vouchers to be signed by the Mayor and approved by the City Controller and charged to Code Account 1018-A.

Section 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 492.

No. 282

AN ORDINANCE—Amending lines one and two of Section 17, Department of Assessors, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Whereas, An Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled, "An Act amending Article 6 of an Act entitled, 'An Act for the government of cities of the second class,' approved the seventh day of March Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one as amended by an Act entitled, 'An Act amending article six of an Act, entitled, 'An Act for the government of cities of the second class,' approved the seventh day of March Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and one as amended by an amendatory act approved the first day of April Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and nine, and as affected by an Act entitled, 'An Act providing a uniform rate of assessment and taxation for all real estate in cities of the second class,' approved the eleventh day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and eleven, by providing for the classification of real estate for purposes of taxation into two classes, to-wit, the buildings on land and the land exclusive of buildings, and by providing for the assessment of a less tax upon the buildings than upon the land exclusive of the buildings in cities of the second class', approved the fifteenth day of May Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, fixing the number of assessors and relating to their salaries", approved June 23, 1919, fixes the number of assessors of cities of the second class, and provides for the minimum salary to be paid said assessors, based on the last preceding decennial census; and

Whereas, According to the last decennial census of the United States the City of Pittsburgh has 533,905 inhabitants; and

Whereas, Based on said census, the above mentioned Act of Assembly fixes the number of assessors for the City of Pittsburgh at nine (9), and their minimum salary at \$3,500.00 per annum; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That lines one and two of Section 17 of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSORS

Section 17:

Chief Assessor.....\$3,300.00 per annum
Eight Assessors.....
.....\$2,700 each per annum

be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSORS

Section 17:

Chief Assessor.....\$3,750.00 per annum
Eight Assessors.....
.....\$3,500.00 each per annum

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 492.

No. 283

AN ORDINANCE—Amending lines 8 and 9 of Section 109, lines 9 and 10 of Section 110, line 7 of Section 111, line 7 of Section 113, line 6 of Section 114, line 4 of Section 115 and line 5 of Section 116, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22nd, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That lines 8 and 9 of Section 109, lines 9 and 10 of Section 110, line 7 of Section 111, line 7 of Section 113, line 6 of Section 114, line 4 of Section 115 and line 5 of Section 116 of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22nd, 1919, which reads as follows:

WASHINGTON PARK

"Section 109

Allowance for
high cost of
living included
in salary rate.

Caretaker—\$1,110.00 per annum \$120.00
Assistant
Caretaker— 870.00 per annum 120.00

ORMSBY PARK

Section 110
Caretaker—\$1,050.00 per annum \$120.00
Assistant
Caretaker— 870.00 per annum 120.00

LAWRENCE PARK

Section 111

Assistant
Caretaker—\$ 870.00 per annum \$120.00

WEST PENN PARK

Section 113

Assistant
Caretaker—\$ 870.00 per annum \$120.00

ARSENAL PARK

Section 114

Caretaker—\$ 870.00 per annum \$120.00

SOUTH SIDE PARK

Section 115

Caretaker—\$1,110.00 per annum \$120.00

REAM PARK

Section 116

Caretaker—\$ 870.00 per annum 120.00"

Be and the same are hereby amended to read as follows:

WASHINGTON PARK

"Section 109

Allowance for
high cost of
living included
in salary rate.

Caretaker—\$1,110.00 per annum \$120.00
Assistant
Caretaker— 990.00 per annum 120.00

ORMSBY PARK

Section 110

Caretaker—\$1,050.00 per annum \$120.00
Assistant
Caretaker— 990.00 per annum 120.00

LAWRENCE PARK

Section 111

Assistant
Caretaker—\$ 990.00 per annum \$120.00

WEST PENN PARK

Section 113

Assistant
Caretaker—\$1,990.00 per annum \$120.00

ARSENAL PARK

Section 114

Caretaker—\$ 990.00 per annum \$120.00

SOUTH SIDE PARK

Section 115

Caretaker—\$1,110.00 per annum 120.00

REAM PARK

Caretaker—\$ 990.00 per annum 120.00"

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 493.

No. 284

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts for making certain repairs to the Penn avenue, Millvale avenue and the Twenty-eighth street Bridges crossing the Pennsylvania Railroad; also the Wilmot street Bridge over Cunliffe Hollow, and the steps leading from Highland Avenue Bridge to Ravenna street, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for making repairs to the following bridges, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the said work, in accordance with the laws and Ordinances governing the said City:

	Estimated Cost
Penn Avenue Bridge over the Pennsylvania Railroad—Repairs and reconstruction of floor system	\$12,500.00
Millvale Avenue Bridge over the Pennsylvania Railroad—General structural repairs.....	6,000.00
Twenty-eighth Street Bridge over the Pennsylvania Railroad—Repairs to concrete floor	1,650.00
Wilmot Street Bridge over Cunliffe Hollow — Reconstruction of roadway floor....	13,000.00
Highland Avenue Bridge—Reconstruction of steps.....	500.00
Total	\$33,650.00

Section 2. That the respective sums set forth in Section 1 of this Ordinance, amounting in the aggregate to thirty-three thousand six hundred fifty dollars (\$33,650.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and are hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account No. 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and counter-sign warrants drawn on said fund for the payment of the costs of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the

same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 495.

No. 285

AN ORDINANCE—Approving "G. P. Lang Estate Plan of Lots" in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by Emma Kunkel (widow), Lewis P. Lang, Philip B. Lang, Annie Orth and George C. Orth, her husband, Walter Lang, Charlotte Lang, Eleanor Kress and James Kress, her husband, Bertha Lohmeyer and Fred A. Lohmeyer, her husband, heirs of George P. Lang, deceased, and William I. King and John R. Wendell, individually; accepting the dedication of Britannia street, Elmerton street, Hillis street, Rocton street and Lauster way, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon.

Whereas, Emma Kunkel (widow), Lewis P. Lang, Philip B. Lang, Annie Orth and George C. Orth, her husband, Walter Lang, Charlotte Lang, Eleanor Kress and James Kress, her husband, Bertha Lohmeyer and Fred A. Lohmeyer, her husband, heirs of George P. Lang, deceased, and William I. King and John R. Wendell, individually, the owners of certain property in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out in "G. P. Lang Estate Plan of Lots," have located certain streets and ways thereon and executed a deed of dedication on said plan, of all ground covered by said streets and way, to the City of Pittsburgh, for public use for highway purposes and have released the said City from any liability for damages, for or by reason of the physical grading of said public highways to the grades hereinafter established; therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the "G. P. Lang Estate Plan of Lots" situate in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by Emma Kunkel (widow), Lewis P. Lang, Philip B. Lang, Annie Orth and George C. Orth, her husband, Walter Lang, Charlotte Lang, Eleanor Kress and James Kress, her husband, Bertha Lohmeyer and Fred A. Lohmeyer, her husband, heirs of George P. Lang, deceased, and William I. King and John R. Wendell, individually, August 26th, 1919, be and the same is hereby approved and Britannia street, Elmerton street, Hillis

street, Rocton street and Lauster way, as located and dedicated, on said plan, are hereby accepted.

Section 2. The streets and way, as aforesaid dedicated to said City for highway purposes, shall be and the same are hereby appropriated and opened as public highways and named Britannia street, Elmerton street, Hillis street, Rocton street and Lauster way.

Section 3. The grades of Britannia street and Hillis street, laid out and dedicated in the "G. P. Lang Estate Plan of Lots," are hereby established as described in Ordinance No. 109, approved April 25th, 1917, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 29, Page 398.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and appropriate the said Britannia street, Elmerton street, Hillis street, Rocton street and Lauster way, for public highways, in conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 496.

No. 286

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade on Wapello street, from Davis avenue to Termon avenue.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the east curb line of Wapello street, from Davis avenue to Termon avenue, be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the north building line of Davis avenue at an elevation of 225.91 feet; thence rising at a rate of 8.18 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 253.36 feet to the south building line of Pemberton street, to an elevation of 246.63 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 40.0 feet to the north building line of Pemberton street, to an elevation of 248.63 feet; thence rising at a rate of 10.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 125.0 feet to the south building line of Aquatic way, to an elevation of 261.13 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 20.0 feet to the north building line of Aquatic way, to an elevation of 262.13 feet; thence rising at a rate of 31.38 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 110.40 feet to the south

building line of Termon avenue, to an elevation of 296.77 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 498.

No. 287

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Aquatic way, from Wapello street to a point 380.0 feet east of Wapello street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the south building line of Aquatic way, from Wapello street to a point 380.0 feet east of Wapello street, be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the east building line of Wapello street at an elevation of 201.13 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 130.0 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 267.63 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 40.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 270.09 feet; thence rising at a rate of 7.31 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 90.0 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 276.67 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 120.0 feet to a point of tangent distant 380.0 feet east of Wapello street, to an elevation of 294.26 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 498.

No. 288

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and empowering the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety to execute a lease on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh with the Liberty Transfer & Storage Company, for a building to be used as temporary quarters for Engine Company No. 11, for a

period of time not exceeding four (4) months.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to execute a lease on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh with the Liberty Transfer & Storage Company, for a building to be used as temporary quarters for Engine Company No. 11, for a period of time not exceeding four (4) months; the cost thereof to be at the rate of fifty (\$50.00) dollars per month, and to be charged to Code Account No. 1163, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Fire.*

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 499.

No. 289

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for remodeling and repairing Engine House No. 47, Bureau of Fire.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals, and let a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidders, for remodeling and repairing Engine House No. 47, Bureau of Fire; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of fifty-five hundred (\$5,500.00) dollars, and to be charged to Code Account No. 1166, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Fire.*

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 499.

No. 290

AN ORDINANCE—Approving the "Plan of Regent Place" in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out

by William E. Harmon; accepting the dedication of Henrietta street, La Clair street, Milton street, Overton street, Gamma way and Rear way, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon.

Whereas, William E. Harmon, the owner of certain property in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out in the "Plan of Regent Place," has located certain streets and ways thereon and executed a deed of dedication, on said plan, of all the ground covered by said streets and ways, to the City of Pittsburgh, for public use for highway purposes and has released the said City from any liability for damages, for or by reason of the physical grading of said public highways to the grades hereinafter established; therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the "Plan of Regent Plan", situate in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by William E. Harmon, April, 1919, be and the same is hereby approved, and Henrietta street La Clair street, Milton street, Overton street, Gamma way and Rear way, as located and dedicated, in said plan, are hereby accepted.*

Section 2. The streets and ways, as aforesaid dedicated to said City, for public highway purposes, shall be and the same are hereby appropriated and opened as public highways and named Henrietta street, La Clair street, Milton street, Overton street, Gamma way and Rear way.

Section 3. The grades of Henrietta street, La Clair street, Milton street, Overton street, Gamma way and Rear way, laid out and dedicated in the "Plan of Regent Place," are hereby established as described in Ordinance No. 251, approved July 31st, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30, page 417.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and appropriate the said Henrietta street, La Clair street, Milton street, Overton street, Gamma way and Rear way, for public highways in conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 22, 1919.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 500.

No. 291

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing and refixing the width and position of the northerly sidewalk and roadway and establishing and re-establishing the grade of Woodville avenue, from the point of curve east of Lowe street to Banksville avenue.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width and position of the northerly sidewalk and the roadway, and the grade of the northerly curb line of Woodville avenue, from the point of curve east of Lowe street to Banksville avenue, shall be and the same are hereby fixed and re-fixed, established and re-established as follows, to-wit:

The northerly curb line shall begin at a point on the northerly curb line of Woodville avenue at the point of curve east of Lowe street, said point of curve being 69.91 feet east of the easterly line of Lowe street; thence deflecting to the right and extending in an easterly direction by the arc of a circle having a radius of 692.0 feet and a central angle of $36^{\circ} 07' 40''$ for the distance of 436.34 feet to a point of reverse curve; thence continuing in an easterly direction by the arc of a circle deflecting to the left, having a radius of 408.0 feet and a central angle of $15^{\circ} 17' 40''$ for the distance of 108.91 feet to a point of tangent, said point of tangent being at the perpendicular distance of 8.0 feet southwardly from the northerly line of the street; thence by the tangent and continuing in an easterly direction parallel to the northerly line of the street for the distance of 796.87 feet to a point of curve; thence continuing in an easterly direction by the arc of a circle having a radius of 208.0 feet and a central angle of $16^{\circ} 35' 30''$ for the distance of 60.24 feet to the westerly curb line of Banksville avenue.

The northerly sidewalk shall have a variable width and shall occupy that portion of the street lying between the northerly line of the street and the northerly curb line as above described.

The roadway shall have a uniform width of 30.0 feet and shall lie along and parallel the southerly side of the northerly sidewalk as above described.

Section 2. The grade of the northerly curb line shall begin at the aforesaid point of curve east of Lowe street, at the elevation of 58.76 feet; thence rising at the rate of 0.75% for the distance of 1402.36 feet to the westerly curb line of Banksville avenue, to the elevation of 69.27 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same

is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 22, 1919.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 501.

No. 292

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Acorn street, from Saline street to Alexis street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the northerly curb line of Acorn street, from Saline street to Alexis street, shall be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the easterly curb line of Saline street at the elevation of 38.82 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1% for the distance of 65.0 feet to a point of curve to the elevation of 39.47 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 50.0 feet to a point of tangent to the elevation of 42.34 feet; thence rising at the rate of 10.5% for the distance of 345.88 feet to a point of curve to the elevation of 78.66 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 50.0 feet to a point of tangent to the elevation of 82.54 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5.0% for the distance of 169.27 feet to the westerly curb line of Alexis street to the elevation of 91.0 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 22, 1919.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 502.

No. 293

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Alexis street, from Saline street to an unnamed ten-foot way at the easterly boundary of the A. R. Neeb's "Forward Avenue Plan of Lots."

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the northerly curb line of Alexis street, from Saline street to an unnamed ten-foot way at the easterly boundary of the A. R. Neeb's "Forward Avenue Plan of Lots," shall be and the

same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the easterly curb line of Saline street at the elevation of 42.18 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1.0% for the distance of 25.0 feet to a point of curve to the elevation of 42.53 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 50.0 feet to a point of tangent to the elevation of 44.43 feet; thence rising at the rate of 7.0% for the distance of 295.0 feet to a point of curve to the elevation of 65.08 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 50.0 feet to a point of tangent to the elevation of 69.83 feet; thence rising at the rate of 12.0% for the distance of 117.45 feet to a point of curve to the elevation of 83.92 feet; thence rising at the rate of 7.0% for the distance of 26.0 feet to a point of curve to the elevation of 85.74 feet; thence rising at the rate of 12.0% for the distance of 230.94 feet to the westerly line of an unnamed ten-foot way at the easterly boundary of the A. E. Neeb's "Forward Avenue Plan of Lots" to the elevation of 113.45 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 22, 1919.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 503.

No. 294

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Shaler street, from Woodville avenue to Wabash street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the east curb line of Shaler street, from Woodville avenue to Wabash street shall be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northerly curb line of Woodville avenue at the elevation of 61.84 feet; thence rising at the rate of 3.18% for the distance of 254.86 feet to the southerly curb line of Wabash street, to the elevation of 69.94 feet; thence level for the distance of 26.0 feet to the northerly curb line of Wabash street; thence rising at the rate of 5.71% for the distance of 7.0 feet to the northerly line of Wabash street to the elevation of 70.34 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same

is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 22, 1919.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 504.

No. 295

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series "A," 1919, the sum of \$61,100.00 for the payment of supplies and materials, etc., furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of Water Bonds, Series "A," 1919, the sum of \$61,100.00 for the purpose of paying for supplies and materials, etc., furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, in the improvement of and extension of Water System, installation of meters, etc., in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said bonds.

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as No. 191 "C", Supplies and Materials, etc.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 22, 1919.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 504.

No. 296

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series "A," 1919, the sum of \$64,400.00 for the payment of engineering, mechanical and other services in the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of Water Bonds, Series "A," 1919, the sum of \$64,400.00 for the purpose of paying the salaries and wages required for engineering, mechanical and other services performed by the employees of the Bureau of Water, De-

partment of Public Works, in the improvement of and extension of water system, installation of meters, etc., in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said bonds.

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as No. 191 "A", salaries and wages.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 22, 1919.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 505.

No. 297

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile for the Bureau of Recreation.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the furnishing and delivery of one (1) automobile for the Bureau of Recreation at a cost not to exceed the sum of thirteen hundred (\$1,300.00) dollars, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7th, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the Ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1811.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 22, 1919.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 505.

No. 298

AN ORDINANCE—Granting to the Duquesne Heights Honor Roll the right and privilege to construct a Memorial Tablet on a certain piece of ground in Holliday Park owned by the City of Pittsburgh, in commemoration

of the boys who have been called into the service of the late World War.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Duquesne Heights Honor Roll be and is hereby given the right and authority to construct a Memorial Tablet on a certain piece of ground in Holliday Park owned by the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 2. The Duquesne Heights Honor Roll prior to beginning the construction of the Memorial Tablet shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works, and the Art Commission of said City, a complete set of plans, showing location and all details of construction of the said structure and the construction of said tablet will be subject to the approval and supervision of the said Director and the Art Commission; said tablet to be constructed under the authority of this Ordinance shall further be subject to the regulations of the Bureau of Building Inspection and to the Ordinances of said City relating thereto.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 506.

No. 299

AN ORDINANCE—Giving consent of the City of Pittsburgh to the annexation of the contiguous Borough of Spring Garden.

Whereas, Pursuant to the terms and provisions of an Act of Assembly, approved the 28th day of April, 1903, certain qualified voters of the contiguous Borough of Spring Garden presented their petition to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny County, the same has been ordered filed and said Court has directed notice to be given to the Mayor of Pittsburgh of such proposed annexation, which said notice has been duly accepted by said Mayor on the 18th day of July, 1919; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That approval is hereby given to said proposed annexation of the contiguous Borough of Spring Garden to the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provi-

sions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 507.

No. 300

AN ORDINANCE—Widening Ferry street, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Water street to Liberty avenue, fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing and re-establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Ferry street, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Water street to Liberty avenue, shall be widened to a variable width, so that the street as widened shall lie between the street lines as hereinafter described:

The westerly line, from Water street to a point 59.69 feet south of the southerly line of Liberty avenue shall coincide with the present westerly line of Ferry street; thence deflecting to the left by the arc of a circle with a radius of 24.0 feet and a central angle of 136° 11' 40" for the distance of 57.05 feet to a point of tangent on the southerly line of Liberty avenue, said point of tangent being distant 59.69 feet, measured westwardly along the said southerly line of Liberty avenue, from the westerly line of Ferry street, as heretofore opened.

The easterly line from Water street to Liberty avenue shall be parallel to and at the perpendicular distance of 70.0 feet eastwardly from the said present westerly line of Ferry street.

Section 2. The westerly curb line shall begin at a point on the southerly curb line of Liberty avenue distant 128.97 feet, measured westwardly along the southerly curb line of Liberty avenue, from the present easterly curb line of Ferry street; thence deflecting to the right and extending in an easterly direction by the arc of a circle with a radius of 45.0 feet and a central angle of 68° 56' 30" for the distance of 54.15 feet to a point of compound curve; thence continuing in an easterly direction by the arc of a circle deflecting to the right with a radius of 30.0 feet and a central angle of 67° 15' 10" for

the distance of 35.21 feet to a point of tangent, said point of tangent being at the perpendicular distance of 10.0 feet eastwardly from the westerly line of Ferry street; thence by the tangent and extending in a southerly direction parallel to and at the perpendicular distance of 10.0 feet eastwardly from the westerly line of Ferry street to the northerly line of Water street.

The westerly sidewalk shall occupy the space between the westerly curb line and the westerly street line as above described.

The easterly sidewalk shall have a uniform width of 10.0 feet and shall lie along and parallel the easterly line as above described.

The roadway shall have a variable width and shall occupy the central portion of the street lying between the sidewalks as above described.

Section 3. The grade of the westerly curb line shall begin on the southerly curb line of Liberty avenue at the point of curve in the westerly curb line of Ferry street as above described at the elevation of 32.23 feet; thence rising at the rate of 2.37 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 89.36 feet to the aforesaid point of tangent in the westerly curb line to the elevation of 34.35 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1.10 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 638.48 feet to the southerly line of Second avenue to the elevation of 41.37 feet; thence rising at the rate of 0.50 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 169.15 feet to the northerly curb line of First avenue to the elevation of 42.22 feet; thence falling at the rate of 1.15 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 203.0 feet to the northerly curb line of Water street, to the elevation of 39.89 feet.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Ferry street, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Water street to Liberty avenue, to be widened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 5. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 6. That any Ordinance of part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 507.

No. 301

AN ORDINANCE—Widening Second avenue, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Liberty avenue to Grant street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Second avenue, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Liberty avenue to Grant street, shall be and the same is hereby widened to a uniform width of 80.0 feet, so that the street as widened shall lie between the street lines as hereinafter described, to-wit:

The following southerly five-foot survey line is hereby established as a basis for locating the street lines between the aforesaid terminals, viz:

Beginning at a point on the southerly twelve-foot survey line of Liberty avenue at the distance of 201.20 feet, measured westwardly along the said twelve-foot line of Liberty avenue, from the monument at the easterly five-foot survey line of Barbeau street; thence deflecting to the left $134^{\circ} 52' 20''$ and extending in an easterly direction for the distance of 2757.28 feet to the westerly five-foot survey line of Grant street, intersecting the said five-foot survey line by an angle deflecting to the left $89^{\circ} 03' 40''$ and distant 674.54 feet, measured southwardly along the said five-foot survey line of Grant street, from the monument at the southerly five-foot survey line of Diamond street.

The southerly line shall be parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of 5.0 feet southwardly from the above described southerly five-foot survey line.

The northerly line shall be parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of 75.0 feet northwardly from the above described southerly five-foot survey line.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Second avenue, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Liberty avenue to Grant street, to be widened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same

is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 509.

No. 302

AN ORDINANCE—Widening Carson street East, in the Seventeenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from South First street to the south approach to the Smithfield Street Bridge, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Carson street East, in the Seventeenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from South First street to the south approach to the Smithfield Street Bridge, shall be widened to a variable width, by taking for public use for highway purposes all of the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the northerly line of Carson street East with the westerly line of South First street; thence extending in a westerly direction along the present northerly line of Carson street East for a distance of 196.31 feet to an angle point; thence deflecting to the right $6^{\circ} 33'$ and continuing along the northerly line of Carson street East for a distance of 556.90 feet to an angle point; thence deflecting to the right $0^{\circ} 32'$ and continuing along the northerly line of Carson street East for a distance of 237.76 feet to an angle point; thence deflecting to the right $6^{\circ} 36'$ and continuing along the northerly line of Carson street East for a distance of 63.54 feet to the easterly line of the south approach to the Smithfield Street Bridge; thence deflecting to the right $79^{\circ} 21' 20''$ and extending along the easterly line of the south approach to the Smithfield Street Bridge for a distance of 82.69 feet to a point of curve; thence extending in a southeasterly direction by the arc of a circle having a radius of 75 feet and a central angle of $86^{\circ} 29' 57''$ for a distance of 113.22 feet to a point of tangent; thence extending in an easterly direction by the tangent to the last described curve for a distance of 982.88 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Carson street East, in the Seventeenth ward, from South First street to the south approach to the Smithfield Street Bridge, to be widened

in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby, and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 510.

No. 303

AN ORDINANCE—Widening East Ohio street, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, from Heinz street eastwardly for a distance of 7328.10 feet to the City Line, fixing the position and width of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing the grade thereon, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That East Ohio street, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, from Heinz street eastwardly for a distance of 7328.10 feet to the City Line, shall be widened along the following described lines, to a uniform width of fifty-six (56') feet.

The northerly five (5') foot survey line shall begin at a stone monument located at an angle in said line and being on the easterly 2.22-foot survey line of Heinz street, said point being station 0; thence deflecting to the north from Heinz street 73° 54' 30" and extending north 57° 51' 15" east for a distance of 503.54 feet to a monument at an angle point in said line and on the west five (5') foot survey line of Troy Hill road; thence deflecting to the south 1° 8' 30" and extending north 58° 59' 45" east for a distance of 1173.82 feet to a point of curve at station 16+77.36; thence deflecting to the north by a curve having a radius of 3277.0 feet and a central angle of 12° 4' 40" for a distance of 690.78 feet to a point of tangent, at station 23+68.14; thence by a line tangent to said curve and extending north 46° 55' 05" east for the distance of 284.31 feet to a point of curve at station 26+52.45; thence de-

flecting north by a curve having a radius of 3977.0 feet and a central angle of 5° 15' 30" for a distance of 364.99 feet to a point of tangent at station 30+17.44; thence by a line tangent to said curve and extending north 41° 39' 35" east for a distance of 116.75 feet to a point of curve, at station 31+34.19; thence deflecting to the north by a curve having a radius of 4977.0 feet and a central angle of 6° 38' 20" for a distance of 576.69 feet to a point of tangent at station 37+10.88; thence by a line tangent to said curve and extending north 35° 01' 15" east for a distance of 430.13 feet to a point of curve, at station 41+41.01; thence deflecting to the north by a curve having a radius of 4477.0 feet and a central angle of 5° 44' for a distance of 448.0 feet to a point of tangent at station 45+89.01; thence by a line tangent to said curve and extending north 29° 17' 15" east for a distance of 298.38 feet to an angle point at station 48+87.39; thence deflecting to the south 2° 00' 40" and extending north 31° 17' 55" east for a distance of 1418.86 feet to an angle point at station 63+06.25; thence deflecting to the south 00° 15' 40" and extending north 31° 33' 35" east for a distance of 1021.85 feet to the city line at station 73+28.10.

The northerly street line shall be parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of 5 feet northwardly from the above described north five (5') foot survey line.

The southerly street line shall be parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of 51 feet southwardly from the above described north five (5') foot survey line.

Section 2. The northerly sidewalk shall be of a uniform width of ten (10') feet and lie along and be parallel to the above described northerly street line.

The southerly sidewalk, from station zero to station 5+75 shall be of a uniform width of ten feet and lie along and be parallel to the above described southerly street line.

The roadway from station zero to station 5+75 shall be of a uniform width of 36 feet and shall occupy the remaining portion of the street between said stations.

The roadway from station 5+75 to the city line shall occupy the portion of the street remaining between the line of the northerly sidewalk as above described and a line parallel to and at perpendicular distance of 2 feet north of the above described southerly street line and shall have a uniform width of 44 feet between stations 5+75 and the City line at station 73+27.60.

Section 3. The grade of the north curb line shall begin at a point that is at right angles to a stone monument which is at an angle point in the north five foot survey line and opposite

Heinz street, said point being station zero in the survey of East Ohio street and at an elevation of 49.74 feet; thence falling at a rate of 2.67% for a distance of 259.30 feet to an elevation of 42.82 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1.70% for a distance of 85.16 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 41.38 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve, for a distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 41.67 feet; thence rising at a rate of 2.284% for a distance of 858.44 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 61.28 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent at station 14+03.04 on said survey line and at a point which is 50 feet east of the easterly curb line of Pindam street produced to an elevation of 62.02 feet; thence falling at a rate of 0.8% for a distance of 1383.19 feet to a point of curve at station 27+84.94 to an elevation of 50.95 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 50.95 feet; thence rising at a rate of 0.8% for a distance of 826.73 feet to a point of curve at station 37+10.88 to an elevation of 57.57 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 196.76 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 57.57 feet; thence falling at a rate of 0.8% for a distance of 407.62 feet to a point of curve at station 43+15.01 to an elevation of 54.31 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 54.78 feet; thence rising at a rate of 1.75% for a distance of 429.63 feet to a point of curve at station 48+44.39 to an elevation of 62.31 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 50 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 62.50 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1% for a distance of 539.92 feet to a point of curve at station 54+34.48 to an elevation of 57.10 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 57.10 feet; thence rising at a rate of 1% for a distance of 721.77 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 64.32 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 64.24 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1.16 per cent for a distance of 971.33 feet to the City Line to an elevation of 52.97 feet.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said East Ohio street, from Heinz street eastwardly for a distance of 7328.10 feet to the city line to be widened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 5. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed

against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 511.

No. 304

AN ORDINANCE — Widening certain portions of Bigelow boulevard, in the Second and Sixth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, between a point 137.81 feet west from the first point of curve west of Brereton street and Marcella street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That certain portions of Bigelow boulevard, in the Second and Sixth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, between a point 137.81 feet west from the first point of curve west of Brereton street and Marcella street be widened by taking for public use for highway purposes all the property as hereinafter designated and described as portions "A" and "B".

Portion "A"—From a point 137.81 feet west from the first point of curve west of Brereton street to a point 143.69 feet west of Brereton street to a point 143.69 feet west from the first point of curve west of Morgan street.

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Bigelow boulevard, as now opened, said point being distant 143.69 feet westwardly from the first point of curve west of Morgan street; thence continuing along said northerly line of Bigelow boulevard in a westerly direction by the arc of a circle to the left having a radius of 838.78 feet and a central angle of 22° 54' 04" for the distance of 335.27 feet to a point of reverse curve; thence continuing along said northerly line of Bigelow boulevard by the arc of a circle to the right having a radius of 256.56 feet and a central angle of 27° 56' 40" for the distance of 125.13 feet to a point of tangent; thence by the tangent of said curve and continuing along the said northerly line for the distance of 76.45 feet to a point of curve; thence by the

arc of a circle to the right having a radius of 256.59 feet and a central angle of 33° 23' 20" for the distance of 149.53 feet to a point of tangent; thence continuing along said northerly line by the tangent of said curve for the distance of 189.13 feet to a point of curve; thence by the arc of a circle to the left having a radius of 603.0 feet and a central angle of 13° 05' 40" for the distance of 137.81 feet to a point in the northerly line of Bigelow boulevard; thence extending north 78° 21' east for the distance of 359.41 feet to a point of curve; thence by the arc of a circle to the left having a radius of 500 feet and a central angle of 23° 15' 25" for the distance of 202.96 feet to a point on the easterly line of Brereton street; thence extending north 28° 45' 20" east along said easterly line of Brereton street for the distance of 385.46 feet to the line dividing lots Nos. 530-581-579 and 582 in Jones, Jeremy and Scully Plan of Lots, recorded in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County in Plan Book Vol. 4, page 162; thence deflecting to the right 90° and extending south 61° 14' 40" east along the line dividing said lots for the distance of 135.27 feet to the place of beginning.

Portion "B". From Morgan street to Marcella street.

Beginning on the westerly line of Marcella street and the southerly line of Bigelow boulevard as now opened, said point being distant 99.47 feet westwardly from the point of curve of the first curve west of Herron avenue; thence in a westwardly direction by the arc of a circle to the right having a radius of 603.0 feet and a central angle of 11° 08' 25" for the distance of 117.24 feet to a point of tangent; thence by the tangent of said curve south 88° 43' west for the distance of 136.46 feet to a point of curve; thence deflecting to the left by the arc of a circle having a radius of 256.50 feet and a central angle of 38° 58' 30" for the distance of 174.48 feet to a point of tangent; thence by the tangent of said curve south 49° 44' 40" west for the distance of 123.49 feet to a point of curve; thence by the arc of a circle to the right having a radius of 603.0 feet and a central angle of 6° 48' 28" for the distance of 71.65 feet to a point on the easterly line of Morgan street; thence south 30° 42' 20" west along said easterly line of Morgan street for the distance of 61.69 feet to the westerly line of Denny Estate Plan of Lots, recorded in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County in Plan Book Vol. 7, pages 17 to 20; thence deflecting to the left 88° 37' 30" and extending south 57° 55' 10" east along said westerly line of said plan for the distance of 81.91 feet to the northerly line of Leander street; thence deflecting to the left 59° 18' 50" and extending north 62° 46' east along said northerly

line of said street for the distance of 468.15 feet to the westerly line of Rust way; thence deflecting to the right 4° 34' 20" and extending north 67° 20' 20" east for the distance of 20.44 feet to the easterly line of Rust way and the line dividing lots No. 1 and 2 in Block 10 in said plan; thence deflecting to the left 11° 53' 20" and extending north 55° 27' east along said line dividing lots No. 1 and 2 in said plan for the distance of 120.0 feet to the westerly line of Marcella street; thence deflecting to the left 90° and extending north 34° 33' west along said westerly line of said street for the distance of 16.02 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Bigelow boulevard, in the Second and Sixth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, between a point 137.81 feet west from the first point of curve west of Brereton street and Marcella street to be widened, in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby, and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 514.

No. 305

AN ORDINANCE—Widening Diamond street, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Market place to Ferry street, fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing and re-establishing the grade thereof and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Diamond street, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Market place to Ferry street be widened to a variable width so that the street as widened shall lie between the street lines as hereinafter described:

The northerly line shall coincide with the present northerly line from Market place westwardly for the distance of 223.11 feet to the line dividing the properties now or late of the Commercial Land Company, a Pennsylvania corporation and C. S. Hays; thence deflecting to the right 44° 40' 20" and along the said dividing line for the distance of 32.78 feet to the easterly line of Ferry street.

The southerly line, from Market place to Ferry street shall be parallel with and 60.0 feet southwardly from the present northerly line.

Section 2. The northerly curb line shall begin on the westerly curb line of Market place at a point 10.0 feet southwardly from the intersection of the northerly line of Diamond street produced with the westerly curb line of Market Place; thence extending westwardly parallel with and 10.0 feet southwardly from the northerly line of the street for the distance of 235.23 feet to a point of curve; thence deflecting toward the right and in a northerly direction by the arc of a circle having a radius of 33 feet and a central angle of 91° 05' 30" for the distance of 52.47 feet to the easterly curb line of Ferry street.

The northerly sidewalk shall occupy the space between the northerly curb line and the northerly street line as above described.

The southerly sidewalk shall have a uniform width of 15 feet and lie along and parallel the southerly street line.

The roadway shall have a variable width and occupy the space between the sidewalks as above described.

Section 3. The grade of the southerly curb line shall begin on the westerly curb line of Market place at an elevation of 43.25 feet; thence falling at the rate of 2.0% for the distance of 12.0 feet to the westerly line of Market Place to an elevation of 43.01 feet; thence falling at the rate of 3.50% for the distance of 256.91 feet to the easterly curb line of Ferry street to an elevation of 34.02 feet.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Diamond street, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Market Place to Ferry street to be widened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 5. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby in accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania provisions of the Acts of Assembly relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the

same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1913.

Approved October 2, 1913.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 516.

No. 306

AN ORDINANCE—Widening Diamond street, in the First and Second wards of the City of Pittsburgh, from Smithfield street to Grant street, fixing the widths and position of the sidewalks and roadway, establishing and re-establishing the grade thereof, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Diamond street, in the First and Second wards of the City of Pittsburgh, from Smithfield street to Grant street be widened to a uniform width of 54.5 feet, so that the street as widened shall lie between the street lines hereinafter described.

The northerly line shall begin at the intersection of the easterly line of Smithfield street with the northerly line of Diamond street, as widened by an Act of Assembly approved May 16th, 1857; thence along the said northerly line of Diamond street in an easterly direction for the distance of 501.14 feet to the westerly line of Grant street.

The southerly line shall begin on the easterly line of Smithfield street at the line dividing properties now or late of the Anchor Savings Bank and William G. Hawkins; thence extending in an easterly direction along said dividing line and said line produced, parallel with and 54.5 feet southwardly from the above described northerly line for the distance of 501.18 feet to the westerly line of Grant street.

Section 2. The northerly sidewalk shall have a uniform width of ten (10') feet and shall lie along and parallel the northerly line of the street.

The southerly sidewalk shall have a uniform width of ten feet and shall lie along and parallel the southerly line of the street.

The roadway shall have a uniform width of 34.50 feet and shall occupy the central portion of the street, lying between the sidewalks as above described.

Section 3. The grade of the northerly curb line shall begin at the easterly curb line of Smithfield street at an elevation of 49.78 feet; thence rising at the rate of 2% for the distance of 12.0 feet

to the easterly line of Smithfield street to an elevation of 50.02 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 12.98 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 50.47 feet; thence rising at the rate of 4.87% for the distance of 487.62 feet to the westerly line of Grant street to an elevation of 74.22 feet; thence rising at the rate of 3% for the distance of 12 feet to the westerly curb line of Grant street, to an elevation of 74.58 feet.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause the said Diamond street, in the First and Second wards of the City of Pittsburgh, from Smithfield street to Grant street to be widened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 5. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 518.

No. 307

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Marshall avenue, Goshen street, Pelham street, private property of the City of Pittsburgh, Mazer street and an unnamed way, from Sonora way to the existing sewer on Milroy avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Marshall avenue, Goshen street, Pelham street, private property of the City of Pittsburgh, Mazer street and an unnamed way, from Sonora way to the existing sewer on Milroy avenue. Commencing on Marshall avenue at Sonora way; thence eastwardly along Marshall avenue to Goshen street; thence northwardly along Goshen street to Pelham street; thence westwardly along Pelham street to a point about 60 feet west of Goshen street; thence northwardly on,

over, across and through the private property of the City of Pittsburgh to Mazer street; thence continuing northwardly across Mazer street and along an unnamed way to the existing sewer on Milroy avenue. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 519.

No. 308

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Bissell way, from a point about 20 feet northwest of Celadine street to the existing sewer on Wickliff street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Bissell way, from a point about 20 feet northwest of Celadine street to the existing sewer on Wickliff street. Commencing on Bissell way at a point about 20 feet northwest of Celadine street; thence northwestwardly along Bissell way to the existing sewer on Wickliff street.

Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise, in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 520.

No. 309

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Sylvan avenue, from a point about 10 feet northwest of Home Rule street to the existing sewer on Monongahela street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Sylvan avenue, from a point about 10 feet northwest of Home Rule street to the existing sewer on Monongahela street. Commencing on Sylvan avenue at a point about 10 feet northwest of Home Rule street; thence northwestwardly along Sylvan avenue to the existing sewer on Monongahela street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to ad-

vertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of sixteen hundred (\$1,600.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 521.

No. 310

AN ORDINANCE—Creating certain districts or zones in the City of Pittsburgh to be known as Fire Zones No. I, Fire Zones No. II, and Zone No. III, and describing the boundary lines thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That from and after the approval of this Ordinance the following regulations creating certain districts or zones in the City of Pittsburgh to be known as Fire Zones No. I, Fire Zones No. II, and Zone No. III, and describing the boundary lines thereof, shall be in full force and effect.

(1) Short Title: This Ordinance shall be known as the Fire Zoning Regulations.

Section 2.

FIRE ZONES NO. I.

(1) General: Wherever the term "Fire Zones No. I" is used or referred to in the Ordinances of the City of Pittsburgh, said zones shall be included within the boundary lines described in this section.

(a) Central District: The boundary

lines for Fire Zone No. I, Central District, shall be as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Monongahela River with the line of Gist street extended; thence north along said line and Gist street extended to Colwell street; thence west along Colwell street to intersection with Crawford street; thence north along Crawford street and line of Crawford street extended to intersection with Liberty avenue; thence east along Liberty avenue to intersection with Sixteenth street; thence north along Sixteenth street to intersection with the Allegheny River; thence west along the shore line of the Allegheny River to junction with the Ohio River; thence southeast along the shore line of the Monongahela River to the point of beginning.

(b) North Side District: The boundary lines for Fire Zone No. I, North Side District, shall be as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Chestnut street with the Allegheny River; thence northwest along Chestnut street to Pineas street; thence west along Pineas street to Madison avenue; thence across Madison avenue to Foreland street; thence west along Foreland street to Cedar avenue; thence west along the line of Foreland street extended to Union avenue; thence north along Union avenue to Montgomery street; thence west along Montgomery street to Sherman avenue; thence south along Sherman avenue to Stockton avenue; thence south across Pennsylvania Railroad at the foot of the southerly slope of Monument Hill; thence westward skirting the foot of the southerly slope of Monument Hill to an intersection with the line of Scotland street extended; thence south along Scotland street to northwest shore of Allegheny River; thence northeast along the northwest shore of Allegheny River to point of beginning.

(c) East Liberty District: The boundary lines for Fire Zone No. I, East Liberty District, shall be as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Station street and Frankstown avenue; thence north and west along Station street to Highland avenue; thence south along Highland avenue to Broad street; thence northwest along Broad street to Euclid avenue; thence southwest and southeast along Euclid avenue to Center avenue; thence on a southeast line of Euclid avenue extended to the Pennsylvania Railroad; thence northeast along the Pennsylvania Railroad to Shady avenue; thence south along Shady avenue to Aurelia street; thence east and southeast along Aurelia street and a line extended from Aurelia street parallel to Penn avenue and at an equal distance from same to intersection with Fifth avenue; thence northeast along Fifth avenue to Hamilton avenue; thence

northwest along Hamilton avenue to Frankstown avenue; thence west along Frankstown avenue to Station street at point of beginning.

Section 3.

FIRE ZONES NO. II.

(1) General: Wherever the term "Fire Zones No. II" is used or referred to in the Ordinances of the City of Pittsburgh said zones shall be included within the boundary lines described in this section with the exception of the areas occupied by Fire Zones No. I.

(a) Main District: The boundary lines for Fire Zone No. II, Main District, shall be as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Allegheny River and a line opposite 6500 Butler street; thence southeast along said line to Butler street and for a distance of 150 feet southeast of same; thence on a line parallel with Butler street preserving a width of 150 feet to intersection with Fifty-seventh street; thence along Fifty-seventh street to Carnegie street; thence southwest along Carnegie street to Stanton avenue; thence westerly and southerly along boundary line of Allegheny Cemetery and St. Mary's Cemetery to Penn avenue; thence east along Penn avenue to North Mathilda street; thence north along North Mathilda street to Gem alley; thence east along Gem alley to North Evaline street to Penn avenue; thence east along Penn avenue to North Fairmount street to Broad street; thence east along Broad street to North Highland avenue; thence north along North Highland avenue to Station street to Omega street; thence northeast along Omega street to Hamilton avenue; thence southeast along Hamilton avenue to Indiana way; thence northeast along Indiana way to Shetland avenue; thence southwest along Shetland avenue to Paulson avenue; thence southwest along Paulson avenue to a point 100 feet northeast of Frankstown avenue; thence east from said point on a line running parallel with Frankstown avenue to Murtland avenue; thence north along Murtland avenue to Mount Vernon street; thence east along Mount Vernon street to Lang avenue; thence south along Lang avenue to Forest way; thence east along Forest way and a line 120 feet north of Frankstown avenue and running parallel with the same to Blackadore avenue; thence south along the line of Blackadore avenue extended to Conemaugh street; thence west along the line of Conemaugh street extended and Oakwood place to Oakwood street to City limits; thence south and west, northwest and southeast along City Limits to Meade street; thence west along Meade street and June way to Fifth avenue; thence southwest along Fifth avenue to intersection with line of Aurelia street extended; thence along

said extension to Aurelia street; thence northwest along Aurelia street to Shady avenue; thence north along Shady avenue to Ravenna street; thence southwest along Ravenna street to Spahr street; thence north on Spahr street to Pennsylvania Railroad; thence west along Pennsylvania Railroad to Graham street; thence northwest along Graham street to Claybourne street; thence west along Claybourne street to Aiken avenue to a point 200 feet south of Center avenue; thence west along line from this point running parallel with Center avenue to a point opposite Dollar street; thence northwest along Dollar street and a line from the end of Dollar street to a point 150 feet west of intersection of Craig street and Bigelow boulevard; thence on a line running west and south of Bigelow boulevard, preserving a width of 150 feet from the same, to a point on a line with Twentieth street; thence in a southerly direction to Erin street; thence south through Erin street to Bedford avenue, to Somers street; Somers street to Wylie avenue; Wylie avenue to Kirkpatrick street; thence south along Kirkpatrick street to Center avenue; thence southwest along Center avenue to Devilliers street; thence south along Devilliers street to a point 150 feet north of Fifth avenue; thence extending eastward by a line parallel with Fifth avenue; preserving the same width of 150 feet north of Fifth avenue to Neville street; thence south along Neville street to the Pittsburgh Junction Railroad; thence south along Pittsburgh Junction Railroad to a point 150 feet north of Forbes street; thence east, southeast and east along a line running parallel with and preserving said width of 150 feet north of Forbes street to Shady avenue; thence southeast along Shady avenue to a point 150 feet southeast of Forbes street; thence southwest and northwest along a line running parallel with and preserving said width of 150 feet south of Forbes street to Pittsburgh Junction Railroad; thence south along Pittsburgh Junction Railroad to the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad; thence south along Baltimore & Ohio Railroad to Minden street; thence east along Minden street to Osprey alley; thence south along line of Osprey alley extended to Elizabeth street; thence west along Elizabeth street to the Monongahela River; thence north crossing the Monongahela River to the City Line on the South Side following the City Line to the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad tracks; thence west along the railroad tracks to South Thirty-fourth street; thence southwest along Thirty-fourth street to Jane street; through Jane street to South Thirtieth street, thence along South Thirtieth street southward to Arlington avenue; thence west along Arlington avenue to Josephine street, through Josephine street fol-

lowing the line of the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad tracks to Monongahela Incline; thence southwest along Monongahela Incline and Wyoming street to Virginia avenue; thence west along Virginia avenue to a point 200 feet west of Shiloh street; thence northeast on a line preserving a distance of 200 feet west of Shiloh street and Shiloh street extended to the tracks of the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad; thence west along the tracks of the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad to a point opposite Independence street; thence southwest along Independence street to Plank street; thence northwest along Plank street to Wabash avenue; thence north and west along Wabash avenue to Steuben street; thence northeast along Steuben street to the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad tracks; thence northeast across Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad tracks and the Ohio River to the northeast shore of the Ohio River; thence west and northwest along the shore of the Ohio River to City Line; thence north to the tracks of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railroad; thence east and southeast along tracks of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railroad to Columbus avenue; thence northeast along Columbus avenue to Irwin avenue; thence along Irwin avenue to O'Hern street; thence east along O'Hern street to Perrysville avenue; thence east along Perrysville avenue to a point 150 feet west of Federal street; thence north along a line parallel to Federal street preserving a width of 150 feet west of same to intersection with Perrysville avenue; thence north along Perrysville avenue and preserving a width of 150 feet west of same to Marshall avenue; thence east along Marshall avenue and skirting Riverview Park along Perrysville avenue to a point opposite Dunlap street; thence west along Dunlap street to a point 150 feet west of Perrysville avenue; thence north along a line parallel to Perrysville avenue preserving a width of 150 feet west of same to a point opposite Bonvue street; thence east on a line along Bonvue street for a distance of 150 feet east of Perrysville avenue; thence south along a line parallel to Perrysville avenue preserving a width of 150 feet east of same to Chemung street; thence east along Chemung street to Delaware street; thence south along Delaware street to intersection with a line 150 feet east of Perrysville avenue; thence southeast along said line preserving a width of 150 feet east of Perrysville avenue and paralleling same to Northend avenue; thence along Northend avenue to a point opposite Veteran avenue; thence south along Veteran avenue to Hawkins avenue; thence along Hawkins avenue to a point 150 feet northeast of Perrysville avenue; thence southwest

along a line preserving said width of 150 feet to intersection of Charles street with Merritt avenue; thence south along Merritt avenue to Burgess street; thence southwest along Burgess street to a point 150 feet east of Perrysville avenue; thence southwest along a line 150 feet east of Perrysville avenue preserving said width of 150 feet to a point 150 feet east of Federal street; thence along said line 150 feet east of Federal street preserving said width of 150 feet to Henderson street; thence east along Henderson street to Boyle street; thence south along Boyle street to Hemlock street; thence east along Hemlock street to Howard street; thence north along Howard street to Suffolk street; thence east along line of Suffolk street and Suffolk street extended to Gershon street; thence southeast along Gershon street and the line of Gershon street extended to Brahm street; thence south along Brahm street to Lareda street; thence west along Lareda street to a line opposite Schillinger street extended; thence southeast through Schillinger street and line of Schillinger street extended to Callen street to Wry street; thence west along Wry street to Madison avenue; thence southeast along Madison avenue to Concord street; thence east along Concord street to Chestnut street; thence north along Chestnut street to Iten street; thence east along Iten street and line of Iten street extended through Homer street to Firth street; thence north and east along Firth street to City Line; thence east along City Line and Wickline's lane to a point 225 feet east of Spring Garden avenue; thence extending in a southerly direction by a line parallel with Spring Garden avenue preserving the same width of 225 feet to Shull way; thence along Shull way to Voskamp street; thence along Voskamp street to Vinial street; thence southeast along Vinial street to Troy Hill road; thence south along Troy Hill road to East Ohio street; thence east along East Ohio street to the City Line; thence along City Line to the Allegheny River and across the river to the point of beginning.

(b) Supplementary South Side District: The boundary lines for Fire Zone No. II, Supplementary South Side District, shall be as follows:

Beginning at Brownsville avenue and Emerald street; thence southwest along Arlington avenue to Manton way; thence west along Manton way to Beltzhoover avenue; thence north along Beltzhoover avenue to Excelsior street; thence east along Excelsior street to Emerald street; thence southeast along Emerald street to Brownsville avenue at point of beginning.

Section 4.

ZONE NO. III.

Wherever the term Zone No. III is used or referred to in the Ordinances

of the City of Pittsburgh, said zone shall be included within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh, with the exception of the areas occupied by Fire Zones No. I and Fire Zones No. II.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 522.

No. 311

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of one hundred thirty-two thousand (\$132,000.00) dollars, and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

For the cost, damages and expense of the grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of Warrington avenue from Montooth street to West Liberty avenue.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of one hundred thirty-two thousand (\$132,000.00) dollars to provide for the grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of Warrington avenue from Montooth street to West Liberty avenue, including the payment of property damages.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of one hundred thirty-two thousand (\$132,000.00) dollars be issued for the purpose aforesaid, with interest coupons attached, payable semi-annually, with the privilege of exchanging such coupon bond or bonds for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity, and of the denomination of \$100.00, or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not then due, at the office of the City Controller; and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved, and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be issued in denominations of one hundred dollars, or multiples thereof, shall be dated as

of the 1st day of September, 1919, and shall be payable in thirty equal installments, as follows:

Bonds to the aggregate amount of \$4,400.00 shall be payable on the first day of September in each and every year, beginning with the year 1920 and ending with the year 1949.

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½%) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first days of March and September of each year, without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh, and the principal thereof shall be payable at maturity at the same place. The said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller, and sealed with the corporate seal of said City, and the coupons shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller.

Said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller at not less than par and accrued interest, on the most advantageous terms obtainable, after three weeks' public notice by publication once a week for three weeks in the official newspapers of the City of Pittsburgh. And the proceeds of such sales or so much thereof as shall be necessary, shall be applied to the purposes set forth in this Ordinance and to no other purpose whatsoever. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as Warrington Avenue Improvement Bond.

Section 4. Until said bonds issued as herein provided, shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable, or hereafter to be made liable, to assessment for taxation for City purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable, and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third (3⅓%) per centum of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized, to be applied to and set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same are hereby appropriated out of the revenues of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. All registered bonds issued in exchange for coupon bonds, as provided in Section 2 of this Ordinance, shall be registered with the City Treasurer of said City and be transferable only on the books of said City Treasurer.

Section 6. All bonds issued by the

authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same, shall be and become a part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof; and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said bonds, and the interest thereon semi-annually, as aforesaid, as the same shall mature and become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged.

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 527.

No. 312

AN ORDINANCE—Annuling contract entered into by articles of agreement dated June 2nd, 1919, between the City of Pittsburgh and the partnership of Dallas & Narduli, for the grading, paving and curbing of Alexis street, from Saline street to an unnamed 10-foot way at the easterly line of A. R. Neeb's Forward Avenue Plan of Lots, contract countersigned by City Controller July 11th, 1919, and providing for payment to Dallas & Narduli of the sum of two thousand three hundred eighty dollars ninety-three cents (\$2,380.93) in full settlement of all their claims under said contract.

Whereas, The grading of Alexis street under said contract has been started and has caused a hillside slip; and,

Whereas, Further grading under said contract is inadvisable; and,

Whereas, Dallas & Narduli have agreed in writing to the annulment of said contract conditioned upon payment to them of the sum of \$2,380.93, which they have agreed to accept in full payment of work done and material already furnished, and in full satisfaction of all their rights under said contract; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the contract entered into by articles of agreement dated June 2nd, 1919, between the City of Pittsburgh and the partnership of Dallas & Narduli for the grading, paving and curbing of Alexis street, from Saline street to an unnamed 10-foot way at the easterly line of A. R. Neeb's Forward Avenue Plan of Lots, contract countersigned by the City Controller July 11th, 1919, be and the same is hereby annulled and cancelled.*

Section 2. That the sum of \$2,380.93 be paid to Dallas & Nardull, in full payment of work done and materials furnished and in full satisfaction of all their rights and claims under said contract.

Section 3. That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in the sum of \$2,380.93 in favor of Dallas & Nardull, and charge same to Contingent Fund, Code Account No. 42.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.
Approved October 2, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 529.

No. 313

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for repaving Fifth avenue, Craig street and Collins avenue, between certain points, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the repaving of Fifth avenue, Craig street and Collins avenue, between the following points, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and Ordinances governing said City:

STREET AND AVENUES TO BE REPAVED.

	Estimated Cost.
Fifth avenue, from Hamilton avenue to Frankstown avenue	\$ 9,000.00
Craig street, from Baum boulevard to Bigelow boulevard..	22,000.00
Collins avenue, from Station street to Hoeveler street.....	15,000.00
Total.....	\$46,000.00

Section 2. That the respective sums set forth in Section 1 of this Ordinance, amounting in the aggregate to \$46,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and the same are

hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are hereby authorized and directed to issue and countersign warrants in payment of the costs of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.
Approved October 2, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 530.

No. 314

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for making certain repairs to the South Highland Avenue Bridge over the Pennsylvania Railroad, the Negley Avenue Bridge over the Pennsylvania Railroad, and the Lawn Street Bridge over a hollow, and providing for the payment of costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for making the following repairs and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and Ordinances governing the said City:

South Highland Avenue Bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad—Repairs and reconstruction of floor system.....	\$17,000.00
Negley Avenue Bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad—Structural repairs.....	2,000.00
Lawn Street Bridge over hollow—Reconstruction of roadway and sidewalks.....	4,720.00
Total.....	\$23,720.00

Section 2. That the respective sums set forth in Section 1 of this Ordinance, amounting in the aggregate to twenty-three thousand seven hundred twenty (\$23,720.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and are hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller

are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn on the said fund for the payment of the costs of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 531.

No. 315

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for bids and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the laying and construction of cement sidewalks around Schenley High School, in the City of Pittsburgh, for a sum not to exceed one thousand eight hundred thirty-six (\$1,836.00) dollars.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the laying of cement sidewalks around the premises known as the Schenley High School at such time as may be ordered by the Director of the Department of Public Works; the said contract price or prices not to exceed the total sum of one thousand eight hundred thirty-six (\$1,836.00) dollars, being the estimated cost of the said work, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved the 7th day of March, A. D. 1901, and the different supplements and amendments thereto and the Ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided.

Section 2. That the sum of one thousand eight hundred thirty-six (\$1,836.00) dollars, or so much of the same as shall be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby set apart and appropriated for the payment or payments required for the performance of the above mentioned work, the said amount or amounts to be paid out of Appropriation No. 1491, General Repaving Fund.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the

same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 532.

No. 316

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the regrading, recurbing, repaving and otherwise improving of Wheatland street, between Greenfield avenue and Greenfield avenue, and Smith way, from Westwood street to a point about 300 feet westwardly, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and they are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the re-improvement of the following streets, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and Ordinances governing said City:

	Estimated Cost.
Regarding, repaving, recurbing and otherwise improving Wheatland street, between Greenfield avenue and Greenfield avenue.....	\$2,600.00
Regrading, repaving, recurbing and otherwise improving Smith way from Westwood street to a point about 300 feet westwardly	2,800.00
Total.....	\$5,400.00

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the various sums as set forth in Section 1 of this Ordinance, amounting in the aggregate to \$5,400.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 533.

No. 317

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts for the construction of a fence between property of the Pennsylvania Railroad and a strip of ground, sixteen feet wide, dedicated to the use of the public, and adjoining Simonton street, and extending from Fifth avenue to Dallas avenue, together with the necessary returns on Fifth avenue and Dallas avenue, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the construction of a fence between property of the Pennsylvania Railroad and a strip of ground sixteen (16') feet wide, dedicated to the use of the public and adjoining Simonton street, and extending from Fifth avenue to Dallas avenue, together with the necessary returns on Fifth avenue and Dallas avenue, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders in accordance with the laws and ordinances governing said City.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof, the sum of one thousand one hundred fifty (\$1,150.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account 1496-G, Structural and Non-Structural Improvements, Construction and Maintenance of Fences, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn in payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 534.

No. 318

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and re-establishing the grade of the north sidewalk of Morrison ave-

nue, from St. Mark's place to "B" street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and the grade of the north sidewalk of Morrison avenue, from St. Mark's place to B street be and the same are hereby fixed and re-established as follows, to-wit:

The sidewalks shall have a uniform width of nine (9') feet and shall lie along and be parallel to their respective building lines. The roadway shall have a uniform width of twenty-two (22') feet and shall occupy the central portion of the street, between the lines of the sidewalks as above described.

The grade of the north sidewalk shall begin at the center line of St. Mark's place at an elevation of 140.12 feet; thence rising by steps for a distance of 13 feet to the east curb line of St. Mark's place to an elevation of 147.12 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 147.42 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 147.99 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 148.29 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 148.86 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 149.16 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 149.73 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 150.03 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 150.60 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point, to an elevation of 150.90 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 151.47 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 151.77 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 152.34 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 152.64 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 153.21 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 153.51 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 154.08 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 154.38 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 154.95 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 155.25 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 155.82 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 156.12 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 156.69 feet; thence rising at a rate of

5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point at an elevation of 156.99 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 157.56 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 157.86 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 158.43 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 158.73 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 159.30 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 159.60 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 160.17 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 160.47 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 161.04 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 161.34 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 161.91 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 162.21 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 162.78 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 163.08 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 163.65 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 163.95 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 164.52 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 164.82 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 165.39 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 165.69 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 166.26 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 166.56 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 167.13 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 167.43 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 168.0 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 168.30 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 168.87 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 169.17 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 169.74 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 170.04 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 170.61 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 170.91 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 171.48 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 6 feet to a point to an elevation of 171.78 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 172.35 feet; thence rising at a rate of

3.93 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 7.5 feet to a point to an elevation of 172.64 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 173.21 feet; thence rising at a rate of 3.93 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 7.5 feet to a point to an elevation of 173.50 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 174.07 feet; thence rising at a rate of 3.93 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 7.5 feet to a point to an elevation of 174.36 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 174.93 feet; thence rising at a rate of 3.93 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 7.5 feet to a point to an elevation of 175.22 feet; thence vertically to an elevation of 175.79 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 30 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 177.48 feet; thence rising at a rate of 2.61 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 100 feet to the east curb line of B street to an elevation of 180.09 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 535.

No. 319

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and establishing the grade on Pioneer avenue, from Brookline boulevard to West Liberty avenue.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and the grade of the northerly and westerly curb line of Pioneer avenue, from Brookline boulevard to West Liberty avenue, be and the same are hereby fixed and established as follows, to-wit:

The sidewalks shall have a uniform width of seven (7') feet and shall lie along and be parallel to their respective building lines.

The roadway shall have a uniform width of twenty-six (26') feet and shall occupy the central portion of the street between the lines of the sidewalks as above described.

The grade of the northerly and westerly curb line shall begin at the northeasterly curb line of Brookline boulevard at an elevation of 512.13 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5.89 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 273.26 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 528.23 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 120. feet

to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 527.86 feet; thence falling at a rate of 6.5 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 228.04 feet to a point of horizontal curve, to an elevation of 513.04 feet; thence falling at a rate of 5.625 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 61.56 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 509.58 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 60.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 507.15 feet; thence falling at a rate of 2.48 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 248.21 feet to a point opposite the intersection of the southerly curb line of Pioneer avenue and the westerly curb line of Gallien avenue, to an elevation of 500.99 feet; thence level for a distance of 22.02 feet; thence rising at a rate of 2.63 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 318.24 feet to a point opposite the intersection of the southerly curb line of Pioneer avenue and the westerly curb line of Berwin avenue, to an elevation of 509.36 feet; thence rising at a rate of 1.0 foot per 100 feet for a distance of 156.12 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 510.92 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 73.42 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 509.16 feet; thence falling at a rate of 5.8 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 273.29 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 493.31 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 80.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 490.59 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1.0 foot per 100 feet for a distance of 260.09 feet to a point, to an elevation of 487.99 feet; thence level for a distance of 32.0 feet; thence rising at a rate of 1.0 foot per 100 feet for a distance of 902.95 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 497.02 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 40.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 497.02 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1.0 foot per 100 feet for a distance of 262.31 feet to the southwesterly curb line of Capitol avenue, to an elevation of 494.40 feet; thence level for a distance of 26.17 feet to the northwesterly curb line of Capitol avenue; thence rising at a rate of 4.4 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 195.94 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 503.02 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 120.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 499.66 feet; thence falling at a rate of 10.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 476.60 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 452.0 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 60.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 447.96 feet; thence falling at a rate of 3.48 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 199.69 feet to the southwesterly curb line of Stetson street, to an elevation of 441.01 feet; thence level for a distance of 22.23 feet to the northwesterly curb line of Stetson street; thence ris-

ing at a rate of 2.90 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 505.26 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 455.66 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 160.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 449.98 feet; thence falling at rate of 10.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 70.0 feet to a point of horizontal curve to an elevation of 442.98 feet; thence falling at a rate of 9.495 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 337.10 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 410.97 feet; thence falling at a rate of 10.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 185.86 feet to a point of horizontal curve, to an elevation of 392.39 feet; thence falling at a rate of 9.172 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 172.81 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 376.54 feet; thence falling at a rate of 10.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 259.53 feet to a point of horizontal curve, to an elevation of 350.59 feet; thence falling at a rate of 4.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 53.99 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 348.43 feet; thence falling at a rate of 9.2 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 1274.15 feet to a point opposite the intersection of the southerly building line of Pioneer avenue and the westerly building line of Cadet avenue, to an elevation of 231.21 feet; thence falling at a rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 43.04 feet to a point, to an elevation of 229.06 feet; thence falling at a rate of 11.7 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 486.67 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 172.12 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 20 feet to the southerly curb line of West Liberty avenue, to an elevation of 170.84 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 537.

No. 320

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Melwood street, from Denver street to Ridgway street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the east curb line of Melwood street, from Denver street to Ridgway street be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the north curb line of Denver street at an elevation of 234.09

feet; thence falling at the rate of 1.0 foot per 100 feet for the distance of 37.09 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 233.72 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 50.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 232.68 feet; thence falling at the rate of 3.15 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 640.15 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 212.52 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 211.58 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1.28 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 538.22 feet to the south curb line of Ridgway street to an elevation of 218.47 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 539

No. 321

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade on Pelham street, from Sonora way to Goshen street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the southerly curb line of Pelham street, from Sonora way to Goshen street shall be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the easterly curb line of Sonora way at an elevation of 429.37 feet; thence falling at a rate of 2.38% for a distance of 14.40 feet to the easterly line of Sonora way to an elevation of 429.03 feet; thence falling at a rate of 10.13% for a distance of 627.81 feet to the westerly curb line of Goshen street to an elevation of 365.43 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 540.

No. 322

AN ORDINANCE — Establishing the grade on Goshen street, from Pelham street to Kennedy avenue, in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the westerly curb line of Goshen street, from Pelham street to Kennedy avenue shall be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the southerly curb line of Pelham street at an elevation of 365.43 feet; thence rising at a rate of 15% for a distance of 231.27 feet to the northerly line of Marshall avenue to an elevation of 400.12 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5% for a distance of 15.05 feet to an elevation of 400.87 feet; thence level for a distance of 32.93 feet to the southerly curb line of Marshall avenue; thence rising at a rate of 4.2% for a distance of 283.23 feet to the northerly curb line of Kennedy avenue to an elevation of 412.78 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 541.

No. 323

AN ORDINANCE — Establishing the grade on Seiffert way, from Superior avenue to Trimble street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade on the westerly line of Seiffert way, from Superior avenue to Trimble street shall be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the northerly curb of Superior avenue at an elevation of 173.17 feet; thence rising at a rate of 2% for a distance of 8.0 feet to the northerly line of Superior avenue to an elevation of 173.33 feet; thence rising at a rate of 8.19% for a distance of 106.90 feet to the southerly line of Trimble street to an elevation of 182.08 feet; thence rising at a rate of 2% for a distance of 9.33 feet to the southerly curb line of Trimble street to an elevation of 182.27 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 541.

No. 324

AN ORDINANCE—Changing the name of Warp way, between North Euclid avenue and North St. Clair street, to Frazee way.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That that Warp way, between North Euclid avenue and North St. Clair street, shall be and the same is hereby changed to Frazee way.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 542.

No. 325

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of the County of Allegheny to construct, operate and maintain a public highway tunnel consisting of two tubes from a point beginning on the southerly side of Brownsville avenue opposite Manor street in the Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, to a point on Warrington avenue at its intersection with West Liberty avenue, in the Eighteenth ward.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the County Commissioners of the County of Allegheny are hereby authorized and empowered to construct, operate and maintain a public highway tunnel consisting of two tubes within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh, beginning at a point on the southerly side of Brownsville avenue, opposite Manor street in the Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh; and thence extending in a general southerly direction, under various streets of the City of Pittsburgh, on a direct line to Warrington avenue at its intersection with West Liberty avenue, first by an open cut of about three hundred fifty (350') feet to the tunnel mouth, thence by a tunnel about fifty-seven hundred (5700') feet in length to a point opposite and in a direct line with West Liberty avenue, thence about three hundred fifty (350') feet in a partly open cut, a bridge over Saw Mill Run and a filled approach to the end of the improved West Liberty avenue, Eighteenth ward, Pittsburgh.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or

part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 542.

No. 326

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway, and establishing and re-establishing the grade of Second avenue, from Liberty avenue to Grant street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and the grade of the southerly curb line of Second avenue, from Liberty avenue to Grant street shall be and the same are hereby fixed and established and re-established as follows: to-wit:

The sidewalks shall have a uniform width of 12.0 feet and shall lie along and parallel their respective building lines.

The roadway shall have a uniform width of 56.0 feet and shall occupy the central portion of the street lying between the sidewalks as above described.

The grade of the southerly curb line shall begin at the southerly curb line of Liberty avenue at the elevation of 33.23 feet; thence rising at the rate of 0.52% for the distance of 428.42 feet to the westerly line of Blockhouse way to the elevation of 35.46 feet; thence rising at the rate of 2.14% for the distance of 269.91 feet to the westerly curb line of Ferry street to the elevation of 41.24 feet; thence level for the distance of 50.0 feet to the easterly curb line of Ferry street; thence rising at the rate of 2.17% for the distance of 322.39 feet to a point of curve to the elevation of 48.23 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 150.0 feet to a point of tangent to the elevation of 47.98 feet; thence falling at the rate of 2.50% for the distance of 439.11 feet to the westerly curb line of Wood street to the elevation of 37.0 feet; thence level for the distance of 36.0 feet to the easterly curb line of Wood street; thence rising at the rate of 2.05% for the distance of 89.50 feet to a point of curve to the elevation of 38.83 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 50.0 feet to a point of tangent to the elevation of 40.12 feet; thence rising at the rate of 3.10% for the distance of 367.03 feet to the westerly curb line of Smithfield street to the

elevation of 51.50 feet; thence level for the distance of 36.0 feet to the easterly curb line of Smithfield street; thence rising at the rate of 2.25% for the distance of 269.46 feet to the easterly curb line of Cherry way to the elevation of 57.56 feet; thence rising at the rate of 0.75% for the distance of 255.14 feet to the westerly curb line of Grant street to the elevation of 59.47 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 543.

No. 327

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing and re-establishing the grade and fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway of Carson street east, from the south approach to the Smithfield Street Bridge to South Seventh Street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the north curb line of Carson street east, from the south approach to the Smithfield Street Bridge to South Seventh street shall be and the same is hereby established and re-established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the easterly curb line of the south approach to the Smithfield Street Bridge at an elevation of 43.25 feet; thence falling at a rate of 2.34 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 128.31 feet to a point of horizontal curve, to an elevation of 40.25 feet; thence falling at a rate of 0.75 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 334.80 feet to a point, to an elevation of 37.74 feet; thence rising at a rate of 0.85 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 1100.0 feet to a point to an elevation of 47.09 feet; thence rising at a rate of 2.8 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 902.2 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 72.35 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 200 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 72.83 feet; thence falling at a rate of 2.32 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 923.81 feet to the easterly curb line of South Seventh street, to an elevation of 51.40 feet.

Section 2. The north curb line of Carson street east, from the south approach to the Smithfield Street Bridge to South Seventh street shall be parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of 10 feet south of the northerly line of Carson street east.

The south curb line of Carson street east, from Sycamore street to South Seventh street shall begin at the easterly curb line of Sycamore street and shall be parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of 10 feet northwardly from the south line of Carson street east and extend in an easterly direction for a distance of 108.72 feet to an angle point; thence deflecting to the left 7° 08' 37" and extending in an easterly direction for a distance of 634.31 feet to an angle point; thence deflecting to the left 1° 53' 37" and extending in an easterly direction for a distance of 363.15 feet to a point opposite the intersection of the northerly line of Carson street east with the westerly line of South First street; thence extending eastwardly and parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of 38.0 feet south of the above described north curb line, to South Seventh street.

The sidewalk shall occupy the spaces lying between the curb lines as above described and their respective street lines.

The roadway shall have a variable width and occupy the space between the curb lines as above described.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 544.

No. 328

AN ORDINANCE—Accepting the dedication of certain property, in the Nineteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes for the widening of Blaine street.

Whereas, Edmund G. Burke, the owner of the property hereinafter described has executed and delivered to the City of Pittsburgh his certain deed of dedication, bearing date of August 27, 1918, now on file in the office of the Bureau of Engineering of said City, wherein he has conveyed said ground to said City for public highway purposes, for the widening of Blaine street, and has released the said City from any liability for damage for or by reason of the physical grading of said piece of ground to the grade established on Blaine street by Ordinance No. 132 approved April 8, 1918.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That

the said deed of dedication, be and the same is hereby accepted and the Bureau of Engineering is hereby authorized and directed to place the same of record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., for the County of Allegheny.

Section 2. The ground, so as aforesaid conveyed to said City for public highway purposes, shall be and the same is hereby appropriated for the widening of Blaine street, upon which the same abuts, in accordance with the terms of said deed of dedication, the same being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on the southerly line of West Liberty avenue as opened by an Ordinance approved March 30, 1911, a point on the westerly line of lot No. 1 in a certain plan of lots attached to and recorded with a certain agreement between Mary A. Becker and Jennie Burke dated September 20, 1911, and of record in the Recorder's Office for Allegheny County aforesaid in Deed Book Vol. 1728, page 447, the said point being north 66° 53' east 20.01 feet distant from the dividing line between property formerly of Mary A. Becker and formerly of Jennie Burke as fixed by the hereinbefore mentioned agreement; thence south 21° 15' east along the westerly line of lots No. 1 and 14 in the hereinbefore mentioned plan and along said line produced to the northerly line of lot No. 15, a distance of 226.37 feet; thence south 66° 06' west along the northerly line of said lot No. 15 to a point on said dividing line of property formerly of Mary A. Becker and formerly of Jennie Burke a distance of 20.02 feet; thence along said dividing line north 21° 15' west to the southerly line of West Liberty avenue, a distance of 226.64 feet; thence along said line of West Liberty avenue north 66° 53' east 20.01 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 3. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and appropriate the said described ground for a public highway in conformity with the provision of this Ordinance.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 545.

No. 329

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for furnishing and installing Motor Gen-

erator Set in the Department of Public Safety Building.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for furnishing and installing Motor Generator Set in connection with the Power Plant at the Department of Public Safety Building, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of Cities of the Second class," approved March 7th, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided.

The cost thereof shall not exceed the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars, and to be charged to Code Account No. 1133, Item E, Repairs, General Office, Department of Public Safety.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 547.

No. 330

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the southeast sidewalk of Jeffers street, from a point about 300 feet northeast of Fadette street to the existing sewer on Fadette street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a Public Sewer be constructed on the southeast sidewalk of Jeffers street, from a point about 300 feet northeast of Fadette street to the existing sewer on Fadette street. Commencing on the southeast sidewalk of Jeffers street at a point about 300 feet northeast of Fadette street; thence continuing southwestwardly along the northeast sidewalk of Jeffers street to the existing sewer on Fadette street. Said sewer to

be terra cotta pipe and eight inches (8") in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 547.

No. 331

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk of Kirkpatrick street, from a point about 300 feet south of Ridgway street to the existing sewer on Kirkpatrick street at Ridgway street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on the west sidewalk of Kirkpatrick street, from a point about 300 feet south of Ridgway street to the existing sewer on Kirkpatrick street at Ridgway street. Commencing on the west sidewalk of Kirkpatrick street at a point about 300 feet south of Ridgway street; thence northwardly along the west sidewalk of Kirkpatrick street to the existing sewer on Kirkpatrick street at Ridgway street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and twelve inches (12") in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 548.

No. 332

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Monmouth street, from a point about 30 feet south of Nicholson street to the existing sewer on Forward avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Monmouth street, from a point about 30 feet south of Nicholson street to the existing sewer on Forward avenue. Commencing on Monmouth street at a point about 30 feet south of Nicholson street; thence southwardly along Monmouth street to the existing sewer on Forward avenue. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter, with nine (9") inch lateral sewers extending from the main sewer at a point one (1') foot inside the curb lines.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are

hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of forty-eight hundred dollars (\$4,800.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 549.

No. 333

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Milton street, from a point about 30 feet north of Overton street to the existing sewer crossing Milton street at a point about 385 feet north of Henrietta street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Milton street, from a point about 30 feet north of Overton street to the existing sewer crossing Milton street at a point about 385 feet north of Henrietta street. Commencing on Milton street at a point about 30 feet north of Overton street; thence northwardly along Milton street to the existing sewer crossing Milton street at point about 385 feet north of Henrietta street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen inches (15") in diameter, with nine inch (9") lateral sewers extending from the main sewer to a point one foot (1') inside the curb lines.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of eighty-two hundred dollars (\$8200.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 550.

No. 334

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Sections 52, 53, 55, 56, 57 and 58 of an Ordinance, entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, and as amended by Ordinances Nos. 20, 103, 106 and 189, approved February 6, April 22, April 24 and June 26, 1919, respectively, so as to provide additional employees in the Bureau of Engineering.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Sections 52, 53, 55, 56, 57 and 58 of an Ordinance, entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, and as amended by Ordinances Nos. 20, 103, 106 and 189, approved February 6, April 22, April 24, and June 26, 1919, respectively, shall be and is hereby amended in the following manner, to

provide additional employees, in the Bureau of Engineering, to-wit:

That Section 52,
Department of Public Works—Bureau
of Engineering,

which as heretofore amended reads,
Allowance
For High Cost
of Living, in-
cluded in
salary rate

Chief Engineer,	
\$6,000.00 per annum	
Chief Clerk,	
2,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Contract Clerk,	
1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk,	
1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk,	
1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Two Stenographers,	
1,230.00 each per annum	120.00

be amended to read,

Chief Engineer,	
\$6,000.00 per annum	
Three Assistant Chief	
Engineers,	
4,000.00 each per annum	
Chief Clerk,	
2,070.00 per annum	120.00
Contract Clerk,	
1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Clerk,	
1,500.00 per annum	120.00
File Clerk,	
1,200.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk,	
1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk,	
1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Five Stenographers,	
1,230.00 each per annum	120.00

That Section 53,

Department of Public Works—
Division of Surveys,

which as heretofore amended reads,
Allowance
For High Cost
of Living, in-
cluded in
salary rate

Assistant Chief Engineer,	
\$5,000.00 per annum	
Division Engineer,	
3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Seven Assistant Engineers,	
2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Eight Engineering Draftsmen,	
1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Counter Clerk,	
1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Six Transistmen,	
1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Six Rodmen,	
1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Ten Chainmen,	
1,170.00 each per annum	120.00

Laborers,
3.60 each per day
Auto Truck Driver,
4.05 per day

be amended to read,

Assistant Chief Engineer,	
\$5,000.00 per annum	
Division Engineer,	
3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Nine Assistant Engineers,	
2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Twelve Engineering Drafts-	
men,	
1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Eight Transistmen,	
1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Eight Rodmen,	
1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Sixteen Chainmen,	
1,170.00 each per annum	120.00
Counter Clerk,	
1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Counter Clerk,	
1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Stenographer-Clerk,	
1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Laborers,	
3.60 each per day	
Auto Truck Driver,	
4.05 per day	

That Section 55,

Department of Public Works—
Division of Design,

which as heretofore amended reads,

	Allowance For High Cost of Living, in- cluded in salary rate
Division Engineer,	
\$3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two Assistant Engineers,	
2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Designing Draftsman	
1,890.00 per annum	120.00
Eight Engineering Drafts-	
men,	
1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Counter Clerk,	
1,470.00 per annum	120.00

be amended to read,

Two Division Engineers,	
3,270.00 each per annum	120.00
Six Assistant Engineers,	
2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Designing Draftsman,	
1,890.00 per annum	120.00
Twenty Engineering Drafts-	
men,	
1,770.00 each per annum	120.00
Counter Clerk,	
1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Index Clerk,	
1,470.00 per annum	120.00

That Section 56,

Department of Public Works—
Division of Bridges.

which as heretofore amended reads,

Allowance
For High Cost
of Living, in-
cluded in
salary rate

Division Engineer,	
\$3,270.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Engineers,	
2,310.00 per annum	120.00
Architect,	
3,270.00 per annum	120.00
Architectural Draftsman	
1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Designing Draftsman,	
2,130.00 per annum	120.00
Designing Draftsman,	
1,890.00 per annum	120.00
Engineering Draftsman,	
1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Chief Inspector	
1,800.00 per annum	
Public Works Inspectors,	
4.85 each per day	
General Foreman,	
1,830.00 per annum	120.00
Foreman of Painters,	
1,830.00 per annum	120.00
Driver, \$3.85 per day.	
Carpenters, not to exceed C. U. W.	
Bridge Painters, not to exceed C. U. W.	
Structural Iron Workers, not to	
exceed C. U. W.	
Laborers, \$3.60 each per day	

be amended to read,

Division Engineer,	
3,270.00 per annum	120.00
Three Assistant Engineers,	
2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Architect,	
3,270.00 per annum	120.00
Two Designing Architectural	
Draftsmen,	
2,700.00 each per annum	
Architectural Draftsman,	
2,100 per annum,	
Architectural Draftsman,	
1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Field Assistant,	
1,800.00 per annum	
Two Designing Draftsmen,	
2,130.00 each per annum	120.00
Designing Draftsman,	
1,890.00 per annum	120.00
Engineering Draftsman,	
1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Three Transistmen,	
1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Three Rodmen,	
1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Four Chainmen,	
1,170.00 each per annum	120.00
Chief Inspector,	
1,800 per annum	
Public Works Inspectors,	
4.85 each per day	

General Foreman,

1,830.00 per annum	120.00
Foreman of Painters,	
1,830.00 per annum	120.00
Driver, \$3.85 per day	
Carpenters, not to exceed C. U. W.	
Bridge Painters, not to	
exceed C. U. W.	
Structural Iron Workers, not	
to exceed C. U. W.	
Laborers, \$3.60 each per day	

That Section 57,

Department of Public Works—
Division of Sewers.

which as heretofore amended reads.

Allowance
For High Cost
of Living, in-
cluded in
salary rate

Division Engineer,	
\$3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Four Assistant Engineers,	
2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Four Transistmen,	
1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Four Rodmen,	
1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Seven Chainmen,	
1,170.00 each per annum	120.00
Assistant Chief Inspector,	
1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Public Works Inspectors,	
4.85 each per day	

be amended to read,

Division Engineer,	
3,270.00 per annum	120.00
Seven Assistant Engineers,	
2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Seven Transistmen,	
1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Seven Rodmen,	
1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Twelve Chainmen,	
1,170.00 each per annum	120.00
Assistant Chief Inspector,	
1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Public Works Inspectors,	
4.85 each per day	

That Section 58,

Department of Public Works—
Division of Streets,

which as heretofore amended reads,

Allowance
For High Cost
of Living, in-
cluded in
salary rate

Division Engineer,	
\$3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Five Assistant Engineers,	
2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Five Transistmen,	
1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Five Rodmen,	
1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Nine Chainmen	
1,170.00 each per annum	120.00

Assistant Chief Inspector, 1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Public Works Inspectors, 4.85 each per day	
be amended to read,	
Division Engineer, \$3,270.00 per annum	120.00
Eight Assistant Engineers, 2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Eight Transistmen, 1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Eight Rodmen, 1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Twelve Chainmen, 1,170.00 each per annum	120.00
Assistant Chief Inspector, 1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Public Works Inspectors, 4.85 each per day	

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 551.

No. 335

AN ORDINANCE — Amending Section 2 of Ordinance No. 104, entitled, "An Ordinance creating and establishing a Division in the Bureau of Engineering under the control and direction of the Director of the Department of Public Works, to be known as the Division of Parks and Playgrounds, providing for and fixing the number of employees and the rate of compensation thereof," approved April 24, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Section 2 of Ordinance No. 104, entitled, "An Ordinance creating and establishing a Division in the Bureau of Engineering under the control and direction of the Director of the Department of Public Works, to be known as the Division of Parks and Playgrounds, providing for and fixing the number of employees and the rate of compensation thereof," approved April 24, 1919, which reads:

Section 2. The number of employees of the said Division and the rate of compensation thereof, shall be and the same are fixed and established as herein set forth, an allowance for the high cost of living having been included in the rates of compensation, as shown in the column headed "Allowance."

Allowance
For High Cost
of Living, in-
cluded in
salary rate

Division Engineer, \$3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
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Assistant Engineer, 2,310.00 per annum	120.00
Transitman, 1,590.00 per annum	120.00
Rodman, 1,230.00 per annum	120.00

shall be and the same is hereby amended to read,

Section 2. The number of employees of the said Division and the rate of compensation thereof, shall be and the same are fixed and established as herein set forth, an allowance for the high cost of living having been included in the rates of compensation, as shown in the column headed "Allowance."

Allowance
For High Cost
of Living, in-
cluded in
salary rate

Division Engineer, \$3,270.00 per annum	\$120.00
Two Assistant Engineers, 2,310.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Transistmen, 1,590.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Rodmen, 1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Four Chainmen, 1,170.00 each per annum	120.00

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 554.

No. 336

AN ORDINANCE — Amending Section 59, Bureau of Deed Registry, Department of Public Works, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all Departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Section 59 of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all Departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, shall be and the same is hereby amended in the following manner, to provide additional temporary employees in the Bureau of Deed Registry, Department of Public Works, to-wit:

That Section 59, Department of Public

Works, Bureau of Deed Registry, which reads as follows:

Section 59.

	Allowance For High Cost of Living, in- cluded in salary rate
Register of Deeds, \$2,220.00 per annum	\$120.00
Chief Clerk, 1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Plotting Clerk, 1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Two Clerks, 1,230.00 per annum, each	120.00

shall be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 59.

	Allowance For High Cost of Living, in- cluded in salary rate
Register of Deeds, \$2,220.00 per annum	\$120.00
Chief Clerk, 1,770.00 per annum	120.00
Plotting Clerk, 1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Two Clerks, 1,230.00 each per annum	120.00
Two Clerks, 1,120.00 each per annum	120.00

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 556.

No. 337

AN ORDINANCE — Prohibiting the placing and accumulating of rubbish, ashes, fallen trees or parts thereof, old vehicles and offensive material of any character in dwellings, buildings, streets, lanes, alleys, yards or vacant ground in the City of Pittsburgh, and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That within the meaning of this Ordinance, rubbish is defined as follows:*

ALL paper, pasteboard, rags, mattresses, wornout furniture, old clothes, old shoes, old rubbers, leather, carpets, broken glass, crockery, bottles, straw, excelsior, floor sweepings, old metal, packing boxes and barrels and broken parts thereof, tin cans, Christmas trees,

leaves, grass cuttings, cut or pulled weeds and brush, and household refuse generally, exclusive of garbage and ashes.

Section 2. From and after the passage of this Ordinance, it shall be unlawful for the occupiers of dwellings or other buildings to place or accumulate rubbish, as defined in Section 1 of this Ordinance, ashes, fallen trees or parts thereof, old vehicles, and offensive material of any character, in dwellings, buildings, streets, lanes, alleys, yards, cellars, or vacant ground being a part of the premises occupied by them, and for the owner or agent in charge of vacant ground, to cause or permit any of said materials to be accumulated therein, and all such persons shall, within thirty days after the passage of this Ordinance, cause any such dwellings, buildings, streets, lanes, alleys, yards, cellars or vacant ground to be cleared of any such materials, and thereafter keep such dwellings, buildings, streets, lanes, alleys, yards, cellars, or vacant ground clear and free from the same.

Section 3. Any person hereafter placing any of the materials mentioned and defined in Sections 1 and 2 in any dwelling, building, street, lane, alley, yard, cellar, or vacant ground in the City of Pittsburgh shall be subject to the penalties prescribed in Section 4 of this Ordinance.

Section 4. Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any magistrate, be sentenced to forfeit and pay a fine not exceeding ten dollars (\$10.00) and the costs of prosecution for each and every offense, and, in default of the payment thereof, shall be imprisoned in the County Jail for a period not exceeding ten (10) days.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 556.

No. 338

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a switch siding across an unnamed street located between the B. & O. right-of-way and Preble avenue, south of Ontario street, Twenty-seventh ward, City of Pittsburgh, said track to be located at a point approximately eighty-five

(85') feet and four (4") inches south of Ontario street, for the purpose of conveying material, etc., to the property of the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority, at its own cost and expense, to construct, maintain and use a switch siding across an unnamed street located between the B. & O. right-of-way and Preble avenue, south of Ontario street, Twenty-seventh ward, City of Pittsburgh, said track to be located at a point approximately eight-five (85') feet and four (4") inches south of Ontario street, for the purpose of conveying material, etc., to the property of the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company. The said track shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance and in accordance with plan hereto attached and identified as Accession No. A-123, Folder A, in the files of the Division of Utilities, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, entitled, "Proposed switch siding across unnamed street, Twenty-seventh ward, City of Pittsburgh, for the standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company."

Section 2. The said Company prior to beginning the construction of the said track shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the said City, a complete set of plans in triplicate showing the location and all details for the construction of the said track, and said plans and the construction of the said track shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the said Director.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets, and to the Ordinances of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general Ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of tracks on City streets and compensation for same.

Section 4. The said grantee shall bear the full cost and expense of the repaving and repair of the street pavement damaged, repair of sewers, water lines and other surface and subsurface structures, which may be in any way damaged or disturbed by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said track. All of the said work, including the repaving of the street damaged, shall be done in the manner and at such times as the Director may order,

and shall be subject to his approval and supervision.

Section 5. The rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh without liability reserves the right to cause the removal of the said track upon giving six (6) months' notice through the proper officers pursuant to resolution or Ordinance of Council to the said Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, to that effect; and that the said grantee when so notified shall, at the expiration of said six months, forthwith, remove the said track and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 6. The said grantee shall assume any liability of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property, including the street and subsurface structures therein, by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said track, and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following condition, to-wit: This Ordinance shall become null and void unless within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company shall file with the City Controller, its certificate of acceptance of this Ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the Company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 557.

No. 339

AN ORDINANCE — Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Health for the collection, removal and disposal of rubbish and garbage within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh for a period of one, two, three or four years from January 1, 1920.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Health shall be and

they are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals, and to let a contract or contracts for the collection, removal and disposal of rubbish and garbage within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh to a point or points, and in such manner, as may be designated and approved by the Director of the Department of Public Health, in accordance with the specifications approved by Council on October 7, 1919, for a period of one, two, three or four years, from January 1, 1920, as may be deemed for the best interests of the City, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the same, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act for the Government of Cities of the Second Class," approved March 7, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances in such cases made and provided, and charge the same to Appropriation Code Account 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 559.

No. 340

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the enclosing of all the porches at the Tuberculosis Hospital, Leech Farm, Twelfth ward, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Health of the City of Pittsburgh shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the enclosing of all the porches at the Tuberculosis hospital, Leech Farm, Twelfth ward, for a sum not to exceed eight thousand (\$8,000.00) dollars, in accordance with the Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D. 1901, and the different supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided.

Section 2. That the sum of eight thousand (\$8,000.00) dollars, or so much of the same as may be necessary, shall

be and is hereby set apart and appropriated for the payment or payments required for the performance of the above mentioned work, and that the said amount or amounts be paid out of Appropriation No. 154, Hospital Bond Fund.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 560.

No. 341

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of Nimick place, from Oakwood street to Allison street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the southerly curb line of Nimick Place, from Oakwood street to Allison street shall be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the easterly curb line of Oakwood street at the elevation of 279.49 feet; thence rising at the rate of 6% for the distance of 10.01 feet to the easterly line of Oakwood street to the elevation of 280.09 feet; thence rising at the rate of 14.93% for the distance of 132.91 feet to the westerly line of Hackett way, to the elevation of 299.9 feet; thence level for the distance of 20.0 feet to the easterly line of Hackett way; thence rising at the rate of 22.50% for the distance of 120.0 feet to the westerly line of Allison street to the elevation of 326.93 feet; thence rising at the rate of 6.0% for the distance of 9.0 feet to the westerly curb line of Allison street to the elevation of 327.47 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 561.

No. 342

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the the Colonial Ice Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a reinforced concrete water well under South Seventeenth street at a point one hundred

seventy-five (175) feet northward on the western side of said street from the northern building line of Muriel street in the Seventeenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of obtaining sufficient condensing water to supply ice plants.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Colonial Ice Company, its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right to construct, maintain and use a reinforced concrete water well under South Seventeenth street at a point along the western side of said street for a distance of one hundred and seventy-five (175) feet north of the northern building line of Muriel street in the Seventeenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of obtaining sufficient condensing water to supply ice plants.*

The foregoing reinforced concrete well shall be laid in the location and in full conformance with the plans on file in the Division of Public Utilities, Department of Public Works, and identified as Accession No. A-125, Folder "A", said plan being entitled, "Plan of proposed reinforced concrete water well below street grade on South Seventeenth street, 175' north of Muriel street, Seventeenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, for the Colonial Ice Company."

Section 2. The construction, maintenance and use of the said well shall be at all times subject to the approval of the Director of the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets and to the Ordinance of the said City relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general Ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, operation and maintenance of overhead and underground structures on City streets, and compensation for same.

Section 4. The said grantee shall be liable to all damage to persons or property including the street and subsurface structures therein by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said well.

Section 5. The said grantee shall at their own cost and expense repair and replace all street pavement, sidewalks, surface and subsurface structures which are in any way damaged or disturbed in the construction, maintenance and use of the said well, all of which work shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the Director of the Department of Public Works of the said City.

Section 6. The rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh without liability reserves the right to cause the removal of the said well upon giving six months' notice through the proper officers, or by resolution or Ordinance of Council to the said Colonial Ice Company to that effect; and that the said grantee shall, when so notified, remove the said structure and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following condition, to-wit: This Ordinance shall become null and void unless within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, the Colonial Ice Company shall file with the City Controller, its certificate of acceptance of this Ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the Company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 20, 1919.

Approved October 25, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 561.

No. 343

AN ORDINANCE — Approving the "Arlington Park Terrace" Plan of Lots, in the Sixteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by Pittsburgh-St. Clair Realty Company, accepting the dedication of Arlington avenue, Foley street, Kozell street, Plave street, Pluso street, Zaruba street Kordecki way and Krakow way, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon.

Whereas, the Pittsburgh-St. Clair Realty Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, the owner of certain property, in the Sixteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh laid out in a plan of lots called, "Arlington Park Terrace" have located certain avenues, streets and ways thereon and executed a Deed of Dedication, on said plan, of all the ground covered by said avenues, streets and ways to the said City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes and have released the said City from any liabilities for damages occasioned by the physical grading of said public highways to the grades hereinafter established, therefore:

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the "Arlington Park Terrace" Plan of Lots, situate in the Sixteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, laid out by Pittsburgh-St. Clair Realty Company, April, 1919, be and the same is hereby approved and Arlington avenue, Foley street, Kozell street, Piave street, Pluso street, Zaruba street, Kordecki way and Krakow way, as located and dedicated on said plan are hereby accepted.*

Section 2. The avenues, streets and ways as aforesaid dedicated to said City for public highway purposes, shall be and the same are hereby appropriated and opened as public highways and named Arlington avenue, Foley street, Kozell street, Piave street, Pluso street, Zaruba street, Kordecki way and Krakow way.

Section 3. The grades of Arlington avenue, Foley street, Kozell street, Piave street, Pluso street, Zaruba street, Kordecki way and Krakow way, laid out and dedicated in "Arlington Park Terrace" plan of lots are hereby established as described in Ordinance No. 258, approved August 6, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book Vol. 30, Page 426.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and appropriate the said Arlington avenue, Foley street, Kozell street, Piave street, Pluso street, Zaruba street, Kordecki way and Krakow way for public highways in conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 20, 1919.

Approved October 25, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 563.

No. 344

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for installing additional steam heating lines, and alterations, repairs and improvements to the present steam heating lines, in the Department of Public Safety Building.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals, and*

let a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for installing additional steam heating lines, and alterations, repairs and improvements to the present steam heating lines in the Department of Public Safety Building, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved the 7th day of March, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; the cost whereof not to exceed the sum of fourteen hundred (\$1,400.00) dollars; and to be charged to Code Account No. 1133, Item E, Repairs, General Office, Department of Public Safety.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 20, 1919.

Approved October 25, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 564.

No. 345

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the grading, regrading, paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving to the re-established lines and grades of Webster avenue from Fullerton street to Roberts street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Webster avenue, from Fullerton street to Roberts street, be graded, regraded, paved, repaved, curbed, recurbed and otherwise improved to the re-established lines and grades thereof.*

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the grading, regrading, paving, repaving, curbing, recurbing and otherwise improving of said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of forty-three thousand dollars (\$43,000.00), which is the estimate

of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 20, 1919.

Approved October 25, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 565.

No. 346

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the employment of one (1) additional clerk at the Tuberculosis Hospital, Leech Farm, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, Department of Public Health, and fixing the compensation of same.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That from and after the passage of this Ordinance the Director of the Department of Public Health shall be and he is hereby authorized to employ one additional clerk at the Tuberculosis Hospital, Leech Farm, Twelfth ward, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, Department of Public Health, at a salary of nine hundred (\$900.00) dollars per annum, which shall be paid from Code Account 1219, Salaries, Regular Employees.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 566.

No. 347

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Line 4, Section 87, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Light, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That from and after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, Line 4, Section 87, Department of Public Works, Bureau of Light, of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads:

Janitor\$3.35 per day
shall be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Janitor\$3.60 per day.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 566.

No. 348

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Line 1, Section 46, Department of Charities, City Home and Hospital, Mayview, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Line 1, Section 46, Department of Charities, City Home and Hospital, Mayview, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof" approved January 22, 1919, which reads:

Medical Director and Superintendent,
\$6,000.00 per annum

be amended to read:

Medical Director and Superintendent,
\$4,000.00 per annum

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 567.

No. 349

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Park Roadway Improvement Bonds, 1919, the sum of \$50,000.00 for the purpose of improving the roadways in Riverview Park.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of Park Roadway Improvement Bonds, 1919, the sum of \$50,000.00 for the purpose of improving the roadways in Riverview Park.

Section 2. Said appropriation shall be known as Appropriation No. 199, and shall be distributed as follows:

A—Salaries and Labor.....	\$35,000.00
B—Miscellaneous Services	5,000.00
C—Supplies, Material, Equip- ment	10,000.00
	\$50,000.00

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 567.

No. 350

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of West Park Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 200, the sum of \$5,000.00 for the payment of Engineering Expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of West Park Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 200, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), for the purpose of paying the engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials and miscellaneous services, required for engineering and other services performed by the employees of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said bonds.

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as "No. 200-A", Engineering Expenses, salaries, supplies, materials and miscellaneous services.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 568.

No. 351

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the purchase from Mary E. Thuerer of forty-five lots, or pieces of land, situate in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, providing for the consideration therefor and making an appropriation for the payment therefor.

Whereas, Mary E. Thuerer has offered to sell to the City of Pittsburgh forty-five lots, or pieces of ground, situate in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, County of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania, being lots numbers 27 to 42, both inclusive, number 44 and numbers 46 to 73, both inclusive, in a certain plan of lots called E. C. Kreiling's Plan of Lots, Tenth ward, Allegheny (now Twenty-sixth ward, Pittsburgh), as recorded in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, in Plan Book Volume 9, Page 54, for the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars, free and clear of all liens and encumbrances, excepting all unpaid City Taxes assessed against said lots; and,

Whereas The City agrees to accept said offer and purchase said land; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City hereby authorizes a deed of general warranty to be executed and delivered by the said Mary E. Thuerer to the City of Pittsburgh for the said forty-five lots, or pieces of ground, hereinbefore described, and upon delivery of said deed, which shall be subject to all unpaid City taxes assessed against said lots, properly executed by the grantor and approved by the City Solicitor, the Mayor is hereby authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in favor of said Mary E. Thuerer for the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 42,

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same

is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 569.

No. 352

AN ORDINANCE—Accepting the dedication of certain property in the Twenty-seventh ward for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same Complete street and establishing the grade thereof.

Whereas Martin Loebig, John Loebig and Barbara Wolf, the owners of the property hereinafter described have executed and delivered to the City of Pittsburgh their certain deed of dedication bearing date, October 7, 1919, now on file in the Bureau of Engineering of said City, wherein they have conveyed said ground to said City for a public street or highway and have released said City from any liability for damage for or by reason of the physical grading of said public highway to the grade hereinafter established; therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the said deed of dedication, be and the same is hereby accepted and the Bureau of Engineering is hereby authorized and directed to place the same of record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, in and for the County of Allegheny.

Section 2. The ground so as aforesaid conveyed to the said City for public highway purposes shall be and the same is hereby appropriated and opened as a public highway in accordance with the terms of said deed of dedication and shall be known as "Complete Street," the same being bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning, at a point on the northerly line of Complete street and the westerly line of Samuel McKain's Plan of Subdivision of a part of Lot No. 13 in R. H. Lecky's Plan of Lots recorded in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County in Plan Book Vol. 6, Page 60; thence along said line of Complete street produced and extending north 89° west for a distance of 238.14 feet to the center line of Geyer avenue; thence along said center line south 23° west for a distance of 21.57 feet to the northerly line of the W. H. Slack's Plan of Streets and Alleys; thence along said line south 89° east for a distance of 243.0 feet to the westerly line of the aforesaid Samuel McKain's Plan; thence along the same north 10° 08' east for

a distance of 20.25 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 3. The grade of said Complete street, from the westerly line of Samuel McKain's Plan of Subdivision of a part of lot No. 13 in R. H. Lecky's Plan of Lots to Geyer avenue is hereby established as follows:

The grade of the northerly curb line shall begin on the westerly line of the Samuel McKain's Plan of Subdivision at an elevation of 205.19 feet; thence falling at a rate of 8.4% for a distance of 89.92 feet to the westerly line of an unnamed twenty foot way to an elevation of 197.64 feet; thence falling at the rate of 27.3% for a distance of 131.88 feet to the easterly line of Geyer avenue to an elevation of 160.32 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5% for a distance of 6.47 feet to the easterly curb line of Geyer avenue to an elevation of 160.0 feet.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and appropriate the said described ground for a public highway in conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 569.

No. 353

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto Frank & Seder, their successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use an overhead passageway across Diamond street between the Frank & Sedar building on the north side of Diamond street to the former Solomon building on the south side of Diamond street subject to the terms and conditions herein set forth.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Frank & Sedar, their successors and assigns be and are hereby given the right and authority, at their own cost and expense, to construct, maintain and use an overhead passageway between the present building of Frank & Seder on the north side of Diamond street to the building formerly occupied by and known as the Solomon building on the south side of Diamond street. The said passageway to connect with the fifth floors in said buildings and to be built in accordance with plans and designs ap-

proved by the Department of Public Works.

Section 2. The said Frank & Seder shall, prior to the beginning of the construction of the said passageway, submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh, a complete set of plans in triplicate, showing location and all details of the construction of said passageway, and no work shall be commenced thereon until the said plans have been approved by the Director of the Department of Public Works, who shall have the right at all times to inspect and supervise the said construction, operation and maintenance.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets and to the Ordinances of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and to the provisions of any general Ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of passageways across City streets and which may provide for compensation for the use thereof.

Section 4. The rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh without liability reserves the right to cause the removal of the said overhead passageway upon giving six months' notice thereof through the proper officers of the City pursuant to Resolution or Ordinance of Council and that the said grantees when so notified shall at the expiration of the said six months, forthwith remove the said passageway and make the said buildings safe and in their original condition.

Section 5. The said grantees shall be responsible and shall assume any liability whatsoever either of the said grantees or of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said overhead passageway and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 6. The said Frank & Seder, their successors and assigns, shall pay to the Treasurer of the City of Pittsburgh, the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars annually in advance on account of the privileges and rights herein conferred and in case the said payments are not made within thirty days (30) after they become due, the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to discontinue the use of said passageway until the same are paid.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to all the foregoing conditions and to the further

condition that this Ordinance shall become null and void unless within thirty days (30) after the passage and approval of this Ordinance the said Frank & Seder shall file with the City Controller its certificate of acceptance of this Ordinance duly executed.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 571.

No. 354

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the licensing and regulating of Second Hand Dealers in the City of Pittsburgh and providing penalties for violation thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That no person shall use, exercise or carry on the trade of a second-hand dealer of such articles as set forth in Section 2 of this Ordinance, without first having obtained a license from the Department of Public Safety as hereinafter provided.

Section 2. A second hand dealer as referred to in this Ordinance is any person, firm or corporation who engages in or operates the trade or business of buying, exchanging, selling or dealing in second hand articles such as jewelry, old gold, silver, platinum and other precious metals, tools and instruments of any kind, clothing, shoes and other wearing apparel, bric-a-brac and automobile accessories.

Section 3. The license to carry on said business shall be granted by the Director of Public Safety for the term of one (1) year, unless revoked sooner, and shall be renewed from year to year.

The cost of said license shall be ten (\$10) dollars per year for itinerant dealers and fifty (\$50.00) dollars per year for such second hand dealers having a permanent place of business. Said money shall be paid to the City Treasurer who shall issue his official receipt therefor and the Director of Public Safety, upon presentation to him of said receipt showing payment, shall issue to such itinerant dealers a badge which shall be worn by said itinerant dealers and to the dealers having a permanent place of business, a license certificate which shall be hung in the place of business, together with all necessary stationery as provided for in Section 5.

Section 4. No dealer shall operate

more than one place of business under one license where merchandise shall be purchased and only in the place for which the license is granted.

Section 5. Every dealer having a permanent place of business shall keep a book in which shall be legibly written in the English language, at the time each purchase is made within their respective places of business only, a full and accurate description of all articles purchased, the time of purchasing same, the amount of money paid therefor, the color, name, age and place of residence, with the street and number, of the person selling the goods and in the case of a watch, the number of the works and the case, the name of the maker and in case of jewelry or gold or silver articles, tools and instruments of any kind, all letters or marks of identification which shall be inscribed thereon.

All itinerant dealers shall comply with the provisions of this Section with the exception, however, that itinerant dealers shall not be required to enter into said book above mentioned, the name of the person from whom the said articles are purchased if unknown to him. All second hand dealers, permanent and itinerant, shall before 12 o'clock noon of every business day report to the Superintendent of Police, upon blanks to be furnished by the Bureau of Police, a description of all articles so received for sale or purchase on the business day immediately preceding, together with the number of purchases and color, name, residence and description of the person making the sale and the amount paid therefore, provided, however, that itinerant dealers shall not be required to report to the Superintendent of Police the names of persons from whom said articles are purchased if unknown to them and further provided, however, that permanent dealers shall not be required to report to the Superintendent of Police as provided above, any articles purchased from itinerant dealers.

Section 6. Every second hand dealer having a permanent place of business shall at the time of making purchases or receiving any article purchased, deliver to the person from whom he shall receive such article, a memorandum in writing, signed by the said second hand dealer, containing the date, amount of purchase, together with a description of such articles as provided in Section 5 of this Ordinance.

Section 7. The book provided for in Section 5 of this Ordinance, as well as any and every article or thing, received in purchase shall be open at all times to the inspection of the Director of Public Safety or officers of the Bureau of Police and no second hand dealer shall purchase or receive any goods between the hours of 8 p. m. and 7 a. m.,

within their respective places of business.

Section 8. No second hand dealer shall sell any articles until same has been in his possession at least seventy-two (72) hours.

Section 9. No second hand dealer, his agent, clerk or employee shall receive or take in purchase any article or thing from any person under the age of eighteen (18) years or from any intoxicated person nor from any person known to be a thief or an associate of thieves, nor a receiver of stolen goods, nor from any person or persons whom said second hand dealer, his agent, clerk or employee has reason to suspect to be such.

Section 10. If any second hand dealer, licensed as aforesaid, his clerk, agent, servant or employee, shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance, or be convicted of receiving stolen goods, or become a person of bad moral character, the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall have power forthwith to revoke any and all licenses which shall have been issued to such person.

Section 11. Any and all persons, firms and corporations, violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance, shall, upon conviction before any Alderman or Police Magistrate of the City of Pittsburgh pay a fine not to exceed \$100.00 on any one offense or in default be confined in the Allegheny County Jail not to exceed 30 days and, in addition, forfeit any license granted under this Ordinance.

Section 12. This Ordinance shall be in force and effect as of April 1, 1919.

Section 13. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 572.

No. 355

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Sutherland street, from points about 20 feet east of Huxley street and 20 feet west of Universal street to the existing sewer on Sutherland street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That a public sewer be constructed on Suther-*

land street, from points about 20 feet east of Huxley street and 20 feet west of Universal street to the existing sewer on Sutherland street. Commencing on Sutherland street at points about 20 feet east of Huxley street and 20 feet west of Universal street; thence eastwardly and westwardly respectively along Sutherland street to the existing sewer on Sutherland street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and eight inches (8") in diameter, with six inch (6") lateral sewers extending from the main sewer to a point one (1') foot inside the curb lines.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 575.

No. 356

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the making of a contract or contracts for the laying of water pipe lines for the betterment of the water supply service in various sections of the City.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh shall be and are hereby authorized to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders

for the laying of water pipe lines for the betterment of the water supply service in the City of Pittsburgh, for a sum not to exceed sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000.00), in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the different supplements and amendments thereto and the Ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided.

Section 2. That the sum of sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000.00), or so much of the same as may be necessary shall be and is hereby set apart and appropriated for the payment or payments required for the performance of the above mentioned work, and that the said amount or amounts be paid out of Appropriation No. 190.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 576.

No. 357

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and award a contract or contracts for enlarging, repairing and improving Lake Elizabeth and otherwise improving West Park, and authorizing the setting aside of \$94,000.00 from the proceeds of West Park Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 200, for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for enlarging, repairing and improving Lake Elizabeth and otherwise improving West Park, for a sum not to exceed \$94,000.00, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and Ordinances governing said city.

Section 2. That the sum of ninety-four thousand dollars (\$94,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby set apart and appropriated from the proceeds received from the sale of West Park Improvements Bonds, 1919,

Bond Fund Appropriation No. 200, and the Mayor and the Controller are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn on said fund for the payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 576.

No. 358

AN ORDINANCE—Granting to the Brookline Board of Trade the right and privilege to construct a Memorial Tablet on the triangular piece of ground at the intersection of Brookline boulevard, Chelton avenue and Queensboro avenue, owned by the City of Pittsburgh, in commemoration of the boys who have been called into the service of the late World War.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Brookline Board of Trade be and is hereby given the right and authority to construct a Memorial Tablet on the triangular piece of ground at the intersection of Brookline Boulevard, Chelton Avenue and Queensboro avenue, owned by the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 2. The Brookline Board of Trade prior to beginning the construction of the Memorial Tablet, shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works, and the Art Commission of said City, a complete set of plans, showing location and all details of construction of the said structure and the construction of said tablet will be subject to the approval and supervision of the said Director and the Art Commission; said tablet to be constructed under the authority of this Ordinance shall further be subject to the regulations of the Bureau of Building Inspection and to the Ordinances of said City relating thereto.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 20, 1919.

Approved October 31, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 577.

No. 359

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Line 4. Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Line 4, Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads:

Bookkeeper,
\$1,770.00 per annum \$120.00

be amended to read:

Accountant,
\$2,310.00 per annum \$120.00

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provision of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed October 20, 1919.

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

November 6, 1919.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance, duly engrossed and certified, was delivered by me to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval, on October 21, 1919, and that the Mayor failed to approve or disapprove the same, or to return the same to Council within ten (10) days from said date, whereupon the same became a law without his approval, under the provisions of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided.

E. J. MARTIN.
Clerk of Council.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 578.

No. 360

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Diamond Street Improvement Bonds. Series 2, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 195, the sum of \$1,800.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and*

enacted by the authority of the same, That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of Diamond Street Improvement Bonds, Series 2, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 195, the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars (\$1,800.00), for the purpose of paying the engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services required for engineering and other services performed by the employees of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said bonds.

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as "No. 195," Engineering Expenses, Salaries, Supplies, Materials, Equipment and Miscellaneous Services.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 578.

No. 361

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Center Avenue Bridge Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 204, the sum of \$7,500.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, equipment, materials and miscellaneous services in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of the Center Avenue Bridge Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 204, the sum of seven thousand five hundred (\$7,500.00) dollars for the purpose of paying the engineering expenses including salaries, supplies, equipment, materials and miscellaneous services required for engineering and other services performed by the employees of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said bonds.

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as "No. 204," Engineering Expenses, Salaries, Supplies, Equipment, Materials and Miscellaneous Services.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the

same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 579.

No. 362

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Bigelow Boulevard Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 198, the sum of \$6,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of Bigelow Boulevard Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 198, the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) for the purpose of paying the engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, required for engineering and other services performed by the employees of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said bonds.

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as "No. 198," Engineering Expenses, Salaries, Supplies, Materials, Equipment and Miscellaneous Services.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919

Ordinance Book 30, Page 580.

No. 363

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Playground Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 201, the sum of \$15,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council*

assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of Playground Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 201, the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) for the purpose of paying the engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, required for engineering and other services performed by the employees of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said bonds.

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as "No. 201," Engineering Expenses, Salaries, Supplies, Materials, Equipment and Miscellaneous Services.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 580.

No. 364

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of North and Irwin Avenue Bridge Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 205, the sum of \$4,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, equipment, materials and miscellaneous services in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of North and Irwin Avenue Bridge Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 205, the sum of four thousand (\$4,000.00) dollars for the purpose of paying the engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, equipment, materials and miscellaneous services required for engineering and other services performed by the employees of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said bonds.*

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as "No. 205," Engineering Expenses, Salaries, Supplies, Equipment, Materials and Miscellaneous Services.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the

provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 581.

No. 365

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of East Ohio Street Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 196, the sum of \$20,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of East Ohio Street Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 196, the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) for the purpose of paying the engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, required for engineering and other services performed by the employees of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said bonds.*

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as "No. 196," Engineering Expenses, Salaries, Supplies, Materials, Equipment and Miscellaneous Services.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 582.

No. 366

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Mount Oliver Street Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 197, the sum of \$3,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted*

by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of Mount Oliver Street Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 197, the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) for the purpose of paying the engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, required for engineering and other services performed by the employees of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said bonds.

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as "No. 197," Engineering Expenses, Salaries, Supplies, Materials, Equipment and Miscellaneous Services.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 583.

No. 367

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Street Improvement Bonds, Series A, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 194, the sum of \$20,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of Street Improvement Bonds, Series A, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 194, the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) for the purpose of paying the engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, required for engineering and other services performed by the employees of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said bonds.

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as "No. 194," Engineering Expenses, Salaries, Supplies, Materials, Equipment and Miscellaneous Services.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 583.

No. 368

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Park Broadway Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 199, the sum of \$20,000.00 for the payment of engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of Park Broadway Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 199, the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) for the purpose of paying the engineering expenses, including salaries, supplies, materials, equipment and miscellaneous services, required for engineering and other services performed by the employees of the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said bonds.

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as "No. 199," Engineering Expenses, Salaries, Supplies, Materials, Equipment and Miscellaneous Services.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 584.

No. 369

AN ORDINANCE—Creating the Bureau of Zoning and Districting in the Department of City Planning, prescribing the powers and duties of said Bureau and fixing the number and compensation of employees therein.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and*

enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the approval of this Ordinance, there shall be and is hereby created the Bureau of Zoning and Districting, which shall be attached to and under the control and direction of the Department of City Planning. The head of this Bureau shall be a graduate engineer of at least ten years' actual experience in municipal engineering and shall be known as the "Chief Engineer" of the Bureau of Zoning and Districting.

Section 2. The Bureau of Zoning and Districting shall have the supervision, control and direction of the preparation of the necessary rules, regulations, plans, maps, etc., for the sub-dividing of the City into districts for the purpose of regulating and limiting the height and bulk of buildings and areas of yards, courts and open spaces, and to regulate and restrict the location of trades and industries, and the location of buildings for specified uses, and to make regulations for trades and industries and for the use of buildings as provided for by the Act of Assembly, approved June 21st, 1919, and such other duties as may be assigned by the City Planning Commission.

Section 3. The salaries of the officers and employees of the Bureau of Zoning and Districting shall be and the same are fixed and established as follows, to-wit:

- 1—Chief Engineer, \$4,000.00 per annum.
- 1—Assistant Chief Engineer, \$3,000.00 per annum.
- 1—Secretary Stenographer, \$2,400.00 per annum.
- 4—Draughtsmen, \$1,800.00 per annum (each).

Section 4. The salaries of the employees of the Bureau of Zoning and Districting shall be paid, and the same are hereby authorized to be paid out of Appropriation No. 1107 for the balance of the fiscal year, and thereafter from the regular appropriation made to such Bureau.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 585.

No. 370

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the opening grades on Bills way, Elder way, Ludwick street, Shady avenue and Victory way as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened highways

by Mrs. Magdalena C. Howley's Plan of Lots.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That upon the approval of a plan of lots proposed to be laid out by Mrs. Magdalena C. Howley of her property in the Fourteenth ward, the grades to which Bills way, Elder way, Ludwick street, Shady avenue and Victory way, as shown thereon, shall be accepted as opened public highways of said city, shall be as hereinafter set forth.

BILLS WAY.

The grade of the westerly line shall begin on the southerly line of Victory way at an elevation of 314.83 feet; thence rising at a rate of 15% for a distance of 316.32 feet to the southerly line of Magdalena C. Howley Plan to an elevation of 362.58 feet.

ELDER WAY.

The grade of the westerly line shall begin on the southerly line of Victory way at an elevation of 323.98 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 80.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 329.88 feet; thence rising at a rate of 13% for a distance of 198.95 feet to the southerly line of Magdalena C. Howley's Plan of Lots to an elevation of 355.74 feet.

LUDWICK STREET.

The grade of the easterly curb line shall begin at the southerly curb of Monitor street at an elevation of 308.9 feet; thence rising by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 90.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 315.98 feet; thence rising at a rate of 14.10% for a distance of 32.09 feet to the northerly line of Victory way to an elevation of 320.5 feet; thence rising at a rate of 7% for a distance of 20.0 feet to the southerly line of Victory way to an elevation of 321.90 feet; thence rising at a rate of 13.86% for a distance of 294.26 feet to the southerly line of Magdalena C. Howley's Plan of Lots to an elevation of 362.68 feet.

SHADY AVENUE.

The grade of the easterly curb line shall begin on the southerly curb of Monitor street at an elevation of 321.10 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 60.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 324.20 feet; thence rising at a rate of 8% for a distance of 339.68 feet to the southerly line of Magdalena C. Howley's Plan of Lots to an elevation of 351.37 feet.

VICTORY WAY.

The grade of the northerly line shall begin at the westerly curb line of Shady avenue at an elevation of 329.16 feet;

thence falling at a rate of 3.05% for a distance of 167.44 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 324.05 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 40.0 feet to an elevation of 322.26 feet; thence falling at a rate of 5.88% for a distance of 30.0 feet to the easterly curb line of Ludwick street to an elevation of 320.5 feet; thence rising to the westerly curb line of Ludwick street to an elevation of 320.58 feet; thence falling at a rate of 1.45% for a distance of 20.0 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 320.29 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 40.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 318.94 feet; thence falling at a rate of 5.3% for a distance of 161.84 feet to an elevation of 310.35 feet; thence falling at a rate of 7% for a distance of 14.22 feet to the easterly curb line of Saline street to an elevation of 309.35 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 586.

No. 371

AN ORDINANCE—Setting aside and dedicating certain property in the Tenth ward for public use for highway purposes for the widening of Stanton avenue.

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh is the owner of certain property fronting on Stanton avenue, being lots Nos. 240-241 in Carnegie & Company Plan, recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., in and for the County of Allegheny in Plan Book, Vol. 4, Page 232; and

Whereas, In the judgment of the Mayor and the Council of said City, a portion of the said lots should be used for highway purposes for the easement of an angle in Stanton avenue, between Poe way and Fifty-second street; therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the following described property is hereby set aside and dedicated for public use for highway purposes for the widening of Stanton avenue at an angle between Poe way and Fifty-second street, to-wit:

Beginning on the northerly line of Stanton avenue at the distance of 26.72 feet eastwardly from the easterly line

of Poe way; thence deflecting toward the north by the arc of a curve having a radius of 127.74 feet and a central angle of 38° 46' 20" for the distance of 86.44 feet to a point on the said northerly line of Stanton avenue; ; thence in a southwesterly direction along said northerly line of Stanton avenue for the distance of 44.95 feet to an angle point; thence deflecting toward the west 38° 46' 20" and continuing along said northerly line in a northwesterly direction for the distance of 44.95 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and appropriate the said described piece of ground for highway purposes in conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 587.

No. 372

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the widening, regrading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving of East Ohio street from Heinz street to the City Line at Millvale Borough, and providing for the payment of the cost of same.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That East Ohio street, from Heinz street to City Line at Millvale Borough, be widened, regraded, paved, curbed and otherwise improved to the re-established lines and to the re-established grades.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the widening, regrading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving said street between said points, the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, if let in separate contracts, not to exceed the total sum of four hundred thirty thousand (\$430,000.00) dollars, which is the estimate of

the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. For the payment of the cost thereof the sum of four hundred thirty thousand \$430,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby set apart and appropriated from the proceeds received from the sale of East Ohio Street Improvement Bonds, 1919, Bond Fund Appropriation No. 196, and the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants drawn on said funds for the payment of the cost of said work.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 588.

No. 373

AN ORDINANCE—Cancelling and annulling Contract No. 4509, Mayor's Office File No. 230, which is a contract entered into between the City of Pittsburgh and Allegheny Heating Company for the furnishing of gas to the North Side Light Plant, Brocket street, North Side, City, for a term of nine months from and after April 1st, 1916.

Whereas, The sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) as set up by this contract was never used as originally intended; therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Contract No. 4509, Mayor's Office File No. 230, which is a contract entered into by the City of Pittsburgh and Allegheny Heating Company for the furnishing of gas to the North Side Light Plant, Brocket street, North Side, City, shall be and is hereby annulled and declared void and of no effect; and that the aforesaid amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) as set up in this contract be reverted back to the General Fund of Code Account No. 1672, "C", Supplies, Bureau of Light.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 589.

No. 374

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for furnishing alterations and additions to the heating apparatus at Municipal Hospital, Bedford avenue and Francis street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for furnishing alterations and additions to the heating apparatus at the Municipal Hospital, at a cost not to exceed the sum of eighteen hundred (\$1,800.00) dollars, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7th, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1236.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 589.

No. 375

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) automobile truck for the Department of Supplies.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the furnishing of one (1) automobile truck for the Department of Supplies, at a cost not to exceed the sum of eleven hundred and fifty (\$1,150.00) dollars, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7th, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the Ordinance of Council in such cases made and provided; the same to

be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1332.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 590.

No. 376

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Chatfield & Woods Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a reinforced concrete platform over and across the northwestern sidewalk of Short street from First avenue to Second avenue, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of conveying material, etc., between the building of the Chatfield & Woods Company's warehouse and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's overhead track on Short street, subject to the terms and conditions of this Ordinance.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Chatfield & Woods Company, its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority, at its own cost and expense, to construct, maintain and use a reinforced concrete platform over and across the northwestern sidewalk of Short street from First avenue to Second avenue in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., between the building of the Chatfield & Woods Company's warehouse and the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's overhead track on Short street, said reinforced concrete platform to have no supports or posts within the street lines and to have a minimum clearance of 20'-4 1/4". The said platform shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance and in accordance with the plan hereto attached and identified as Accession No. A-124, Folder "A", in the files of the Division of Public Utilities, Department of Public Works, entitled, "Plan of proposed loading platform above sidewalk on Short street for the Chatfield & Woods Company, First ward, City of Pittsburgh."

Section 2. The said company, prior to beginning the construction of said platform, shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the said City, a complete set of plans in triplicate showing the location and all details of construction of the said platform, and said plans and the construc-

tion of the said platform shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the said Director.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets, and to the Ordinances of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general Ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of said platform on City streets and compensation for same.

Section 4. The said grantee shall bear the full cost and expense of the repaving and repair the of street pavement damaged, repair of sewers, water lines and other surface and subsurface structures which may be in any way damaged or disturbed by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said platform. All of the said work, including the repaving of the street damaged, shall be done in the manner and at such times as the Director may order, and shall be subject to his approval and supervision.

Section 5. The rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh without liability reserves the right to cause the removal of said platform upon giving six (6) months' notice through the proper officers pursuant to resolution or Ordinance of Council to the said Chatfield & Woods Company, its successors and assigns, to that effect; and that the said grantee when so notified, shall at the expiration of said six months, forthwith, remove the said platform and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 6. The said grantee shall assume any liability of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property, including the street and subsurface structures therein, by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said platform, and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following condition, to-wit: This Ordinance shall become null and void unless within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance the Chatfield & Woods Company shall file with the City Controller its certificate of acceptance of this Ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the Company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same

is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 591.

No. 377

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use switch sidings on and across Railroad street, Second ward, City of Pittsburgh, Switch Siding No. 1 located at the intersection of Twenty-sixth street and Switch Siding No. 2 located 148.2' west of the westerly building line of Twenty-sixth street, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., to the buildings of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority, at its own cost and expense, to construct, maintain and use switch sidings on and across Railroad street, Second ward, City of Pittsburgh, Switch Siding No. 1 located at a point thirty (30') feet east of the easterly building line of Twenty-sixth street and track of the Allegheny Division of the P. R. R.; thence on and across the intersection of Railroad street and Twenty-sixth street to a point located on the westerly building line of Twenty-sixth street 7.7' north of Railroad street to the property of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company; then, westwardly along Railroad street from the westerly building line of Twenty-sixth street to a point on the track of the Allegheny Division of the P. R. R. 148.2', being the place of beginning of Switch No. 2; thence on and across Railroad street for a distance of 61.6' to the property of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company located on the north side of Railroad street, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., to the buildings of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company.

The said track shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance and in accordance with the plans hereto attached and identified as Accession No. 126-A, Folder "A", in the files of the Division of Utilities, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, entitled, "Proposed Switch Sidings on and across Railroad street, in the Second ward, City of Pittsburgh,

for the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company."

Section 2. The said company, prior to the beginning of construction of the track, shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh a complete set of plans showing location and all details for the construction of the said track, and the said plans and the construction of the track shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the Director of the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets, and to the Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general Ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of tracks on City streets and compensation for same.

Section 4. The said grantee shall bear the full cost and expense of the repaving and repair of the street pavement damaged, repair of sewers, water lines and other surface and subsurface structures which may be in any way damaged or disturbed by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said track. All of the said work, including the repaving of the street damaged, shall be done in the manner and at such times as the Director may order, and shall be subject to his approval and supervision.

Section 5. The rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh without liability reserves the right to cause the removal of the said track upon giving six (6) months' notice through the proper officers pursuant to resolution or Ordinance of Council to the said Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, to that effect; and that the said grantee when so notified, shall at the expiration of the said six months, forthwith, remove the said track and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 6. The said grantee shall assume any liability of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property, including the street and subsurface structures therein, by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said track, and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following condition, to-wit: This Ordinance shall become null and void unless within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance the

Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company shall file with the City Controller its certificate of acceptance of this Ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the Company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 592.

No. 378

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use an 8" steam pipe, a 3" water pipe and a 16" insulated tile conduit for the purpose of conveying steam heat and compressed air from the power plant under and across Twenty-sixth street to the pipe shop, property of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, Second ward, City of Pittsburgh, located 254' from the northerly building line of Railroad street northwardly to the center of proposed pipe lines.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority, at its own cost and expense, to construct, maintain and use an 8" steam pipe, a 3" water pipe and a 16" insulated tile conduit for the purpose of conveying steam heat and compressed air from the power plant under and across Twenty-sixth street to the pipe shop, property of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, Second ward, City of Pittsburgh, located 254' from the northerly line of Railroad street northwardly to the center of proposed pipe lines.

The said pipe lines shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance and in accordance with the plans hereto attached and identified as Accession No. 128-A, Folder "A", in the files of the Division of Utilities, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, entitled, "Proposed pipe conduits under and across Twenty-sixth street for the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, Second ward, City of Pittsburgh."

Section 2. The said company prior to

the beginning of construction of the pipe conduits shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh a complete set of plans showing location and all details for the construction of the said pipe conduits, and the said plans and the construction of the pipe conduits shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the Director of the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets, and to the Ordinances of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general Ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of pipe conduits on City streets and compensation for same.

Section 4. The said grantee shall bear the full cost and expense of the repaving and repair of the street pavement damaged, repair of sewers, water lines and other surface and subsurface structures which may be in any way damaged or disturbed by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said pipe conduits. All of the said work, including the repaving of the street damaged, shall be done in the manner and at such times as the Director may order, and shall be subject to his approval and supervision.

Section 5. The rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh without liability reserves the right to cause the removal of the said pipe conduits upon giving six (6) months' notice through the proper officers pursuant to resolution or Ordinance of Council to the said Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, to that effect; and that the said grantee when so notified, shall at the expiration of the said six months, forthwith, remove the said pipe conduits and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 6. The said grantee shall assume any liability of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property, including the street and subsurface structures therein, by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said pipe conduits, and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following condition, to-wit: This Ordinance shall become null and void unless within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construc-

tion Company shall file with the City Controller its certificate of acceptance of this Ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the Company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 595.

No. 379

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use an industrial track on and across Twenty-sixth street, located three hundred and fifteen (315') feet north from the northerly building line of Railroad street, in the Second ward, City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., from and to buildings of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its assessors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority, at its own cost and expense, to construct, maintain and use an industrial track on and across Twenty-sixth street, in the Second ward, City of Pittsburgh; said track to be located three hundred and fifteen (315') feet north from the northerly building line of Railroad street, for the purpose of conveying material, etc., from and to the buildings of the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company.

The said track shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance and in accordance with the plans hereto attached and identified as Accession No. A-127, Folder "A", in the files of the Division of Utilities, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, entitled, "Proposed industrial track on and across Twenty-sixth street for the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, Second ward, City of Pittsburgh.

Section 2. The said company prior to the beginning of construction of the track shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh a complete set of plans showing location and all details for the construction of the said track, and the

said plans and the construction of the track shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the Director of the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets, and to the Ordinances of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general Ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of tracks on City streets and compensation for same.

Section 4. The said grantee shall bear the full cost and expense of the repaving and repair of the street pavement damaged, repair of sewers, water lines and other surface and subsurface structures which may be in any way damaged or disturbed by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said track. All of the said work, including the repaving of the street damaged, shall be done in the manner and at such times as the Director may order, and shall be subject to his approval and supervision.

Section 5. The rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh without liability reserves the right to cause the removal of the said track upon giving six (6) months' notice through the proper officers pursuant to resolution or Ordinance of Council to the said Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company, its successors and assigns, to that effect; and that the said grantee shall, when so notified, at the expiration of the said six months, forthwith, remove the said track and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 6. The said grantee shall assume any liability of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property, including the street and subsurface structures therein, by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said track, and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following conditions, to-wit: This Ordinance shall become null and void unless within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance the Pittsburgh Valve Foundry and Construction Company shall file with the City Controller its certificate of acceptance of this Ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the Company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provi-

sions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 596.

No. 380

AN ORDINANCE—Changing the lines of Allison street, in the Thirteenth ward, from a point 140.0 feet south of Inglenook Place to a point 140.0 feet north of Inglenook Place, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* the lines of Allison street, in the Thirteenth ward, from a point 140.0 feet south of Inglenook Place to a point 140.0 feet north of Inglenook Place, shall be and the same are hereby changed, so that the street shall have a variable width, by taking for public use for highway purposes the following described property, to-wit:

Parcel "A".

Beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of Allison street with the southerly line of Inglenook Place, as said Allison street and Inglenook Place were opened by S. D. Warmcastle's Nimick Terrace Plan, as recorded in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County, in Plan Book, Vol. 13, Page 74; thence extending in an easterly direction along the said southerly line of Inglenook Place for the distance of 28.81 feet to a point; thence deflecting to the right $113^{\circ} 15' 15''$ and extending in a southerly direction by the arc of a circle, deflecting to the left, having a radius of 354.60 feet and a central angle of $23^{\circ} 15' 15''$ for the distance of 143.92 feet to a point of tangent on the said easterly line of Allison street, said point of tangent being 140.0 feet southwardly from the southerly line of Inglenook Place; thence by the tangent in a northerly direction along the said easterly line of Allison street for the distance of 140.0 feet to the place of beginning.

Parcel "B".

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Allison street with the northerly line of Inglenook Place, as said Allison street and Inglenook Place were opened by Mellon's Revision of Villa Place, as recorded in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County in Plan Book, Vol. 11, Page 44; thence extending in a westerly direction along the said

northerly line of Inglenook Place for the distance of 24.50 feet to a point; thence deflecting to the right $109^{\circ} 52' 20''$ and extending in a northerly direction by the arc of a circle, deflecting to the left, having a radius of 411.81 feet and a central angle of $19^{\circ} 52' 20''$ for the distance of 142.84 feet to a point of tangent on the said westerly line of Allison street, said point of tangent being 140.0 feet northwardly from the said northerly line of Inglenook Place; thence by the tangent in a southerly direction along the said westerly line of Allison street for the distance of 140.0 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall operate as a vacation of the following described portions of Allison street, as opened in the aforesaid S. D. Warmcastle's Nimick Terrace Plan and Mellon's Revision of Villa Place.

Parcel "CC".

Beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of Allison street with the northerly line of Inglenook Place, as opened by the aforesaid Mellon's Revision of Villa Place; thence extending in a westerly direction along the said northerly line of Inglenook Place produced, for the distance of 28.81 feet to a point; thence deflecting to the right $113^{\circ} 15' 15''$ and extending in a northerly direction by the arc of a circle, deflecting to the left, having a radius of 354.60 feet and a central angle of $23^{\circ} 15' 15''$ for the distance of 143.92 feet to a point of tangent on the said easterly line of Allison street, said point of tangent being 140.0 feet northwardly from the said northerly line of Inglenook Place; thence by the tangent and extending in a southerly direction along the said easterly line of Allison street for the distance of 140.0 feet to the place of beginning.

Parcel "D".

Beginning at the intersection of the said westerly line of Allison street with the said southerly line of Inglenook Place, as said Allison street and Inglenook Place were opened by the aforesaid S. D. Warmcastle's Nimick Terrace Plan; thence extending in an easterly direction along the said southerly line of Inglenook Place produced, for the distance of 24.50 feet to a point; thence deflecting to the right $109^{\circ} 52' 20''$ and extending in a southerly direction by the arc of a circle deflecting to the left having a radius of 411.81 feet and a central angle of $19^{\circ} 52' 20''$ for the distance of 142.84 feet to a point of tangent on the said westerly line of Allison street, said point of tangent being distant 140.0 feet southwardly from the southerly line of Inglenook Place; thence by the tangent and extending in a northerly direction along the said westerly line of Allison street for the distance of 140.0 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 3. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause the said lines of Allison street, in the Thirteenth ward, from a point 140.0 feet south of Inglenook Place to a point 140.0 feet north of Inglenook Place, to be changed in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 4. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby, and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 598.

No. 381

AN ORDINANCE—Opening Enfield street, in the Eighth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Centre avenue to Baum boulevard, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Enfield street, in the Eighth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Centre avenue to Baum boulevard, be and the same is hereby opened to a width of forty (40') feet along the following described lines, to-wit:

The center line shall begin at a point on the northerly five-foot line of Centre avenue, said point being distant 490.13 feet westwardly from the intersection of the northerly five-foot line of Centre avenue with the westerly five-foot line of Milvale avenue; thence deflecting to the right 90° and extending in a northerly direction for the distance of 121.0 feet to a point of curve; thence by the arc of a circle to the right having a radius of 324.17 feet and a central angle of 14° 59' for the distance of 84.77 feet to a point of tangent; thence by the tangent of said curve in a northerly direction for the distance of 282.27 feet to a point on the northerly five-foot line of Baum boulevard, said point being distant 64.50 feet westwardly from the point of curve and along the tangent of the first curve in Baum boulevard west of Milvale avenue and intersecting said

line by an angle of 96° 24' 30" in the southeast quadrant.

The easterly line shall be parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of 20 feet eastwardly from the above described line.

The westerly line shall be parallel to and at a perpendicular distance of 20 feet westwardly from the above described line.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Enfield street, in the Eighth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Centre avenue to Baum boulevard, to be opened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 600.

No. 382

AN ORDINANCE—Opening and naming Tulsa street, in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Bedford avenue to White street, establishing the grade thereof and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Tulsa street, in the Third ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from Bedford avenue to White street, be opened to a width of twenty-five (25') by taking for public use for highway purposes all of the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Bedford avenue and the line dividing lots Nos. 86-87 in William V. Callery's Plan of Lots, recorded in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County in Plan Book, Vol. 13, Page 114 (said point being distant south 62° 50' west 207.12 feet from the intersection of the northerly line of Bedford avenue and the westerly line of Marcella street); thence deflecting to the right 90° 00' and extending north 27° 10' west along the

line dividing lots Nos. 86-87 and Nos. 70-71 for the distance of 220 feet to the southerly line of White street; thence deflecting to the left 90° 00' and extending south 62° 50' west along said southerly line for the distance of 25 feet to the line dividing lots Nos. 69-70 in said plan; thence deflecting to the left 90° 00' and extending south 27° 10' east along the line of lots Nos. 69, 70, 87 and 88 for the distance of 220 feet to the northerly line of Bedford avenue; thence deflecting to the left 90° 00' and extending north 62° 50' east along said northerly line for the distance of 25 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The said street as opened shall hereafter be known as "Tulsa street."

Section 3. The grade of the east curb line of Tulsa street, from Bedford avenue to White street, shall begin on the north curb line of Bedford avenue at an elevation of 450.72 feet (curb as set); thence rising at the rate of 5.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 99.33 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 455.69 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 40 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 456.49 feet; thence falling at the rate of 1 foot per 100 feet for the distance of 106.67 feet to the south curb line of White street to an elevation of 455.42 feet.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Tulsa street, in the Third ward, from Bedford avenue to White street, to be opened in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 5. The costs, damages and expenses caused thereby, and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 6. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 601.

No. 383

AN ORDINANCE—Vacating Ridgway street, in the Fifth and Sixth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, between the Bloomfield Bridge and Melwood avenue.

Whereas, It appears by petition and affidavit on file in the office of the City Clerk that the owners of all the prop-

erty fronting or abutting upon the lines of Ridgway street, in the Fifth and Sixth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, between the Bloomfield Bridge and Melwood avenue, have petitioned the Council of the City of Pittsburgh to enact an Ordinance for the vacation of the same; therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Ridgway street, in the Fifth and Sixth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, as laid out and dedicated in the Executor's Plan No. 2 of Part of the Estate of Mrs. E. F. Denny, recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., for Allegheny County in Plan Book, Vol. 7, Page 13, between the Bloomfield Bridge and Melwood avenue, as hereinafter more fully described, shall be and the same is hereby vacated.

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Melwood avenue as located by an Ordinance approved March 24th, 1894, with the northerly line of Ridgway street, as laid out in the aforesaid plan; thence in a southeastwardly direction along the said westerly line of Melwood avenue south 30° 27' 16" east for the distance of 25.06 feet to a point on the southerly line of Ridgway street as laid out in the aforesaid plan; thence along the said southerly line of Ridgway street south 55° 40' west for the distance of 208.21 feet to the southeasterly line of the Bloomfield Bridge as opened by an Ordinance approved December 31st, 1912; thence along the said southeastwardly line of the Bloomfield Bridge north 40° 50' 40" east for the distance of 97.73 feet to the said northerly line of Ridgway street; thence along the said northerly line of Ridgway street north 55° 40' east for the distance of 115.44 feet to the place of beginning. Containing 4,045.625 square feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 602.

No. 384

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Section 49, Allegheny Carnegie Free Library, of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, as amended by an Ordinance approved March 6, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Section 49 of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, as amended by an Ordinance approved March 6, 1919, and which as amended reads as follows, viz:

Section 49.

Librarian and Custodian of Building,	
\$3,500.00 per annum	
Stenographer-Clerk,	
1,170.00 per annum	120.00
Head Library Assistant,	
1,620.00 per annum	120.00
Cataloguer,	
1,290.00 per annum	120.00
Assistant Cataloguer,	
1,170.00 per annum	120.00
Children's Librarian,	
1,170.00 per annum	120.00
Four Library Assistants,	
1,110.00 per annum	120.00
Three Library Sub-assistants,	
990.00 per annum	120.00
Six Library Sub-assistants,	
810.00 per annum	120.00
Apprentice,	
690.00 per annum	120.00
Two Apprentices,	
630.00 per annum	120.00
Two Apprentices,	
570.00 per annum	120.00
Three Apprentices,	
540.00 per annum	120.00
Organist,	
1,470.00 per annum	120.00
Engineer, not to exceed C. U. W.	
Two Sunday Assistants,	
3.85 each per day	
Sunday Assistant, \$2.35 per day	
Head Janitor,	
1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Three Janitors, \$3.60 per day	
Six Cleaners,	
870.00 per annum	120.00
Branch Librarian,	
1,170.00 per annum	120.00
Library Sub-assistant,	
990.00 per annum	120.00
Library Sub-assistant,	
810.00 per annum	120.00
Cleaner,	
870.00 per annum	120.00

shall be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Librarian and Custodian of Building,	
\$3 500.00 per annum	
Stenographer-Clerk,	
1,050.00 per annum	
Head Library Assistant,	
1,950.00 per annum	
Cataloguer,	
1,320.00 per annum	
Assistant Cataloguer,	
1,200.00 per annum	

Children's Librarian,	
1,380.00 per annum	
Two Library Assistants,	
1,260.00 each per annum	
Two Library Assistants,	
1,200.00 each per annum	
Three Library Sub-Assistants,	
1,020.00 each, per annum	
Four Library Sub-Assistants,	
960.00 each pe annum	
Two Library Sub-assistants,	
840.00 each per annum	
Apprentice,	
780.00 per annum	
Three Apprentices,	
720.00 each per annum	
Four Apprentices,	
600.00 each per annum	
Organist,	
1,470.00 per annum	\$120.00
Engineer, not to exceed C. U. W.	
Two Sunday Assistants,	
3.85 each per day	
Sunday Assistant, \$2.35 per day	
Head Janitor,	
1,350.00 per annum	120.00
Three Janitors, \$3.60 each per day	
Six Cleaners,	
870.00 each per annum	120.00
Branch Librarian,	
1,500.00 per annum	
Library Sub-assistant,	
1,020.00 per annum	
Library Sub-assistant,	
960.00 per annum	
Cleaner,	
870.00 per annum	120.00

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 603.

No. 385

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the purchase by the City of Pittsburgh from the Methodist Episcopal Church Union of Pittsburgh, a corporation, of a tract or piece of land situate in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and making an appropriation for the payment thereof.

Whereas, by reason of the extension and opening of Webster avenue in the Second ward, City of Pittsburgh, the lot or parcel of land hereinafter more specifically described is cut off from the larger portion of the property owned by said Methodist Episcopal Church Union of Pittsburgh, and

Whereas, the said Methodist Episcopal Church Union of Pittsburgh has offered to sell to the City of Pittsburgh the said lot or parcel of ground situate

in the Fifth ward of the City for the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00), which said lot or parcel is described as follows:

Beginning on the westerly line of Webster avenue as opened by an Ordinance approved October 1, 1917, at the line dividing the properties of the Methodist Episcopal Church Union of Pittsburgh and the Fifth Avenue Bank of Pittsburgh; thence along said dividing line north 55° 48' 40" west 210.59 feet to a point on the line of property of the Dollar Savings Bank; thence along said line dividing the properties of the Methodist Episcopal Church Union of Pittsburgh and the Dollar Savings Bank north 52° 41' 35" east 212.33 feet to the said westerly line of Webster avenue; thence along said westerly line south 10° 40' 50" east 121.06 feet to a point of curve; thence by a curve deflecting toward the south with a radius of 160.0 feet and a central angle of 36° 54' 20" for the distance of 103.06 feet to a point of tangent; thence by said tangent south 26° 13' 30" west for the distance of 30.89 feet to the place of beginning, containing 25,300 square feet more or less; and

Whereas, the City agrees to accept said offer and purchase said land; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the City of Pittsburgh hereby authorizes a deed of general warranty, free and clear of all liens and incumbrances to be made by the said Methodist Episcopal Church Union of Pittsburgh, a corporation created by and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to the City of Pittsburgh for the lot or parcel of ground hereinbefore described, and upon delivery of said deed properly executed by the grantor and approval thereof by the City Solicitor, the Mayor is hereby authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in favor of the said Methodist Episcopal Church union of Pittsburgh for the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00), the same to be charged to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 605.

No. 386

AN ORDINANCE — Providing for the settlement of damages to property on Greenfield avenue in the Fifteenth ward of Pittsburgh caused by hillside slip due to the grading of Alexis street, and making appropriation in the sum of \$13,400.00 therefor.

Whereas, the grading of Alexis street has caused a hillside slip and has rendered unsafe for habitation, the houses of Leopold Braun, Stephen Paulik and Barbara, his wife, John Coyne, and Andy Dudrek, and Annie, his wife, respectively designated as houses Nos. 333, 335, 337 and 341 Greenfield avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., and

Whereas, the said Leopold Braun has offered to sell to the City of Pittsburgh his property at No. 333 Greenfield avenue for \$3,000.00; Stephen Paulik and wife have offered to sell their property at No. 335 Greenfield avenue for \$3,000.00; John Coyne has offered to sell his property at No. 337 Greenfield avenue for \$2,900.00; Andy Dudrek and wife have offered to sell their property at No. 341 Greenfield avenue for \$2,500.00, and

Whereas, The sum of \$2,000.00 should be appropriated for the settlement of other damages to property on Greenfield avenue; now, therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That upon the delivery of deeds of general warranty for the premises hereinbefore described properly executed, and upon approval of the same by the City Solicitor, and upon release of all damages against the City of Pittsburgh having been given, the Mayor is hereby authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of Leopold Braun in the sum of \$3,000.00; in favor of Stephen Paulik and wife in the sum of \$3,000.00; in favor of John Coyne in the sum of \$2,900.00; and in favor of Andy Dudrek and wife in the sum of \$2,500.00; and the further sum of \$2,000.00 in settlement of other claims of damage to property arising from the grading of Alexis street, such settlement to be made by the City Solicitor subject to the approval of Council; said sum of \$13,400.00 to be charged to Appropriation No. 42.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 606.

No. 387

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the opening grade on Pemberton street, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as a legally opened highway by Webster Hinnau, in a Plan of Lots of his property, named "Cooper Square" in the Twenty-seventh ward.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That upon the approval of a certain Plan of Lots named "Cooper Square" proposed to be laid out by Webster Hinnau, in the Twenty-seventh ward, the grade to which Pemberton street as shown thereon, shall be accepted as an opened public highway of said City, shall be as hereinafter set forth.*

The grade of the southerly curb line shall begin on the easterly curb of Brighton road at an elevation of 244.21 feet; thence rising at a rate of 3% for a distance of 196.89 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 250.11 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 100.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 250.36 feet; thence falling at a rate of 2.5% for a distance of 229.64 feet to the westerly curb of Wapello street to an elevation of 244.62 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 607.

No. 388

AN ORDINANCE—Repealing an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the opening of Superior avenue, from angle of said avenue, on properties of Messrs. Seibert and Seifert, to New Brighton Road," approved November 16, 1889.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the opening of Superior avenue, from angle of said avenue, on properties of Messrs. Seibert and Seifert, to New Brighton Road," approved November 16, 1889, and recorded in Ordinance Book of the City of Allegheny, Vol. 6, Page 239, be and the same is hereby repealed.*

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 608.

No. 389

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at No. 5 Police Station, on Forty-third street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for alterations and repairs at No. 5 Police Station, on Forty-third street, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of eight hundred and fifty (\$850.00) dollars, and to be charged to Code Account No. 1152, Item 7, Repairs, Bureau of Police.*

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 608.

No. 390

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at No. 7 Police station, on South Thirteenth street.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for alterations and repairs to No. 7 Police Station, on South Thirteenth street, in*

accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, A. D., 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of eighteen hundred (\$1,800.00) dollars, and to be charged to Code Account No. 1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 609.

No. 391

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to execute a lease with the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society for buildings and premises known as the Exposition Buildings located on Duquesne way, City of Pittsburgh, and fixing the term and rental thereof, for the purpose of a City Garage, for City Storage and other lawful purposes.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh are hereby authorized to execute with the proper officers of the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society a lease for the term of twenty (20) years in the following form:

THIS AGREEMENT

Made the day of November, 1919, between the Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society, a corporation chartered under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, parties of the first part hereinafter designated as lessor, and the City of Pittsburgh, a Municipal Corporation of the second class, party of the second part, hereinafter designated as lessee.

WITNESS

First: The Western Pennsylvania Exposition Society, lessor, hereby agrees to let and lease, and does hereby let and lease unto the City of Pittsburgh all those certain buildings situate and located on ground belonging to the City east of the Union Bridge and extending eastwardly along Duquesne way to Third street from the street line to the low water line, known as the Exposition Buildings, for a period of twenty

(20) years, for the purpose of a City Garage, for city storage and other lawful purposes, at an annual rental of \$30,000.00, payable quarterly of each and every year. Said rental shall be classed and paid from the regular annual City Budget as other City expenditures are paid, and said building shall not be subject to levy and distress for rent or other summary process for collection of the same.

Second: The City shall have full right and privilege to sublet said buildings or any part thereof without the consent of the lessor. The said lessee shall pay all insurance, make all repairs at its own expense, and shall have the right to make such alterations and changes in said buildings as shall be necessary for its purposes.

In Witness Whereof, the parties hereto have set their hands and seals this day of November, 1919.

_____(Seal)

_____(Seal)

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 24, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 609.

No. 392

AN ORDINANCE—Amending lines 2 and 3, Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all Departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That lines 2 and 3, Section 51, Department of Public Works, Division of Accounting, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all Departments of the City of Pittsburgh and rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, which reads as follows:

	Allowance For High Cost of Living, in- cluded in salary rate
Accountant.	
\$2,070.00 per annum	\$120.00
Accountant,	
\$1,770.00 per annum	\$120.00

be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

	Allowance For High Cost of Living, in- cluded in salary rate
Accountant, \$2,310.00 per annum	\$120.00
Accountant, \$2,310.00 per annum	\$120.00

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 24, 1919.
Approved December 2, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 612.

No. 393

AN ORDINANCE—Creating one new position in the Department of Public Safety, General Office, to be known as Multigraph Operator, and fixing the salary thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That from and after the passage and approval of this Ordinance the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and is hereby authorized to employ one Multigraph Operator at a salary of \$1,110.00 per annum to be paid from Code Account No. 1126, Salaries, Regular Employees, Department of Public Safety, General Office.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 24, 1919.
Approved December 2, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 612.

No. 394

AN ORDINANCE—Designating Stahl way, as the name for an unnamed 20 foot way, from Olive street to Mountford avenue, in the Twenty-fifth ward.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Stahl way be and the same is hereby designated as the name for an unnamed 20-foot way, 124.0 feet south of and parallel with McNaugher street, from Olive street to Mountford avenue, as shown on J. & S. McNaugher's Nunnery

Hill Plan of Lots, in the Twenty-fifth ward.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 24, 1919.
Approved December 2, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 613.

No. 395

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Water Bonds, Series "A" 1919, the sum of \$18,000.00 for the payment of Supplies and Materials, etc., furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of Water Bonds, Series "A", 1919, the sum of \$18,000.00 for the purpose of paying for Supplies and Materials, etc., furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, in the improvement of and extension of Water System, installation of Meters, etc., in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said Bonds.

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as No. 190-C, Supplies and Materials, etc.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 24, 1919.
Approved December 21, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 613.

No. 396

AN ORDINANCE—Appropriating and setting aside from the proceeds of Street Improvement Bonds, Series A-1919, Bond Fund Code Account No. 194, the sum of fifty-three thousand two hundred dollars (\$53,200.00) for the payment of resurfacing, repairing and otherwise improving streets, including wages, miscellaneous service, supplies and materials in the Asphalt Division, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That there is hereby appropriated and set aside from the proceeds received from the sale of street improvement bonds, Series A-1919, Bond Fund Code Account No. 194, the sum of fifty-three thousand two hundred dollars (\$53,200.00) for the purpose of payment for resurfacing, repairing and otherwise improving streets, including wages, miscellaneous service, supplies and materials required for the Asphalt Division, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works in the prosecution of the work contemplated in the Ordinance authorizing the sale of said bonds.

Section 2. That said appropriation shall be known as "194 B", resurfacing, repairing, and otherwise improving streets.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 24, 1919.
Approved December 21, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 614.

No. 397

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract for sixteen (16) motorcycles, more or less, for the Bureau of Police.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for furnishing sixteen (16) motorcycles, more or less, for the Bureau of Police, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved the 7th day of March, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of forty-eight hundred (\$4,800.00) dollars, and to be charged to Code Account No. 1168, Item F, Equipemnt, Bureau of Police.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same

is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 24, 1919.
Approved December 2, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 615.

No. 398

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for electric wiring in the Department of Public Safety Building, Sixth avenue and Cherry way.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for electric wiring in the Department of Public Safety Building, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7, 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of twenty-five hundred (\$2,500.00) dollars, and to be charged to Code Account No. 1133, Item E, Repairs, General Office, Department of Public Safety.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 24, 1919.
Approved December 2, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 615.

No. 399

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the opening grades on Antoinette street, Alcock way, Camella street, Downlook avenue, Drive street, Drive way, Fence way, Garage way, Oglethorpe avenue, Oldani street, Premier street and Woodbine street, as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened highways by the Pittsburgh City Garden Company in a plan of lots of theirs in the Tenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh to be called Plan of City Garden.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That upon the approval of a certain plan of

lots, called Plan of City Garden, proposed to be laid out by the Pittsburgh City Garden Company, of their property in the Tenth ward of said City, the grades to which Antoinette street, Alcock way, Camelia street, Downlook avenue, Drive street, Drive way, Fence way, Garage way, Oglethorpe avenue, Oldani street, Premier street and Woodbine street, as shown thereon, shall be accepted as open public highways of said City, shall be as hereinafter set forth.

ANTOINETTE STREET

The grades of the west curb line of Antoinette street, from Oglethorpe avenue to Christopher street, shall begin on the south curb line of Oglethorpe avenue at an elevation of 355.05 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 14 feet to the south line of Oglethorpe avenue to an elevation of 354.35 feet; thence falling at the rate of 8.22 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 220 feet to the north line of Oldani street to an elevation of 336.27 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 9 feet to the north curb line of Oldani street to an elevation of 335.82 feet; thence level for the distance of 22 feet to the south curb line of Oldani street to an elevation of 335.82 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 9 feet to the south line of Oldani street to an elevation of 336.27 feet; thence rising at the rate of 11.83 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 220 feet to the north line of Downlook avenue to an elevation of 362.30 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 14 feet to the north curb line of Downlook avenue to an elevation of 363.00 feet; thence level for the distance of 22 feet to the south curb line of Downlook avenue to an elevation of 363.00 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 14 feet to the south line of Downlook avenue to an elevation of 362.30 feet; thence falling at the rate of 10.37 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 220 feet to the north line of Premier street to an elevation of 339.48 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 40 feet to the south line of Premier street to an elevation of 337.48 feet; thence falling at the rate of 33.63 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 53.40 feet to the north line of Christopher street to an elevation of 319.52 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 10.36 feet to the north curb line of Christopher street to an elevation of 319.00 feet.

ALCOCK WAY.

The grade of the north line of Alcock way, from Woodbine street to Drive way, shall begin on the west curb line of Woodbine street at an elevation of

392.47 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 10 feet to the west line of Woodbine street to an elevation of 391.97 feet; thence falling at the rate of 8.76 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 495.66 feet to the east line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 348.55 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 9 feet to the east curb line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 348.10 feet; thence level for the distance of 22 feet to the west curb line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 348.10 feet; thence falling at the rate of 3 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 16.81 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 347.60 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 50 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 344.43 feet; thence falling at the rate of 9.675 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 250.92 feet to the east line of Drive way to an elevation of 320.15 feet.

CAMELIA STREET

The grade of the north curb line of Camelia street, from Woodbine street to Christopher street, shall begin on the west curb line of Woodbine street at an elevation of 355.7 feet; thence falling at the rate of 3.58 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 14.25 feet to a point to an elevation of 354.66 feet; thence falling at the rate of 6.41 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 358.91 feet to the east line of Christopher street to an elevation of 331.65 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 13.72 feet to the east curb line of Christopher street to an elevation of 330.96 feet.

DOWNLOOK AVENUE

The grade of the south curb line of Downlook avenue, from Woodbine street to Drive street, shall begin on the west curb line of Woodbine street at an elevation of 382.62 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1 foot per 100 feet for the distance of 23.0 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 382.85 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 50 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 382.60 feet; thence falling at the rate of 2 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 33.33 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 381.92 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 378.42 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 308.41 feet to the east curb line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 363.00 feet; thence level for the distance of 22 feet to the west curb line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 363.00 feet; thence falling at the rate of 4.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 150 feet to a point of curve to an elevation

of 356.25 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 350.57 feet; thence falling at the rate of 6.85 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 265.90 feet to a point opposite the east line of Drive way to an elevation of 332.36 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1 foot per 100 feet for the distance of 12.90 feet to the south curb line of Drive street to an elevation of 332.49 feet.

DRIVE STREET

The grade of the east curb line of Drive street from Premier street to Downlook avenue, shall begin on the north curb line of Premier street at an elevation of 341.31 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5.32 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 112.25 feet to south line of Fence way to an elevation of 334.78 feet; thence falling at the rate of 1 foot per 100 feet for the distance of 229.67 feet to the south curb line of Downlook avenue to an elevation of 332.49 feet.

DRIVE WAY

The grade of the south line of Drive way, from Woodbine street to Downlook avenue, shall begin on the west curb line of Woodbine street at an elevation of 376.70 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1.38 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 175 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 379.11 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 374.30 feet; thence falling at the rate of 11.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 150 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 357.80 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 350.03 feet; thence falling at the rate of 4.53 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 237.77 feet to a point to an elevation of 339.26 feet; thence falling at the rate of 0.75 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 177.50 feet to the south curb line of Oglethorpe avenue to an elevation of 337.94 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 14.29 feet to the south line of Oglethorpe avenue to an elevation of 337.23 feet; thence falling at the rate of 11.44 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 102.08 feet to the north line of Garage way to an elevation of 325.56 feet; thence level for the distance of 20.42 feet to the south line of Garage way to an elevation of 325.56 feet; thence falling at the rate of 21.86 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 102.08 feet to the north line of Oldani street to an elevation of 303.26 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 9.19 feet to the north curb line of Oldani street to an elevation of 302.80 feet; thence level for the distance of 22.46 feet to the south curb

line of Oldani street to an elevation of 302.80 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 9.19 feet to the south line of Oldani street to an elevation of 303.26 feet; thence rising at the rate of 12.6 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 134.09 feet to the north line of Alcock way to an elevation of 320.15 feet; thence level for the distance of 35.70 feet to the south line of Alcock way to an elevation of 320.15 feet; thence rising at the rate of 6 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 203.51 feet to the north curb line of Downlook avenue to an elevation of 332.36 feet.

FENCE WAY

The grade of the south line of Fence way from Woodbine street to Drive street, shall begin on the west curb line of Woodbine street at an elevation of 372.00 feet; thence rising at the rate of 4 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 95.0 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 375.80 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 375.67 feet; thence falling at the rate of 4.25 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 103.92 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 371.26 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 363.13 feet; thence falling at the rate of 12 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 106.86 feet to the east line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 350.31 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 9 feet to the east curb line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 349.86 feet; thence level for the distance of 22 feet to the west curb line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 349.86 feet; thence rising at the rate of 4 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 233.05 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 359.18 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 200 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 355.18 feet; thence falling at the rate of 8 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 248.27 feet to a point to an elevation of 335.32 feet; thence falling at the rate of 2.36 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 22.90 feet to the east curb line of Drive street, to an elevation of 334.78 feet.

GARAGE WAY

The grade of the south line of Garage way from Woodbine street to Drive way, shall begin on the west curb line of Woodbine street at an elevation of 392.51 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 10 feet to the west line of Woodbine street to an elevation of 392.01 feet; thence falling at the rate of 9.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 495.57 feet to the east line of Antoinette

street to an elevation of 344.94 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 9 feet to the east curb line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 344.49 feet; thence level for the distance of 22 feet to the west curb line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 344.49 feet; thence falling at the rate of 3 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 20.5 feet to a point or curve to an elevation of 343.87 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 50 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 341.37 feet; thence falling at the rate of 7 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 225.93 feet to the east line of Drive way to an elevation of 325.56 feet.

OGLETHORPE AVENUE

The grade of the south curb line of Oglethorpe avenue, from Woodbine street to Drive way, shall begin on the west curb line of Woodbine street at an elevation of 391.50 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 98.06 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 388.60 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 380.10 feet; thence falling at the rate of 8 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 307.46 feet to the east line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 355.50 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 9 feet to the east curb line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 355.05 feet; thence level for the distance of 22 feet to the west curb line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 355.05 feet; thence falling at the rate of 3 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 100 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 352.05 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 346.92 feet; thence falling at the rate of 7.25 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 123.89 feet to the east line of Drive way to an elevation of 337.94 feet.

OLDANI STREET

The grade of the south curb line of Oldani street from Woodbine street to Drive way, shall begin on the west curb line of Woodbine street at an elevation of 393.49 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 10 feet to the west line of Woodbine street to an elevation of 392.99 feet; thence falling at the rate of 12.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 264.69 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 359.90 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 349.15 feet; thence falling at the rate of 9 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 130.93 feet to the east line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 337.37

feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 40 feet to the west line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 335.37 feet; thence falling at the rate of 12.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 260.59 feet to the east line of Drive way to an elevation of 302.80 feet.

PREMIER STREET

The grade of the north curb line of Premier street, from Woodbine street to Drive street, shall begin on the west curb line of Woodbine street at an elevation of 363.28 feet; thence rising at the rate of 2 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 26.33 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 363.81 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 50 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 365.56 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 50.11 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 368.06 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 160 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 363.06 feet; thence falling at the rate of 11.25 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 184.08 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 342.35 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 35.32 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 339.48 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 9 feet to the east curb line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 339.03 feet; thence level for the distance of 22 feet to the west curb line of Antoinette street to an elevation of 339.03 feet; thence rising at the rate of 1 foot per 100 feet for the distance of 30 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 339.33 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 50 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 340.33 feet; thence rising at the rate of 3 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 335.67 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 350.40 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 349.40 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 161.75 feet to the east curb line of Drive street to an elevation of 341.31 feet.

WOODBINE STREET

The grade of the west curb line of Woodbine street, from Stanton avenue to Drive way shall begin on the north curb line of Stanton avenue at an elevation of 372.76 feet (curb as set); thence falling at the rate of 3 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 16.64 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 372.26 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 50 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 369.50 feet; thence falling at the rate of 8.04 feet per 100 feet for the distance

of 169.37 feet to the south line of Camelia street to an elevation of 355.88 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 14.25 feet to the south curb line of Camelia street to an elevation of 355.17 feet; thence level for the distance of 22.41 feet to the north curb line of Camelia street to an elevation of 355.17 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 14.25 feet to the north line of Camelia street to an elevation of 355.88 feet; thence rising at the rate of 9 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 58.11 feet to the south line of Premier street to an elevation of 361.11 feet; thence rising at the rate of 7 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 40 feet to the north line of Premier street to an elevation of 363.91 feet; thence rising at the rate of 8.09 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 220.0 feet to the south line of Downlook avenue to an elevation of 381.71 feet; thence rising at the rate of 6.5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 141.30 feet to a point of curve to an elevation of 390.90 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for the distance of 100 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 393.77 feet; thence falling at the rate of 0.75 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 302.70 feet to the south curb line of Ogleshorpe avenue to an elevation of 391.50 feet; thence falling at the rate of 5 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 36 feet to the north line of Ogleshorpe avenue to an elevation of 389.70 feet; thence falling at the rate of 13.0 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 100 feet to the south line of Drive way to an elevation of 376.70 feet; thence falling at the rate of 7 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 20 feet to the north line of Drive way to an elevation of 375.30 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed November 24, 1919.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 616.

No. 400

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Vitro Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a two inch (2") steel oil supply pipe for the purpose of conveying fuel oil from their warehouse located on the northern side of Chartiers avenue to their property on the south eastern side of Oliffe street, said pipe line to run from the northern side of Chartiers avenue under and across Chartiers avenue to Oliffe street along the twelve foot (12') line on the eastern

side of Oliffe street to the Vitro Manufacturing Company's factories for a total distance of three hundred and four feet (304') located in the Twentieth ward, City of Pittsburgh.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Vitro Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority, at its own cost and expense, to construct, maintain and use a two inch (2") steel oil supply pipe for the purpose of conveying fuel oil from their warehouse located on the northern side of Chartiers avenue to their property on the south eastern side of Oliffe street, said pipe line to run from the northern side of Chartiers avenue under and across Chartiers avenue to Oliffe street along the twelve foot (12') line on the eastern side of Oliffe street to the Vitro Manufacturing Company's factories for a total distance of three hundred and four feet (304'), located in the Twentieth ward, City of Pittsburgh.

The said pipe line shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance and in accordance with the plans hereto attached and identified as Accession No. 129-A, Folder "A", in the files of the Division of Utilities, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, entitled, "Proposed two inch steel oil supply pipe across Chartiers avenue and along Oliffe street to the property of the Vitro Manufacturing Company, Twentieth ward, City of Pittsburgh."

Section 2. The said company prior to the beginning of construction of the pipe line shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh a complete set of plans showing location and all details for the construction of the said pipe line, and said plans and the construction of the pipe line shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the Director of the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets, and to the Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general Ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of pipe-line on City streets and compensation for same.

Section 4. The said grantee shall bear the full cost and expense of the repaving and repair of the street pavement damaged, repair of sewers, water lines and other surface and subsurface structures which may be in any way damaged or disturbed by reason of the construction, maintenance and use

of the said pipe line. All of the said work, including the repaving of the street damaged, shall be done in the manner and at such times as the Director may order, and shall be subject to his approval and supervision.

Section 5. The rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh without liability reserves the right to cause the removal of the said pipe line upon giving six (6) months' notice through the proper officers pursuant to Resolution or Ordinance of Council to the said Vitro Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, to that effect; and that the said grantee when so notified, shall at the expiration of the said six months, forthwith, remove the said pipe line and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 6. The said grantee shall assume any liability of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property, including the street and subsurface structures therein, by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said pipe line, and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following condition to-wit: This Ordinance shall become null and void unless within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance the Vitro Manufacturing Company shall file with the City Controller its certificate of acceptance of this Ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 8, 1919.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 622.

No. 401

AN ORDINANCE—Vacating Forge way, in the Twenty-seventh ward, as laid out in "James Verner's Plan of 71 Lots at Verner Station," from the easterly line of said plan to the line of dividing lots 38 and 40 in said plan.

Whereas, The Pressed Steel Car Company has erected a welfare building at great expense for the purpose of providing comforts and conveniences for its employees; and

Whereas, Forge way is not used by the public, but is necessary for proper entrance to the welfare building; and

Whereas, It appears by the petition and affidavit on file in the office of the City Clerk that the owners of all the property fronting or abutting on the lines of Forge way, as laid out in "James Verner's Plan of 71 Lots at Verner Station," from the easterly line of said plan to the line dividing lots 38 and 40 in said plan, have petitioned the Council of the City of Pittsburgh to enact an Ordinance for the vacation of the same; therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Forge way, in the Twenty-seventh ward, as laid out in "James Verner's Plan of 71 Lots at Verner Station," acknowledged July 6th, 1869, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., for Allegheny County in Deed Book, Vol. 3, Pages 306, 307, from the easterly line of said plan to the line dividing lots 38 and 40 in said plan and as more fully described, shall be and the same is hereby vacated.

Beginning at the easterly line of said plan and the northerly line of Forge way; thence in a northwesterly direction along the northerly line of said Forge way north 36° 45' west for the distance of 85.99 feet to the line dividing lots 38 and 40 in said plan; thence along the line dividing lots 38 and 40 produced, south 53° 15' west for the distance of 20 feet to the southerly line of Forge way; thence in a southeasterly direction along said southerly line of Forge way north 36° 45' east for the distance of 71.15 feet to the easterly line of said plan; thence along said easterly line of said plan north 89° 50' east for the distance of 24.96 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1,571.4 square feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 8, 1919.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 624.

No. 402

AN ORDINANCE—Levying and assessing taxes and water rent for the fiscal year beginning January 1st, 1920, and ending December 31st, 1920, upon all property subject to taxation within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That for the purpose of providing sufficient revenue for the payment of the ordinary current expenses of said City, for the payment of interest on the funded and floating indebtedness of said city and of the constituent units constituting the present City of Pittsburgh, created prior to their annexation to or consolidation with said city, for the payment of the amounts required to be paid to the several sinking funds for the retirement at maturity of the outstanding indebtedness of said City and of the constituent units constituting the present City of Pittsburgh, created prior to their annexation to or consolidation with said City, due or to become due during the fiscal year beginning January 1st, 1920, and ending December 31st, 1920, and for the payment of other liabilities of said city due or to become due during the fiscal year beginning January 1st, 1920, and ending December 31st, 1920, the following taxes shall be and the same are hereby levied and assessed upon all property taxable for State, County and City purposes within the limits of said City, viz: Nineteen (19) mills upon each dollar of the assessed valuation of land and thirteen and three-tenths (13 3/10) mills upon each dollar of the assessed valuation of all buildings.*

Section 2. The Board of Water Assessors shall assess water rents for the period from January 1, 1920, to December 31, 1920, inclusive:

FOR EACH FAMILY USING FOR DOMESTIC PURPOSES.

One room	\$ 1.50
Each additional room except bath rooms	1.00
For each premises using for domestic purposes in addition to the above:	
Sinks, slop sinks.....	.75
Spigots not otherwise specified	.75
Set washstands, one in bath room	Free
Set washstands, self-closing.....	1.00
Set washstands, other than self-closing	2.00
Tubs, each compartments.....	.50
Bath tubs	2.00
Baths, shower	5.00
Water closets, self-closing.....	3.00
Water closets, other than self-closing	4.00
Water closets, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice.....	each 35.00
Metered rates	
Water closets, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 55.00
Metered rates	
Water closets, constant flow, with orifice larger than 1/4 inch not allowed	

Water closets, outside.....	each 3.00
Metered rates	
Urinals, self-closing.....	each 1.50
Urinals, other than self-closing	each 3.00
Urinals, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 35.00
Metered rates	
Urinals, constant flow, 1/4-inch orifice	each 55.00
Metered rates	
Urinals, constant flow, with orifice larger than 1/4-inch, not allowed.	
Wash pave or other hose attachments, 1/2 inch or 3/4 inch (no hose connections larger than 1/2 inch allowed).....	each 5.00
Lawn sprinklers	each 15.00
Hydrants, upright on public street or alley	each 10.00
Hydrants, self-closing, per family using	each .50
Hydrants, other than self-closing, per family using.....	each 2.00
Steam or water boilers for heating ten rooms or under.....	2.00
Additional for each room above ten	.20
Water motors for washing purposes, in houses of 1 to 4 rooms	each 3.50
Vacuum cleaners, in houses of 1 to 4 rooms.....	each 3.50
Water motors for washing purposes, in houses of 5 to 7 rooms	each 6.00
Vacuum cleaners, in houses of 5 to 7 rooms.....	each 6.00
Water motors for washing purposes, in houses of 8 to 10 rooms	each 12.00
Vacuum cleaners, in houses of 8 to 10 rooms.....	each 12.00
Water motors for washing purposes, in houses of 11 to 13 rooms	each 15.00
Vacuum cleaners, in houses of 11 to 13 rooms.....	each 15.00
Water motors for washing purposes, in houses of 14 rooms and upwards	each 20.00
Vacuum cleaners, in houses of 14 rooms and upwards.....	each 20.00
Water motors for any other purposes supplied only at metered rates.	
Motor washers shall be assessed as long as they remain on the premises.	

BOARDING AND ROOMING HOUSES.

In addition to the foregoing rates for domestic purposes:	
Boarders and rooms, not exceeding five	\$ 2.00
Boarders and roomers, not exceeding ten	5.00
Boarders and roomers, not exceeding twenty-five	10.00
Boarders and roomers, each additional twenty-five	5.00

HOTELS, RESTAURANTS, ETC.

Hotels of not more than twenty-five rooms.....	per room \$1.25
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Hotels of more than twenty-five rooms	per room	1.25
Bar, including water fixtures	Metered rates	
Kitchen, according to the number of draw cocks	each	30.00
Sinks, slop sinks	Metered rates	
Set washstands, cold, self-closing	each	50.00
Set washstands, hot and cold, self-closing	each	6.50
Set washstands, other than self-closing	each	3.00
Baths, private, for the use of guests	each	4.50
Baths, public	each	7.00
Water closets, self-closing	each	7.00
Water closets, other than self-closing	each	12.50
Water closets, constant flow, $\frac{1}{8}$ -inch orifice	each	15.00
Water closets, constant flow, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch orifice	each	5.50
Water closets, constant flow, with orifice larger than $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, not allowed.	each	9.00
Urinals, self-closing	Metered rates	35.00
Urinals, other than self-closing	Metered rates	
Urinals, constant flow, $\frac{1}{8}$ -inch orifice	each	55.00
Urinals, constant flow, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch orifice	each	55.00
Urinals, constant flow, with orifice larger than $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, not allowed.	each	55.00
Laundries attached to hotels, per room in hotel		5.00
Steam or water boilers for heating, for each room from 1 to 10		.75
Additional for each room above 10		5.00
Steam boilers for power purposes, per each h. p.		3.50
Gas engines, with circulating tanks, per each h. p.		1.50
Gas engines, without circulating tanks, per each h. p.		3.00
Water for either cooling or flushing purposes supplied only at metered rates.		
Elevators, hydraulic, according to capacity	each \$100.00 to 1,500.00	
Hydrants, upright, for watering horses	each	20.00
Wash pave	each	3.00
Hose, $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch or $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch	each	7.50
Hose, larger than $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch	each	20.00
Motor washers for washing, etc.	each	40.00
Spigots for ordinary purposes not enumerated	each	8.00

Restaurants and eating houses in addition to above rates for hotels, restaurants, etc.:

Guests, not exceeding 100 daily	\$10.00
Guests, not exceeding 200 daily	20.00
Guests not exceeding 500 daily	30.00
Guests, not exceeding 1,000 daily	50.00

WORKSHOPS, STORES, OFFICES, AMUSEMENT PLACES, ETC.

Stores of any character, amusement places, meeting places except regular meeting places of religious denominations, first floor, per 100 square feet	\$ 1.00
All additional floors contained in the same building and occupied by one tenant, per 100 square feet	.75
When occupied by more than one tenant, per 100 square feet	1.00
Offices	each room 2.00
Office buildings, exceeding 25 rooms, shall be supplied only at metered rates	
Warehouses with water service on premises, per floor	10.00
Warehouses without water on premises	each 10.00

A warehouse is here defined as a building used solely and entirely for the storage of goods.

In addition to the rates enumerated above:

Sleeping rooms, with stationary washstand	each \$4.00
Sleeping rooms, without stationary washstands	each 3.00
Set washstands, self-closing	each 1.50
Set washstands, other than self-closing	each 2.00
Baths	each 4.00
Shower baths	each 10.00
Water closets, self-closing	each 3.00
Water closets, other than self-closing	each 5.00
Water closets, constant flow, $\frac{1}{8}$ -inch orifice	each 35.00
Water closets, constant flow, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch orifice	each 55.00
Water closets, constant flow, with orifice larger than $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch not allowed.	
Urinals, self-closing	each \$2.00
Urinals, other than self-closing	each 4.00
Urinals, constant flow, $\frac{1}{8}$ -inch orifice	each 35.00
Urinals, constant flow, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch orifice	each 55.00
Urinals, constant flow, with orifice larger than $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch not allowed.	
Fixtures and water uses not enumerated under this heading shall be as-	

assessed under the heading "Hotels, Restaurants, Etc."

Breweries, capacity 10,000 bbls. or
or less per annum.....per bbl .03
Metered rates

Breweries, capacity 10,000 to 30,-
000 bbls. per annum.....per bbl .02½
Metered rates

Breweries, capacity 30,000 bbls. or
more per annum.....per bbl .02
Metered rates

Billiard tables, from one to three
tableseach 1.00

Additional tableseach .50

Bowling alleys, from one to three
alleyseach alley 1.00

Additional alleyseach .50

Barber shops, no additional charge
for stationary washstands, each
chair7.50

Blacksmith forges, one or two
fireseach fire 6.00

Blacksmith forges, additional fires
.....each additional fire 4.00

Brick yards, summer yards, per
gang of six men.....each gang 15.00

Brick yards, using machinery on
all brick made.....per 1,000 .03
Metered rates

Bakeries, per bbl. of flour used
.....per bbl .05

Dye establishments, per tub or ma-
chineeach 10.00

Laundries, per washing machine
each50.00
Metered rates

All establishments doing a laun-
dry business for profit not using
washing machines50.00

Photograph or blueprint galleries,
per batheach 15.00

Slaughter houses, per head dressed
.....each .10
Metered rates

Hydraulic elevators, according to
capacity.....from 100.00 to 1,500.00
Metered rates

Bottling houses.....Metered rates

Malting houses.....Metered rates

NatatoriumsMetered rates

Natatoriums, where the use of the
same is given free to school chil-
dren at least one time each week,
50 per cent of the.....Metered rates

Refrigerating plants, large or
smallMetered rates

PUBLIC BUILDINGS OTHER THAN SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Steam or water boilers for heating,
1 to 10 h. p.....per h. p 1.00

Additional for each h. p. over 10
h. p.2.00

Wash paveeach 5.00

Fixtures or water uses not enumer-
ated under this heading shall be as-
sessed under the heading of "Hotels,
Restaurants, Etc."

SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Rooms\$ 1.50

Wardrooms, cloakrooms, etc..... Free

Water closets, self-closing.....each 3.00

Water closets, other than self-
closingeach 4.00

Water closets, constant flow, ¼-
inch orificeeach 35.00
Metered rates

Water closets, constant flow, ¼-
inch orificeeach 55.00
Metered rates

Water closets, constant flow, with ori-
fice larger than ¼-inch not allowed.

Set washstands, self-closing.....each\$ 1.00

Set washstands, other than self-
closingeach 2.00

Sinks, slop sinks, self-closing
.....each 1.00

Sinks, slop sinks, other than self-
closingeach 2.00

Urinals, self-closingeach 1.50

Urinals, other than self-closing
each3.00

Urinals, constant flow, ¼-inch ori-
ficeeach 35.00
Metered rates

Urinals, constant flow, ¼-inch ori-
ficeeach 55.00
Metered rates

Urinals, constant flow, with orifice
larger than ¼-inch not allowed.

Boilers for steam heating.....each \$10.00

Boilers for power purposes.....
.....per each h. p 1.50

Gas engines with circulating
tanks.....per each h. p 1.50

Gas engines, without circulating
tanks.....per each h. p 3.00

Hoseeach 5.00

STABLES.

Livery and boarding stables.....
.....per stall 3.00
Metered rates

Vehicles in livery or boarding
stableseach 3.00
Metered rates

Hose for use in livery or boarding
stableseach 25.00
Metered rates

Horses not in livery or boarding
stableseach 2.50

Vehicles not in livery or board-
ing stableseach 2.00

Automobileseach 5.00

Cowseach 1.50

Fixtures and water uses not enumer-
ated under this heading shall, in case
of public stables, be assessed under the
heading, "Hotels, Restaurants, Etc.," and
in case of private stables, under the
heading "Domestic Purposes."

SPRINKLING CARTS.

Capacity 250 gals. or less, per
month\$18.00

Capacity 550 gals. or less, per
month33.00

Capacity greater than 550 gals.,
per monthMetered rates

FOUNTAINS AND AQUARIA.

Flowing ten hours per day, six months per year, counter jets in stores, 1/16 inch.....each	8.00
Metered rates	
Gardens, etc., 1/16 inch jet.....each	8.00
Metered rates	
Gardens, etc., each additional jet.....each	3.00
Metered rates	
Gardens, etc., 1/4-inch jet.....each	10.00
Metered rates	
Gardens, etc., each additional jet.....each	5.00
Metered rates	
Gardens, etc., 1/4-inch jet.....each	18.00
Metered rates	
Gardens, etc., each additional jet.....Each	10.00
Metered rates	
Gardens, etc., 1/2-inch jet.....each	50.00
Metered rates	

BUILDING PURPOSES.

Stone	per perch	.05
Brick	per 1,000	.10
Plaster	per 100 square yards	.50
Cement flooring		
.....	per 100 square feet	.12
Concrete.....	per cubic yard	.05

EXONERATIONS.

FOR VACANCIES—Where the premises is vacant and the entire supply of water shall, at the owner's written notice served on the Board of Water Assessors, be turned off by their direction by the Bureau of Water, and such water shall be turned on only by the Bureau of Water, at the owner's written notice to the Board of Water Assessors, exonerations of ninety (90%) per cent for the flat assessment for the period during which the water is shut off shall be issued; provided that the period during which the water is shut off is greater than sixty (60) days consecutively.

All requests for exonerations for excessive assessments must be made during the current year in which the assessments are made, or during twelve (12) months after the termination of said year, and no exoneration shall be granted after said period has expired.

FOR CHANGES IN WATER USES—

Where fixtures are removed and water uses discontinued, exoneration will be issued covering the discontinued use from the date of approval of a contract covering the revised water uses. In case any owner of any premises shall cause or allow water to be used for any purpose or in any fixture for which there is no approved water contract on file in the office of the Bureau of Water, the rate for such usage or fixtures shall be at the rate specified in the foregoing schedule, and shall date from the preceding January 1st, and the water for the entire premises shall be shut off until an approved contract for such ad-

ditional water uses or fixtures has been signed and placed on file in the office of the Bureau of Water.

All fixtures on any premises, whether used or not, will be assessed as long as they remain in position.

WATER FOR FIRE PURPOSES.

No charge shall be made for water used during fires. All water used through fire systems, except during fires, shall be charged for at metered rates. All fire systems shall be metered, excepting sprinkler head systems, and the minimum charge for each quarter year shall be as follows:

"2 and 3" meters.....	\$2.00 per quarter
4" meters	3.00 per quarter
6" meters and over.....	4.50 per quarter

EXPLANATION OF FOREGOING SCHEDULE.

In the foregoing schedule of rates, in cases where both flat and metered rates are specified, such flat rates shall govern until a meter or meters, controlling the entire supply of water, shall have been furnished by the City of Pittsburgh and installed, when the metered water rates, rules and regulations shall govern. In the foregoing schedule of rates, in cases where metered rates only are specified and the meter or meters are not in service or approved service during any portion of the water rent period, the registration for the portion of the water rent period during which the meter or meters are in approved service, or the registration during the preceding water rent period, shall be applied pro rata to the period during which the meter or meters are not in approved service. All water supplied at metered rates shall be at the following rates per quarter year:

METERED WATER RATES.

First 250,000 gallons or less.....	18c per 1,000 gallons
Second 250,000 gallons or less.....	16c per 1,000 gallons
Third 250,000 gallons or less.....	14c per 1,000 gallons
Fourth 250,000 gallons or more.....	12c per 1,000 gallons

Hospitals, dispensaries and such other charities as are supported by public and private contributions, shall be charged at the rate of seven (7) cents per thousand gallons; provided, however, that hospitals supported by public charity shall receive free of all charge two hundred fifty (250) gallons of water per patient per day, and schools supported by private charity shall receive free of all charge twenty-five hundred (2,500) gallons of water per pupil per annum.

All hospitals and charitable institutions operating and maintaining laundries for commercial purposes, or main-

taining and operating hydraulic power-producing machinery, shall pay the usual and fixed rate for all water used for such purposes.

All hospitals or charitable institutions within the City of Pittsburgh which operate and maintain laundries for commercial purposes, or operate hydraulic power-producing machinery, shall maintain separate water lines for such laundries or hydraulic power-producing machinery, and all water used for such purposes shall be separately and specially metered.

For all water taken the rate for which is not specifically provided and which is not measured by meter, the quantities shall be estimated and charged for at the above metered rates; and provided, further, that in no case where metered water rates are in force shall the charge for each premises for each quarter be less than the amount specified in the following schedule:

25 cents per quarter for 1 and 2 roomed dwelling house premises.

50 cents per quarter for 3 and 4 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$1.00 per quarter for 5 and 6 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$1.25 per quarter for 7 and 8 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$2.00 per quarter for 9 and 10 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$2.50 per quarter for 11 and 12 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$3.00 per quarter for 13 and 14 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$4.00 per quarter for 15 and 16 roomed dwelling house premises.

\$5.00 per quarter for dwelling house premises of more than 16 rooms; and for all premises not included in the above schedule the minimum charge shall be 2½ per cent. of the yearly flat assessment per quarter, excepting in each case where a premise is equipped with an auxiliary water supply consisting of a pumping engine of not less than 50,000 gallons per day capacity and a reserve tank of not less than 3,000 gallons capacity, the minimum charge for each quarter year shall be as follows:

For each ½-inch meter.....	\$ 2.00
For each ¾-inch meter.....	3.00
For each 1-inch meter.....	5.00
For each 1¼-inch meter.....	7.50
For each 1½-inch meter.....	10.00
For each 2-inch meter.....	12.50
For each 3-inch meter.....	20.00
For each 4-inch meter.....	30.00
For each meter larger than 4-inch.....	50.00

The meter or meters to be used must first be approved by the Bureau of Water, must be installed under the direction of and in a manner satisfactory to the Bureau of Water, shall at all times be accessible to the Board of Water Assessors and the Managing En-

gineer of the Bureau of Water, their agents or assistants. Metered rates charged to any premises cannot be changed to flat rates. All auxiliary meters and all meters for fire service must be furnished by and at the expense of the property owner.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance; provided, however, that nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed to repeal the provisions of Ordinance No. 59, Series 1919, approved March 15th, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30, Page 227, nor to repeal the provisions of Ordinance No. 60, Series 1919, approved March 15th, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30, Page 227.

Passed December 16, 1919.

Approved December 17, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 625.

No. 403

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the Board of Water Assessors to allow all hospitals of the City of Pittsburgh, supported by public charity, to receive free of charge two hundred and fifty (250) gallons of water per person per day, and providing for exonerations to that extent and the method of determining the same.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.* That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh is hereby authorized and directed to allow all hospitals of the City of Pittsburgh, supported by public charity, to receive free of charge two hundred and fifty (250) gallons of water per person per day.

Section 2. The Board of Water Assessors is hereby authorized and directed to issue exonerations to such hospitals to the extent provided for in Section 1 hereof, on being furnished with a statement by such hospitals as provided for in Section 3 hereof; said exonerations to be granted for the year, at the end of which such written statement shall be received.

Section 3. The proper officers of such hospitals shall file with the Board of Water Assessors, not later than the 31st day of December of each year, a written statement properly verified, of the daily number of persons actually within such hospitals as patients, doctors, nurses and other hospital employees and attendants, during that current year. The said exonerations shall be based upon such written statements.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance, with especial reference to Ordinance No. 59, Series 1919.

Passed December 8, 1919.
Approved December 18, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 633.

No. 404

AN ORDINANCE—Amending item "Resident Physician" in Section 35, Department of Health, Municipal Hospital, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all department of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved by the Mayor January 22nd, 1919.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That item "Resident Physician," in Section 35, Department of Health, Municipal Hospital, of an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved by the Mayor January 22nd, 1919, which reads as follows:

"Resident Physician.....
.....\$1,950.00 per annum"

Shall be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Resident Physician.....
.....\$2,500.00 per annum"

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.
Approved December 18, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 634.

No. 405

AN ORDINANCE—Granting unto the Duff Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and use a switch siding on and across Preble avenue, in the Twenty-seventh ward, City of Pittsburgh, said track to be located at a point approximately eight hundred and seventy-six (876') feet south of Ontario street, for the purpose of conveying materials, etc., to the buildings of the Duff Manufacturing Company's plant

situated on the west side of Preble avenue at the Ohio Connecting Railroad Bridge.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Duff Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, be and are hereby given the right and authority, at its own cost and expense, to construct, maintain and use a switch siding on and across Preble avenue in the Twenty-seventh ward, City of Pittsburgh, said track to be located at a point approximately eight hundred and seventy-six (876') feet south of Ontario street, for the purpose of conveying material, etc., to the buildings of the Duff Manufacturing Company's plant situated on the west side of Preble avenue at the Ohio Connecting Railroad Bridge.

The said track shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance, and in accordance with the plan hereto attached and identified as Accession No. A-130, Folder "A", in the files of the Division of Utilities, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, entitled, "Proposed Switch Siding Across Preble Avenue for the Duff Manufacturing Company, Twenty-seventh Ward, City of Pittsburgh."

Section 2. The said company, prior to beginning the construction of the said track, shall submit to the Director of the Department of Public Works of the said City a complete set of plans in triplicate showing the location and all details for the construction of the said track, and said plans and the construction of the said track shall be subject to the approval and supervision of the said Director.

Section 3. The rights and privileges herein granted shall be subject and subordinate to the rights of the City of Pittsburgh and its powers over City streets, and to the Ordinances of the City of Pittsburgh relating thereto, and to the provisions of any general Ordinance which may hereafter be passed relating to the construction, maintenance and use of tracks on City streets and compensation for same.

Section 4. The said grantee shall bear the full cost and expense of the repaving and repair of the street pavement damaged, repair of sewers, water lines and other surface and subsurface structures which may be in any way damaged or disturbed by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said track. And of the said work, including the repaving of the street damaged, shall be done in the manner and at such times as the Director may order, and shall be subject to his approval and supervision.

Section 5. The rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance are granted upon the express condition that the City of Pittsburgh without liability reserves the right to cause the removal of the said track upon giving six (6) months' notice through the proper officers pursuant to resolution of Ordinance of Council to the said Duff Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, to that effect; and that the said grantee when so notified, shall at the expiration of said six months, forthwith, remove the said track and replace the street to its original condition at its own cost and expense.

Section 6. The said grantee shall assume any liability of the City of Pittsburgh for damages to persons or property, including the street and subsurface structures therein, by reason of the construction, maintenance and use of the said track, and it is a condition of this grant that the City of Pittsburgh assumes no liability to either persons or property on account of this grant.

Section 7. The foregoing rights and privileges are granted subject to the following conditions, to-wit: This Ordinance shall become null and void unless within thirty (30) days after the passage and approval of this Ordinance, the Duff Manufacturing Company shall file with the City Controller, its certificate of acceptance of this Ordinance, said certificate of acceptance to be executed by the President and Secretary of the Company with its corporate seal attached.

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 635.

No. 406

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and establishing the grade of Enfield street, from Centre avenue to Baum boulevard.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the width and position of the sidewalks and roadway and the grade of the east curb line of Enfield street, from Centre avenue to Baum boulevard, be and the same is hereby fixed and established as follows, to-wit:

The sidewalks shall have a uniform width of 6.0 feet and shall lie along

and be parallel to their respective building lines.

The roadway shall have a uniform width of 28.0 feet and shall occupy the central portion of the street, between the lines of the sidewalks as above described.

The grade of the east curb line shall begin on the north curb line of Centre avenue at an elevation of 204.71 feet (curb as set); thence rising at the rate of 0.75 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 304.73 feet to a point of curve, to an elevation of 206.99 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for the distance of 50.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 207.87 feet; thence rising at the rate of 2.75 feet per 100 feet for the distance of 97.44 feet to the south curb line of Baum boulevard to an elevation of 210.55 feet (curb as set).

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 637.

No. 407

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade on Peerless avenue, from Warburton street to the westerly line of South Park Land Company Plan of Lots.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grade of the easterly curb line of Peerless avenue, from Warburton street to the westerly line of the South Park Land Company Plan of Lots be and the same is hereby established as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northerly curb line of Warburton street at an elevation of 195.51 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 40.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 194.97 feet; thence falling at a rate of 4.33 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 159.60 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 188.06 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 80.0 feet to a point of tangent, to an elevation of 187.53 feet; thence rising at a rate of 3.0 feet per 100 feet for a distance of 175.88 feet to the westerly line of said plan, to an elevation of 192.81 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 637.

No. 408

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing an increase of the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$99,000.00), and providing for the issue and sale of bonds of said City in said amount to provide funds for the following purposes, viz:

For the additions, extensions and improvements to the Mayview City Home and Hospital.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh be increased by the amount of ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$99,000.00) to provide for the additions, extensions and improvements to the Mayview City Home and Hospital.

Section 2. That bonds of the City of Pittsburgh in the aggregate principal amount of ninety-nine thousand dollars (\$99,000.00) be issued for the purpose aforesaid, with interest coupons attached, payable semi-annually, with the privilege of exchanging such coupon bond or bonds for a registered bond or bonds of the same maturity, and of the denomination of \$100.00, or a multiple thereof, not exceeding the aggregate principal amount of the coupon bond or bonds surrendered in exchange therefor, by surrendering such coupon bond or bonds, with all coupons not then due, at the office of the City Controller; and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to cause such coupon and registered bonds to be engraved, and to issue the same in the name of the City of Pittsburgh, the expense thereof to be charged to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be issued in denominations of one hundred dollars, or multiples thereof, shall be dated as of the 1st day of January, 1920, and shall be payable in thirty equal installments, as follows:

Bonds to the aggregate amount of \$3,300.00 shall be payable on the first day of January in each and every year, beginning with the year 1921 and ending with the year 1950.

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½%) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the City Treasurer of said City on the first days of July and January of each year, without deduction for any taxes which may be levied thereon by the State of Pennsylvania pursuant to any present or future law, the payment of which is hereby assumed by the City of Pittsburgh, and the principal thereof shall be payable at maturity at the same place. The said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Controller, and sealed with the corporate seal of said City, and the coupons shall be authenticated with a facsimile signature of the City Controller.

Said bonds shall be sold by the Mayor and the City Controller at not less than par and accrued interest, on the most advantageous terms obtainable, after three weeks' public notice by publication once a week for three weeks in the official newspapers of the City of Pittsburgh. And the proceeds of such sales or so much thereof as shall be necessary shall be applied to the purposes set forth in this Ordinance and to no other purpose whatsoever. Each of said bonds shall be known and designated as Mayview City Home and Hospital Improvement Bond.

Section 4. Until said bonds issued as herein provided shall be fully paid, there is hereby levied and assessed annually upon all subjects now by law liable or hereafter to be made liable to assessment for taxation for city purposes, an annual tax, commencing the year after said bonds have been issued, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as the same shall accrue and become payable; and also an annual tax equal to three and one-third (3⅓%) per centum of the total amount of said bonds hereby authorized to be applied to and set apart as a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and redemption of said bonds as they become due and payable according to their terms, and the same are hereby appropriated out of the revenues of said City for the payment and redemption aforesaid.

Section 5. All registered bonds issued in exchange for coupon bonds, as provided in Section 2 of this Ordinance, shall be registered with the City Treasurer of said City and be transferable only on the books of said City Treasurer.

Section 6. All bonds issued by the authority of this Ordinance and the Acts of Assembly authorizing the same, shall be and become part of the funded debt of the City of Pittsburgh, and shall be entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities thereof; and shall be free from taxation, as aforesaid, and for the payment of the principal of said

bonds and the interest thereon semi-annually, as aforesaid, as the same shall mature and become payable, the faith, honor, credit and property of said City are hereby pledged

Section 7. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 638.

No. 409

AN ORDINANCE—Accepting the dedication of certain property in the Fourteenth ward for public use for highway purposes for the widening of Forbes street.

Whereas, The Carnegie Institute of Technology, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, the owner of the property hereinafter described, has executed and delivered to the City of Pittsburgh its certain deed of dedication bearing date November 12, 1919, now on file in the office of the Bureau of Engineering of said City, wherein it has conveyed said ground to the said City for public use for the widening of Forbes street, and has released the said City from any liability for damages for or by reason of the physical grading of the said piece of ground to the grade established on the highway on which the same abuts or fronts; therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the said deed of dedication be and the same is hereby accepted and the Bureau of Engineering hereby authorized and directed to place the same of record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, etc., for the County of Allegheny.

Section 2. The ground so, as aforesaid, conveyed to said City for public highway purposes, shall be and the same is hereby appropriated for the widening of Forbes street, upon which the same abuts in accordance with the terms of said deed of dedication, the same being bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Forbes street at the distance of 130.84 feet westwardly from the angle in said southerly line of the street opposite Morewood avenue; thence along said southerly line in an easterly direction for the distance of 130.84 feet to a point; thence deflecting to the right 14° 54' 30" and continuing along said southerly line for the distance of 130.84 feet

to a point; thence in a westerly direction by the arc of a circle having a radius of 1,000 feet and a central angle of 14° 54' 30" for the distance of 260.20 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 3. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and appropriate the said described property for the widening of Forbes street in conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 640.

No. 410

AN ORDINANCE—Approving plans of City Garden, in the Tenth ward, laid out by the Pittsburgh City Garden Company, a Pennsylvania Corporation, accepting the dedication of Antoinette street, Alcock way, Camella street, Downlook avenue, Drive street, Drive way, Fence way, Garage way, Oglethorpe avenue, Oldani street, Premier street and Woodbine street, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon.

Whereas, The Pittsburgh City Garden Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, the owner of certain property in the Tenth ward, laid out in a plan of lots called "Plan of City Garden," have located certain avenues, streets and ways thereon and executed a deed of dedication, on said plan, of all the ground covered by said avenues, streets and ways to the said City of Pittsburgh for public use for highway purposes, and has released the said City from any liability for damages occasioned by the physical grading of said public highways to the grades hereinafter established; therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the "Plan of City Garden" situate in the Tenth ward, laid out by the Pittsburgh City Garden Company, July, 1919, be and the same is hereby approved and Antoinette street, Alcock way, Camella street, Downlook avenue, Drive street, Drive way, Fence way, Garage way, Oglethorpe avenue, Oldani street, Premier street and Woodbine street as lo-

cated and dedicated on said plan are hereby accepted.

Section 2. The avenues, streets and ways as aforesaid dedicated to said City for public highway purposes shall be and the same are hereby appropriated and opened as public highways and named Antoinette street, Alcock way, Camelia street, Downlook avenue, Drive street, Drive way, Fence way, Garage way, Oglethorpe avenue, Oldani street, Premier street and Woodbine street.

Section 3. The grades of Antoinette street, Alcock way, Camelia street, Downlook avenue, Drive street, Drive way, Fence way, Garage way, Oglethorpe avenue, Oldani street, Premier street and Woodbine street laid out and dedicated in "Plan of City Garden" are hereby established as described in Ordinance No. 399, approved December 2nd, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30, Page 616.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and appropriate said Antoinette street, Alcock way, Camelia street, Downlook avenue, Drive street, Drive way, Fence way, Garage way, Oglethorpe avenue, Oldani street, Premier street and Woodbine street for public highways in conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 641.

No. 411

AN ORDINANCE—Approving Mrs.

Magdalena C. Howley's Plan of Lots in the Fourteenth ward, laid out by Magdalen C. Howley, Mary A. Aufhammer and John C. Aufhammer, accepting the dedication of Bills way, Elder way, Ludwick street, Shady avenue and Victory way, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grades thereon.

Whereas, Magdalena C. Howley, Mary A. Aufhammer and John C. Aufhammer, the owners of certain property in the Fourteenth ward, laid out in a plan of lots called "Mrs. Magdalena C. Howley's Plan of Lots," have located certain streets and ways thereon and executed a deed of dedication on said plan of all the property covered by said streets and ways to the said City for public use for highway purposes, and have released said City from any liabil-

ities for damages for or by reason of the physical grading of said public highways to the grades hereinafter established; therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That Mrs. Magdalena C. Howley's Plan of Lots, situate in the Fourteenth ward, laid out by Magdalena C. Howley, Mary A. Aufhammer and John C. Aufhammer, July, 1919, be and the same is hereby approved, and Bills way, Elder way, Ludwick street, Shady avenue and Victory way, as located and dedicated in said plan, are hereby accepted*

Section 2. The streets and ways, as aforesaid, dedicated to said City for public use for highway purposes, shall be and the same are hereby appropriated and opened as public highways and named Bills way, Elder way, Ludwick street, Shady avenue and Victory way.

Section 3. The grades of Bills way, Elder way, Ludwick street, Shady avenue and Victory way, laid out and dedicated in said Mrs. Magdalena C. Howley's Plan of Lots, are hereby established as described in Ordinance No. 370, approved November 15th, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30, Page 586.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 642.

No. 412

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the acceptance of the grading, paving and curbing and sewerage of portions of certain streets dedicated in the Murdoch Farms Plan, to-wit: Maynard street, Plainfield street, Squirrel Hill avenue, Bennington avenue, Inverness avenue and Murdoch street.

Whereas, William B. Murdoch, Frank C. Murdoch and James B. Murdoch, owners of property in the Murdoch Farms Plan, in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, have, at their own cost and expense, graded, paved and curbed and sewerage portions of certain streets dedicated therein; and,

Whereas, It is desired that the City of Pittsburgh accept said improvements as part of the City's system of improved highways; therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the grading, paving and curbing and sewerage of certain portions of the following streets in the Murdoch Farms Plan in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, as made by William B. Murdoch, Frank C. Murdoch and James B. Murdoch, owners of property abutting thereon, at their own cost and expense, be and the same is hereby accepted and declared to be a public improvement of the City of Pittsburgh, and the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to treat it as other improved highways of the said City, the said Murdoch Farms Plan being dedicated by Ordinance approved November 5, 1915, Ordinance Book Vol. 27, Page 214:

DESCRIPTION OF GRADING, PAVING AND CURBING AND SEWERING.

Maynard street—Grading, paving and curbing thereof, from Squirrel Hill avenue to Murdoch street.

Fifteen inch terra cotta pipe sewer as constructed on the northerly sidewalk thereof, from Bennington avenue to Murdoch street.

Plainfield street—Grading, paving and curbing thereof, from Squirrel Hill avenue to Inverness avenue.

Construction of 15" terra cotta pipe sewer on both sidewalks thereof, from the westerly line of Murdoch Farms Plan to Bennington avenue.

Squirrel Hill avenue—Grading, paving and curbing thereof, from the westerly line of Murdoch Farms Plan to Maynard street.

Construction of 12" terra cotta pipe sewer on both sidewalks thereof, between Plainfield street and Maynard street.

Bennington avenue—Grading, paving and curbing thereof, from Northumberland street to Maynard street.

Construction of 15" terra cotta pipe sewer on both sidewalks thereof between Northumberland street and Plainfield street, and 12" terra cotta pipe sewer on both sidewalks thereof, between Plainfield street and Maynard street.

Inverness avenue—Grading, paving and curbing thereof and the construction of 12" terra cotta pipe sewer on both sidewalks thereof between Northumberland street and Maynard street.

Murdoch street—Construction of 15" and 20" terra cotta pipe sewer on the westerly sidewalk thereof, between Maynard street and Wilkins avenue.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the

provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 643.

No. 413

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Adams street, from a point about 20 feet east of Manhattan street to the existing sewer crossing Adams street east of Fulton street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Adams street, from a point about 20 feet east of Manhattan street to the existing sewer crossing Adams street east of Fulton street. Commencing on Adams street at a point about 20 feet east of Manhattan street; thence eastwardly along Adams street to the existing sewer crossing Adams street east of Fulton street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen inches (15") in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.
Approved December 18, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 644.

No. 414

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk and roadway of Beechwood boulevard, from the existing sewer on the west sidewalk of Beechwood boulevard at Forbes street to the existing sewer on Beechwood boulevard at Aylesboro avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on the west sidewalk and roadway of Beechwood boulevard, from the existing sewer on the west sidewalk of Beechwood boulevard at Forbes street to the existing sewer on Beechwood boulevard at Aylesboro avenue. Beginning on the west sidewalk of Beechwood boulevard at the crown north of Forbes street; thence southwardly along the west sidewalk of Beechwood boulevard to the existing sewer on the west sidewalk of Beechwood boulevard at Forbes street. Also beginning on the west sidewalk of Beechwood boulevard at the crown north of Forbes street; thence northwardly along the west sidewalk of Beechwood boulevard to a point south of Aylesboro avenue; thence northeastwardly across Beechwood boulevard to the existing sewer on Beechwood boulevard at Aylesboro avenue, said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen inches (15") in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinance and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of forty-four hundred dollars (\$4,400.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accord-

ance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.
Approved December 18, 1919.
Ordinance Book 30, Page 645.

No. 415

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on El Paso street from the property line southwest of Martha street to the existing sewer on El Paso street at Martha street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on El Paso street from the property line southwest of Martha street to the existing sewer on El Paso street at Martha street. Commencing on El Paso street at the property line southwest of Martha street; thence northeastwardly along El Paso street to the existing sewer on El Paso street at Martha street, said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices, not to exceed the total sum of sixteen hundred dollars (\$1,600.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the pro-

visions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 646.

No. 416

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Greenfield avenue, from a point about 20 feet north of Winterburn avenue to the existing sewer on Greenfield avenue at Hoosac street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Greenfield avenue from a point about 20 feet north of Winterburn avenue to the existing sewer on Greenfield avenue at Hoosac street. Commencing on Greenfield avenue at a point about 20 feet north of Winterburn avenue; thence westwardly along Greenfield avenue to the existing sewer on Greenfield avenue at Hoosac street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter, with nine (9") inch lateral sewers extending from the main sewer to a point one foot (1') inside the south curb line.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2,100.00) which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the

same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 647.

No. 417

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Kennedy avenue, Barris avenue and private property of Highwood Cemetery Association, from a point about 60 feet west of Marshall avenue to the existing sewer on the private property of the Highwood Cemetery Association with a branch sewer on Barris avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Kennedy avenue, Barris avenue and private property of Highwood Cemetery Association, from a point about 60 feet west of Marshall avenue to the existing sewer on the private property of the Highwood Cemetery Association, with a branch sewer on Barris avenue. Commencing on Kennedy avenue at a point about 60 feet west of Marshall avenue; thence westwardly along Kennedy avenue to Barris avenue; thence southwardly along Barris avenue to a point about 220 feet north of Hawkins avenue; thence westwardly on, over, across and through the private property of the Highwood Cemetery Association to the existing sewer on the private property of the Highwood Cemetery Association. With a branch sewer on Barris avenue. Commencing on Barris avenue at a point about 30 feet north of Hawkins avenue; thence northwardly along Barris avenue to the sewer on Barris avenue, said sewer and branch sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter with nine (9") inch lateral sewer on Kennedy avenue, extending from the main sewer to a point one (1') foot inside the curb lines. Said sewer to be constructed in accordance with plan marked Acc. No. D 3040 on file in the Bureau of Engineering.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts

therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of seven thousand (\$7,000.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 30, Page 648.

No. 418

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Marathon avenue, East lane, Shreve street and Entrance avenue, from Lappe lane to the existing sewer on the north sidewalk of South Side avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Marathon avenue, East lane, Shreve street and Entrance avenue, from Lappe lane to the existing sewer on the north sidewalk of South Side avenue. Commencing on Marathon avenue at Lappe lane; thence eastwardly along Marathon avenue to East lane; thence southwardly along East lane to Shreve street; thence westwardly along Shreve street to Entrance avenue; thence southwardly along Entrance avenue to the existing sewer on the north sidewalk of South Side avenue. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts

therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of ninety-six hundred (\$9,600.00) dollars which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 1.

No. 419

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on the west sidewalk of Squirrel Hill avenue, from a point about 20 feet south of Maynard street to the existing sewer on the north sidewalk of Plainfield street, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on the west sidewalk of Squirrel Hill avenue, from a point about 20 feet south of Maynard street to the existing sewer on the north sidewalk of Plainfield street. Commencing on the west sidewalk of Squirrel Hill avenue at a point about 20 feet south of Maynard street; thence southwardly along the west sidewalk of Squirrel Hill avenue to the existing sewer on the north sidewalk of Plainfield street. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and twelve (12") inches in diameter.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Or-

dinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of twenty-seven hundred dollars (\$2,700.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 1.

No. 420

AN ORDINANCE—To effect and establish daylight saving in the City of Pittsburgh during the months of May, June, July, August and September of each and every year, and requiring all clocks and timepieces within the limits of the City to be advanced one (1) hour at 2 o'clock ante meridian from the last Sunday in April of each year, and to be so kept advanced until 2 o'clock ante meridian of the last Sunday in September, when they are to be retarded, or turned back, one (1) hour, and fixing standard time for the City of Pittsburgh.

Whereas, Pittsburgh is pre-eminently an industrial center, and all classes of its people have been vastly benefited in many and various ways by the daylight saving law recently repealed by Congress; and,

Whereas, There is abundant and convincing proof afforded by many and urgent petitions to the Council from every class and condition of our population that it is the earnest desire and demand of this great and progressive community to continue the enjoyment of the manifest benefits and advantages of daylight saving, and believing that such action will greatly conduce to and promote the health, happiness, prosperity and general welfare of all our people; now, therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the standard time throughout the City of Pittsburgh is that of the 75th degree of longitude west from Greenwich, except that at 2 o'clock ante meridian from the last Sunday in April of each

year such standard time, throughout the City of Pittsburgh, shall be advanced one (1) hour, and at 2 o'clock ante meridian of the last Sunday in September of each year such standard time shall, by the retarding of one (1) hour, be returned to the mean astronomical time of the 75th degree of longitude west from Greenwich. The time thus established shall be the standard legal time throughout the City of Pittsburgh.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 2.

No. 421

AN ORDINANCE—Approving the "Cooper Square Plan of Lots" in the Twenty-seventh ward, laid out by Webster Hinnau; accepting the dedication of Pemberton street, as shown thereon, for public use for highway purposes, opening and naming the same and establishing the grade thereon.

Whereas, Webster Hinnau, the owner of certain property in the Twenty-seventh ward, laid out in the "Cooper Square Plan of Lots," has located a certain street thereon and executed a deed of dedication, on said plan, of all the ground covered by said street, to the City of Pittsburgh, for public use for highway purposes and has released the said City from any liability for damages for or by reason of the physical grading of said street to the grade hereinafter established; therefore,

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the "Cooper Square Plan of Lots," situate in the Twenty-seventh ward, laid out by Webster Hinnau, October, 1919, be and the same is hereby approved and Pemberton street, as located and dedicated on said plan, is hereby accepted.

Section 2. The street, as aforesaid dedicated to said City for public use for highway purposes, shall be and the same is hereby appropriated and opened as a public highway and named Pemberton street.

Section 3. The grade of Pemberton street laid out and dedicated in the "Cooper Square Plan of Lots," is hereby established as described in Ordinance No. 387, approved November 22, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30, Page 607.

Section 4. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to enter upon, take possession of and appropriate the said Pemberton street for a public highway in conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 5. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 3.

No. 422

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract for the furnishing of one (1) automobile for the Department of Supplies.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the furnishing of one (1) automobile for the Department of Supplies, at a cost not to exceed the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars, in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7th, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the Ordinance of Council in such cases made and provided; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account F-1332, Department of Supplies.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 4.

No. 423

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of contracts for materials and general supplies required by the several departments of the City government for the year beginning January 1st, 1920.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That

the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be and they are hereby authorized and empowered and directed to advertise from time to time, during the fiscal year, beginning January 1st, 1920, for proposals for furnishing materials and general supplies required by the several departments of the City government, and to award a contract or contracts for the same to the lowest responsible bidder for each item, in the manner and form prescribed by law.

Section 2. That the cost of such materials or supplies shall be chargeable to and payable from the appropriation made to the Department of Supplies, or to the various departments for the purchase of such materials and supplies as may be required and authorized during the fiscal year beginning January 1st, 1920, by the respective appropriation ordinances.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 5.

No. 424

AN ORDINANCE—Amending Section 1 of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at No. 7 Police Station, on South Thirteenth street," approved November 22nd, A. D. 1919, and recorded in O. B. Vol. 30, Page 609.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That Section 1 of an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for alterations and repairs at No. 7 Police Station, on South Thirteenth street," approved November 22nd, A. D. 1919, and recorded in O. B. Vol. 30, Page 609, which reads as follows, to-wit:

"Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for alterations and repairs to No. 7 Police Station, on South Thirteenth street, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for

the government of cities of the second class," approved the 7th day of March, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of eighteen hundred (\$1,800.00) dollars, and to be charged to Code Account No. 1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police",

shall be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows, to-wit:

"Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and let a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, for alterations and repairs to No. 7 Police Station, on South Thirteenth street, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved the 7th day of March, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto, and the Ordinances of City Council in such cases made and provided; the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars, and to be charged to Code Account No. 1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police."

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 6.

No. 425

AN ORDINANCE—Vacating Manhattan street, in the Twenty-first ward, from Nixon street to the southerly line of the right of way of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railway.

Whereas, It appears by the petition and affidavit, on file in the office of the City Clerk, that the owners of all the property fronting or abutting upon the lines of Manhattan street, in the Twenty-first ward, from Nixon street to the southerly line of the right of way of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railway, as opened by Court of Quarter Sessions at No. 3 December Session, 1865, have petitioned the Council of the City of Pittsburgh to enact an Ordinance for the vacation of the same; therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That*

Manhattan street, in the Twenty-first ward, from Nixon street to the southerly line of the right of way of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railway, shall be and the same is hereby vacated, within the following described boundary line, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the northerly line of Nixon street with the easterly line of Manhattan street, as opened in aforesaid proceedings; thence along said northerly line of Nixon street south 78° 00' west for the distance of 40.0 feet to the westerly line of Manhattan street; thence along said westerly line of Manhattan street north 12° 17' west for the distance of 122.0 feet more or less to the southerly line of the right of way of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railway; thence along said southerly right of way line, in a southeasterly direction, by the arc of a curve with a radius of 2968.86 feet for the distance of 51.0 feet more or less to the easterly line of Manhattan street; thence along the easterly line of Manhattan street south 12° 17' east for the distance of 89.0 feet more or less to the place of beginning, containing about 4220.0 square feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 7.

No. 426

AN ORDINANCE—Vacating Ionic way, in the Eleventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh, as shown on John Flite's Second Amended Plan of "Luella Place," between Mellon street and the westerly line of said plan.

Whereas, It appears by the petition and affidavit on file in the office of the City Clerk that the owners of all the property fronting or abutting upon Ionic way, between Mellon street and the westerly line of John Flite's Second Amended Plan of "Luella Place," have petitioned the Council of the City of Pittsburgh to enact an Ordinance for the vacation of the same; therefore

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Ionic way, in the Eleventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh, as shown on John Flite's Second Amended Plan of "Luella Place," between Mellon street and the westerly line of said plan and as hereinafter more fully described shall be and the same is hereby vacated.

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Mellon street with the southerly line of Ionic way, as said street and way were laid out and dedicated in John Fite's Plan of Lots, accepted by an Ordinance approved December 15th, 1892; thence north 61° 37' 30" west for the distance of 155.31 feet to the westerly line of said plan; thence along said westerly line of said plan north 25° 50' 10" east for the distance of 20.02 feet to the northerly line of Ionic way, as laid out in said plan; thence along said northerly line south 61° 37' 30" east for the distance of 155.60 feet to the westerly line of Mellon street; thence along said westerly line of Mellon street south 26° 39' 30" west for the distance of 20.01 feet to the place of beginning, containing 3109.1 square feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 8.

No. 427

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the opening grades on Caton street, Ebdy street, Maria way, Shady avenue and Victory way as laid out and proposed to be dedicated as legally opened highways by Maria L. Ebdy Plan of Lots called "Ebdy Orchard Plan."

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* upon the approval of a plan of lots proposed to be laid out by Maria L. Ebdy of her property in the Fourteenth ward, the grades to which Caton street, Ebdy street, Maria way, Shady avenue and Victory way, as shown thereon, shall be accepted as opened public highways of said City, shall be as herein-after set forth.

CATON STREET.

The grade of the north curb line shall begin on the easterly curb line of Shady avenue at an elevation of 358.60 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5% for a distance of 10.0 feet to an elevation of 359.10 feet; thence rising at a rate of 8.4% for a distance of 355.06 feet to the easterly line of Ebdy Orchard Plan of Lots to an elevation of 388.92 feet.

EBDY STREET.

The grade of the northerly curb line of Ebdy street shall begin on the easterly curb line of Shady avenue at an

elevation of 338.62 feet; thence rising at a rate of 5% for a distance of 10.0 feet to an elevation of 339.12 feet; thence rising at a rate of 10% for a distance of 115.0 feet to an elevation of 350.62 feet; thence by a convex parabolic curve for a distance of 100.0 feet to a point of tangent to an elevation of 357.92 feet; thence rising at a rate of 4.6% for a distance of 130.67 feet to the easterly line of Ebdy Orchard Plan of Lots to an elevation of 363.93 feet.

MARIA WAY.

The grade of the northerly line shall begin on the easterly curb line of Shady avenue at an elevation of 348.90 feet; thence rising at a rate of 8% for a distance of 360.37 feet to the easterly line of Ebdy Orchard Plan of Lots to an elevation of 377.73 feet.

SHADY AVENUE.

The grade of the easterly curb line shall begin on the southerly curb of Monitor street at an elevation of 321.10 feet; thence by a concave parabolic curve for a distance of 60.0 feet to an elevation of 324.20 feet; thence rising at a rate of 8% for a distance of 426.19 feet to an elevation of 358.30 feet; thence rising at a rate of 3% for a distance of 10.0 feet to the northerly curb line of Caton street to an elevation of 358.60 feet.

VICTORY WAY.

The grade of the northerly line of Victory way shall begin on the easterly curb line of Shady avenue at an elevation of 328.30 feet; thence rising at a rate of 4.6% for a distance of 350.85 feet to the easterly line of Ebdy Orchard Plan of Lots to an elevation of 344.44 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 8.

No. 428

AN ORDINANCE—Widening Second avenue, in the First ward, from Liberty avenue to Short street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That* Second avenue, in the First ward, from

Liberty avenue to Short street, shall be widened to a variable width by taking for public use for highway purposes all the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the southerly line of Liberty avenue with the westerly line of Short street; thence extending in a southerly direction along the said westerly line of Short street for the distance of 61.11 feet to the northerly line of Second avenue, as widened by Ordinance No. 301, approved October 2nd, 1919; thence deflecting to the right 88° 46' 40" and extending in a westerly direction along the said northerly line of Second avenue for the distance of 59.52 feet to the said southerly line of Liberty avenue; thence deflecting to the right 134° 52' 20" and extending in an easterly direction along the said southerly line of Liberty avenue for the distance of 86.21 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said Second avenue, in the First ward, from Liberty avenue to Short street, to be widened, in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby, and the benefits to pay the same, shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 10.

No. 429

AN ORDINANCE—Opening West Penn place, in the Eighth ward, from Harriet street to South Evaline street, and providing that the cost, damages and expenses occasioned thereby be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That West Penn place, in the Eighth ward, from Harriet street to South Evaline street, be opened to a variable width by taking for public use for highway purposes all the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning on the northerly line of Harriet street at the distance of 180.0 feet eastwardly from the intersection of the northerly line of Harriet street with the easterly line of South Winebiddle street; thence extending north 9° 32' east parallel with and 180.0 feet eastwardly from South Winebiddle street for the distance of 586.88 feet to a point; thence extending south 80° 26' east for the distance of 220.70 feet to the westerly line of South Evaline street; thence extending along the said westerly line of South Evaline street south 9° 32' west for the distance of 20.0 feet to a point; thence extending north 80° 26' west for the distance of 180.70 feet to a point; thence extending south 9° 32' west parallel with and 220.0 feet eastwardly from the said easterly line of South Winebiddle street for the distance of 566.86 feet to the said northerly line of Harriet street; thence along said northerly line of Harriet street north 80° 28' west for the distance of 40.0 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 2. The Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to cause said West Penn place, in the Eighth ward, from Harriet street to South Evaline street, to be opened, in conformity with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expenses caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 11.

No. 429½

AGREEMENT—Made this 31st day of October, A. D. 1919, between Chas. J. Holleman, of the Borough of Brentwood, County of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania, party of the first part, and the City of Pittsburgh, a municipal corporation, created and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, party of the second part.

Whereas, Chas. J. Holleman is the owner of all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Eighth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, County of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania,

bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of South Evaline street with the northerly line of Harriet street; thence along said northerly line of Harriet street north $80^{\circ} 28'$ west for the distance of 200.70 feet to a point on the easterly line of property of A. G. McConnell; thence along said property line north $9^{\circ} 32'$ east for the distance of 236.87 feet to the northerly line of said property of A. G. McConnell; thence along said line north $80^{\circ} 26'$ west for the distance of 200.0 feet to the easterly side of South Winebiddle street; thence along said easterly line of South Winebiddle street north $9^{\circ} 32'$ east for the distance of 350.0 feet to a point; thence south $80^{\circ} 26'$ east for the distance of 400.7 feet to the westerly line of South Evaline street; thence along said westerly line of South Evaline street south $9^{\circ} 32'$ west for the distance of 586.75 feet to the place of beginning; and

Whereas, The party of the first part desires to sub-divide said lot or piece of ground into smaller sub-divisions for building purposes; and

Whereas, The said party of the first part deems it advantageous and necessary for the proper sub-divisions and development of his property to open a new street or place, midway between South Evaline street and South Winebiddle street, and extending from Harriet street to the northerly line of his property, with a connection with South Evaline street, and to be known as "West Penn Place," along the lines more specifically set forth in the Ordinance providing for said opening hereto attached and made part hereof; and

Whereas, The said party of the first part for the advantages accruing to him is willing to waive any damages, cost or expenses, as well as to assume all cost and expenses to said City for the ground taken and damage by grade for the opening of said West Penn place above referred to, to the grade to be fixed by the said party of the second part, and for the grading, paving and curbing of the same, and any additional cost and expenses incurred therein, viz: The cost of advertising, hand-bills and any other expenses incurred in Viewers proceedings, in consideration of said City passing the necessary Ordinance and taking such other steps as may be necessary for the legal opening of said West Penn place, between Harriet street and South Evaline street; now

THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH: That in consideration of the premises and for the advantages and benefits accruing to said party of the first part by reason of the opening of said West Penn place as above described, the said party of the first part does hereby stipulate, covenant and agree to and with

the said City of Pittsburgh, party of the second part, as follows:

First. Said party hereby agrees to waive, quit claim and release and discharge said City of Pittsburgh from any and all claims for damages, cost and expenses to the property of the said Chas. J. Holleman for or by reason of the opening of said West Penn place.

Second. Said first party hereby agrees to indemnify and save said City harmless from the payment of any cost whatsoever that may be assessed against said City by the opening of said West Penn place.

Third. Upon the opening of said West Penn place, from Harriet street to South Evaline street, and as more specifically set forth in the said Ordinance herein referred to, and upon the assessment of damages and benefits by the Board of Viewers in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto or such other due process of law as may be necessary for the proper fixing and adjudication of such damages and benefits, the party of the first part hereby agrees to assume and pay to the City Treasurer within a period of thirty days after the final adjudication of the damages and benefits, any costs or damages that may be assessed against the City by reason of the opening and damage by grade of said West Penn place, as above described.

Said first party hereby assumes for himself, his heirs and assigns, any costs or damages, including the cost of advertising the Ordinance, that may be assessed against the City of Pittsburgh, and authorizes the Treasurer of said City to collect from him his proper share of any such cost determined by the amount of his frontage on said West Penn place.

Fourth. Upon the opening of West Penn place, as set forth, the party of the first part hereby agrees to assume and pay all the costs, damages and expenses for the grading, paving and curbing of the said West Penn place. Said work to be performed under the direction and supervision of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh.

In witness whereof the said party of the first part has hereunto set his hand and seal, the day and year above written.

CHARLES J. HOLLEMAN.

Witness:

H. M. IRONS.

October 31st, 1919.

This agreement approved as to form.

CHARLES A. O'BRIEN,
City Solicitor.

In witness whereof, the said party of the first part has set his hand and seal, this 17th day of November, A. D. 1919,

agreeing to the amendments as made by the Committee on Public Works on the 12th day of November, 1919.

CHARLES J. HOLLEMAN.

Attest:

E. W. LINDSAY.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 11.

No. 430

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for the construction of a storm sewer on Pioneer avenue and Ray avenue, from Capital avenue to the existing storm sewer on West Liberty avenue, with a branch sewer on Pioneer avenue, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the construction of a storm sewer on Pioneer avenue and Ray avenue, from Capital avenue to the existing storm sewer on West Liberty avenue, with a branch sewer on Pioneer avenue, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and Ordinances governing the said City.

LOCATION OF STORM SEWER TO BE CONSTRUCTED

Commencing on Pioneer avenue at Capital avenue; thence southwestwardly along Pioneer avenue to a point about 500 feet southwest of Capital avenue. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter. Thence continuing southwestwardly along Pioneer avenue to Ray avenue; thence northwestwardly along Ray avenue to the existing sewer on West Liberty avenue. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and eighteen (18") inches in diameter, with a branch sewer on Pioneer avenue. Commencing on Pioneer avenue at a point about 250 feet southwest of Ray avenue; thence northeastwardly along Pioneer avenue to the sewer on Pioneer avenue. Said branch sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter.

Section 2. That for the payment of the cost thereof, the sum of twelve thou-

sand five hundred (\$12,500.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and is hereby set apart and appropriated from Code Account 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn in payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 14.

No. 431

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Sewickley road and Pennock road, from a point about 470 feet northwest of Pennock road to the existing sewer on Pennock road northeast of Brandon road, with a branch sewer on Sewickley road, and providing that the costs, damages and expensess of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Sewickley road and Pennock road, from a point 470 feet northwest of Pennock road to the existing sewer on Pennock road northeast of Brandon road, with a branch sewer on Sewickley road. Commencing on Sewickley road at a point about 470 feet northwest of Pennock road; thence southeastwardly along Sewickley road to Cliffview road. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen inches (15") in diameter. Thence continuing southeastwardly along Sewickley road to Pennock road. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and eighteen inches (18") in diameter. Thence continuing southwestwardly along Pennock road to the existing sewer on Pennock road at a point northeast of Brandon road. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and twenty-four inches (24") in diameter.

With a branch sewer on Sewickley road. Commencing on Sewickley road at a point about 20 feet north of Brandon road; thence northwardly along Sewickley road to the sewer on Pennock road. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen inches (15") in diameter.

Said sewer and branch sewer to have nine inch (9") lateral sewers extending

from the main sewer to a point one (1') foot inside the curb lines.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to advertise in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of ten thousand six hundred dollars (\$10,600.00), which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 15.

No. 432

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the construction of a public sewer on Enfield street from a point about 20 feet south of Baum boulevard to the present sewer on Center avenue, and providing that the costs, damages and expenses of the same be assessed against and collected from property specially benefited thereby.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That a public sewer be constructed on Enfield street, from a point about 20 feet south of Baum boulevard to the present sewer on Center avenue. Commencing on Enfield street at a point about 20 feet south of Baum boulevard; thence southwardly along Enfield street to the present sewer on Center avenue. Said sewer to be terra cotta pipe and fifteen (15") inches in diameter, with nine (9") inch lateral sewers extending from the main sewer to a point one (1') foot inside the curb line.

Section 2. The Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are

hereby authorized and directed to advertise, in accordance with the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Ordinances of the said City of Pittsburgh relating thereto and regulating the same, for proposals for the construction of a public sewer as provided in Section 1 of this Ordinance; the contract or contracts therefor to be let in the manner directed by the said Acts of Assembly and Ordinances; and the contract price or contract prices not to exceed the total sum of twenty-five hundred (\$2,500.00) dollars, which is the estimate of the whole cost as furnished by the Department of Public Works.

Section 3. The cost, damages and expense of the same shall be assessed against and collected from properties specially benefited thereby, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania relating thereto and regulating the same.

Section 4. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 16.

No. 433

AN ORDINANCE—Making appropriations to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City of Pittsburgh and for meeting the debt charges thereof for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1920, and ending December 31, 1920.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the revenues of said City derived from taxes and other sources during the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1920, and ending December 31, 1920, are hereby appropriated in the sum of \$17,913,837.65 to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City of Pittsburgh and meeting the debt charges thereof during said fiscal year beginning January 1, 1920, and ending December 31, 1920, and all unencumbered balance of appropriations remaining open on the books of the City Controller at the close of the fiscal year shall be and the same are hereby ordered to be cancelled, except such amounts as shall be specially requested by letter from the Director or Chairman of the special activity having the matter in charge, certifying that the amounts requested are required for the purpose for

which specifically appropriated, or such amounts as shall be directed to be carried over to the fiscal year 1920 by Ordinance or Resolution of Council.

Section 2. No liability shall be incurred against any appropriation item in excess of the unencumbered balance thereof, and said appropriation items shall be administered subject to and in conformity with the following terms and conditions:

(a) The heads of the several departments shall prepare their several payrolls for audit by the Controller in accordance with the items of the Ordinance establishing the respective positions and rates of compensation, and no payroll shall be approved by the Controller unless the incumbents and the rates of compensation agree with the items of said Ordinance.

(b) There shall be affixed to all payrolls a certificate made by the person preparing such payrolls to the effect that there is a time record on file in said department certified to by a person or persons having knowledge of the facts, showing the character of services and the exact time of employment of each person named in the payroll, and that the distribution of the time as shown on the payroll is in accordance with such time records.

(c) No transfer shall be made from one appropriation item to another except by Resolution of Council, and such Resolution shall in each case set forth the reasons for such request, and be accompanied by a certification from the Controller stating that there is a sufficient balance unencumbered and available in the appropriation item from which the transfer is to be made.

(d) All appropriations herein other than for personal service are made under the following conditions:

(1) In so far as practicable, all contracts and open market orders for purchases to be charged against such appropriations shall be based upon specifications which are definite and certain as to character and quality and which conform with such standard specifications as may be established by Council.

(2) In so far as such standard specifications may be established by Council, the Controller at the time of certification of contracts shall also certify that the specifications therefor are in conformity with those previously adopted as standard.

(3) All open market orders issued for supplies, materials, equipment or machinery, for which standard specifications shall have been prescribed, shall contain a description of what is ordered which conforms with such standard specifications.

Section 3. The Director of the Department of Supplies is hereby authorized and directed to provide upon requisition by the head of any department, all necessary supplies, materials, equipment and machinery for such department; provided, however, that no requisition of any department shall be filled by the Director of the Department of Supplies in excess of the unencumbered balance of the appropriation properly chargeable. Payments on account of direct purchases shall be made from the amounts herein appropriated therefor respectively. Purchases made by the Director of the Department of Supplies to go into stores shall be paid for from the fund provided for such purpose, and when and as directed by the Controller said fund shall be reimbursed from other appropriations to the extent of deliveries made from stores.

Section 4. The head of each department is hereby directed to furnish Council, within fifteen days after the close of each quarter the following statements, which shall be made on forms to be prescribed by the Controller:

(a) Work accomplished or services rendered during the quarter and the cost thereof, on a consumption basis, classified according to the standard budget titles.

(b) Number of units of work or services in all cases where work or services can be measured in units, and the average cost per unit on a consumption basis.

(c) Inventory of supplies, materials and equipment:

(1) On hand at beginning of quarter,
(2) Purchased or received from general stores during quarter,

(3) Consumed or used during quarter,

(4) On hand at end of quarter.

Section 5. For purposes of administration and accounting control, the code symbols indicated herein shall be considered as part of the appropriation titles:

Code Acct.
Number. Class.

Amount
Appropriated. Total.

COUNCIL AND CITY CLERK.

I-A-13a—Council.

1001	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees.....	\$58,500.00
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Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
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I-A-13b—City Clerks.

1002	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	15,720.00	
1003	B	Miscellaneous Services	16,250.00	
1004	C	Supplies	8,050.00	
1005	F	Equipment	5,000.00	
1006	M	Contingent Fund	1,000.00	

I-A-13c—Legislative Investigations.

1007	M	Actuarial, Counsel and Investigation expenses for Firemen's Disability and Police Pension Funds	10,000.00	
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BUILDING CODE COMMITTEE

1008	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$5,292.00	
1009	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,460.00	
1010	C	Supplies	1,400.00	

DIVISION OF INVESTIGATION

1011	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$10,183.00	
1012	B	Miscellaneous Services	40.00	
1013	C	Supplies	75.00	
1014	M	Council's Investigation Fund	10,000.00	

\$ 142,975.00

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

I-B-14a—Mayor.

1015	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$35,662.00	
1016	B	Miscellaneous Services	850.00	
1017	C	Supplies	4,500.00	
1018	E	Repairs	100.00	
1019	F	Equipment and Machinery	800.00	

I-C-19a—Police Magistrates.

1020	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$20,070.00	
1021	B	Miscellaneous Services	600.00	
1022	C	Supplies	300.00	
1023	F	Equipment and Machinery	100.00	

MORALS COURT.

1024	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$8,258.00	
1025	B	Miscellaneous Services	45.00	
1026	C	Supplies	300.00	
1027	F	Equipment and Machinery	50.00	

\$ 71,635.00

MUNICIPAL GARAGE AND REPAIR SHOP

IX-76f—Incidental Operating Accounts.

1028	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$16,740.00	
1029	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	63,350.00	
1030	B	Miscellaneous Services	38,500.00	
1031	C	Supplies	22,500.00	
1032	D	Materials	49,500.00	
1033	E	Repairs	26,500.00	
1034	E	Repairs to Exposition Building	10,000.00	
1035	F	Equipment and Machinery	1,300.00	

B-105e—Firemen's Disability Fund

1036	L	Firemen's Disability Fund	60.00	
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\$ 228,450.00

SUPERVISOR OF CITY STABLES.

IX-76g—Incidental Operating Accounts.

1037	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 6,402.00	
1038	B	Miscellaneous Services	15,315.00	
1039	C	Supplies	99,575.00	

\$ 121,292.00

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
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CITY ARCHITECT.

IX-76b—City Architect.

1040	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 9,970.00	
1041	B	Miscellaneous Services	60.00	
1042	C	Supplies	125.00	
				\$ 10,155.00

TRANSIT COMMISSION.

I-B-17h—Traffic Investigation

1043	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$13,824.00	
1044	B	Miscellaneous Services	200.00	
1045	C	Supplies	500.00	
1046	M	Reserve Fund	14,000.00	
				\$ 28,524.00

Total, Mayor's Office	\$ 460,056.00
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DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER

I-B-15a—Controller.

1047	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$51,508.00	
1048	B	Miscellaneous Services	550.00	
1049	C	Supplies	1,250.00	
1050	D	Materials	250.00	
1051	E	Repairs	150.00	
1052	F	Equipment and Machinery	1,875.00	
		I-B-15f—Other Finance Accounts.		
1053	B	Registrars Fees and Debt Statements.....	7,500.00	
1054	B	Attorneys Fees, Bond Issues, and Expense of Litigation	9,500.00	
				\$ 72,583.00

BUREAU OF ACCOUNTING REVISION.

I-B-15b—Special Accounting.

1055	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$16,386.00	
1056	B	Miscellaneous Services	135.00	
1057	C	Supplies	1,500.00	
1058	E	Repairs	75.00	
1059	F	Equipment and Machinery	100.00	
				\$ 18,196.00

Total, Department of City Controller.....	\$ 90,779.00
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DEPARTMENT OF TREASURER

I-B-15c—Treasurer.

1060	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$48,818.00	
1061	A 2	Salaries, Temporary Employees	16,780.00	
1062	B	Miscellaneous Services	8,600.00	
1063	C	Supplies	7,050.00	
1065	E	Repairs	400.00	
1066	F	Equipment and Machinery	1,500.00	
				\$ 83,148.00

DEPARTMENT OF COLLECTOR OF DELINQUENT TAXES.

I-B-15c—Collection of Revenue.

1067	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$27,072.00	
1068	B	Miscellaneous Services	975.00	
1069	B	Advertising Delinquent Taxes	28,000.00	
1070	C	Supplies	1,200.00	
1071	E	Repairs	100.00	
1072	F	Equipment and Machinery	500.00	
				\$ 57,847.00

Code Acct.
Number. Class.

Amount
Appropriated. Total.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

I-B-16a—City Solicitor.

1073	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$57,196.00
1074	B	Miscellaneous Services	9,050.00
1075	B	Witness Fees	37,000.00
1076	C	Supplies	1,400.00
1078	F	Equipment and Machinery	500.00
1080	M	Preparing and Prosecuting Litigation against Public Service Companies	50,000.00

IX-77a—Settlement For Personal Injuries, Etc.

1081	M	Petty Claims Fund	1,500.00
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\$ 156,646.00

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENTS

V-44a—Rights of Way—Roadways.

IV-36a—Sewers.

1082	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$11,172.00
1083	B	Miscellaneous Services	2,765.00
1084	C	Supplies	400.00
1086	F	Equipment and Machinery	160.00

100F—Miscellaneous Investments.

1087	H	Purchase of Land, Sheriff's Sales	500.00
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\$ 14,997.00

BUREAU OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

V-44a—Rights of Way—Roadways.

IV-36a—Sewers.

1088	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$21,660.00
1089	B	Miscellaneous Services	3,275.00
1090	C	Supplies	800.00
1092	F	Equipment and machinery	240.00

\$ 25,975.00

Total, Department of Law\$ 197,618.00

DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSORS.

I-B-15d—Assessment and Levy of Revenue.

1093	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$78,532.00
1094	A 2	Salaries, Temporary Employees	1,235.00
1095	B	Miscellaneous Services	230.00
1096	C	Supplies	2,150.00
1098	E	Repairs	75.00
1099	F	Equipment and Machinery	225.00

\$ 82,447.00

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

I-B-17b—General Executive.

1100	M	Maintenance Fund	\$24,670.00
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\$ 24,670.00

DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING.

I-B-17f—General Executive.

1108	B	Miscellaneous Services	\$ 25.00
1109	C	Supplies	75.00
1110	M	Reserve Fund	30,000.00

\$ 30,100.00

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
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ART COMMISSION.

I-B-17a—General Executive.

1113	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 2,496.00	
1114	B	Miscellaneous Services	685.00	
1115	C	Supplies	50.00	
1116	E	Repairs	25.00	
1117	F	Equipment and Machinery	150.00	
				\$ 3,406.00

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

IX-76c—Purchase and Distribution of Supplies.

1126	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$31,760.00	
1127	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	6,100.00	
1128	B	Miscellaneous Services	4,060.00	
1129	C	Supplies	2,080.00	
1130	D	Materials	160.00	
1131	E	Repairs	235.00	
1132	F	Equipment and Machinery	4,175.00	
				\$ 48,570.00

BOARD OF WATER ASSESSORS.

X-81—Water Supply Systems.

1141	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$65,182.00	
1142	B	Miscellaneous Services	102,900.00	
1143	C	Supplies	1,500.00	
1144	D	Materials	10.00	
1145	E	Repairs	100.00	
1146	F	Equipment and machinery	1,175.00	
				\$ 170,867.00

CARNEGIE FREE LIBRARY, NORTH SIDE.

VII-67—Libraries.

1147	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$42,880.00	
1148	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	7,320.00	
1149	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,115.00	
1150	C	Supplies	5,890.00	
1151	D	Materials	75.00	
1152	E	Repairs	4,000.00	
1153	F	Equipment and Machinery	13,500.00	
				\$ 74,780.00

WOODS RUN BRANCH.

1154	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 5,010.00	
1156	B	Miscellaneous Services	735.00	
1157	C	Supplies	225.00	
1158	F	Equipment and Machinery	3,300.00	
				9,270.00

Total, Carnegie Free Library, North Side.....	\$	84,050.00
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH—GENERAL OFFICE.

III-30—Administration

1201	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$15,166.00	
1202	B	Miscellaneous Services	75.00	
1203	C	Supplies	290.00	
1204	E	Repairs	35.00	
1205	F	Equipment and Machinery	335.00	
				\$ 15,901.00

Code Acct.
Number. Class.

Amount
Appropriated. Total.

BUREAU OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

III-32c—Other Treatment and Prevention of Communicable Diseases.

1206	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$11,356.00
1207	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,030.00
1208	C	Supplies	250.00
1209	D	Repairs	25.00
1210	F	Equipment	100.00
			\$ 12,761.00

DIVISION OF REGISTRATION.

III-31—Vital Statistics.

1212	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 4,038.00
1213	B	Miscellaneous Services	625.00
1214	C	Supplies	100.00
1215	E	Repairs	15.00
			\$ 4,778.00

DIVISION OF TRANSMISSIBLE DISEASES.

III-32c—Other Treatment and Prevention of Communicable Diseases.

1216	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$39,264.00
1217	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	4,220.00
1218	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,500.00
1219	C	Supplies	18,100.00
1220	D	Materials	15.00
			\$ 63,099.00

DIVISION OF BACTERIOLOGY.

III-30—Administration.

1221	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$19,536.00
1222	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	1,050.00
1223	B	Miscellaneous Services	415.00
1224	C	Supplies	1,000.00
1225	D	Materials	30.00
1226	E	Repairs	110.00
1227	F	Equipment and Machinery	750.00
			\$ 22,891.00

TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL.

III-32a—Tuberculosis Hospital, Etc.

1228	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$40,896.00
1229	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	18,910.00
1230	B	Miscellaneous Services	240.00
1231	C	Supplies	46,600.00
1232	D	Materials	900.00
1233	E	Repairs	140.00
1234	F	Equipment and machinery	3,000.00
			\$ 110,686.00

MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL.

III-32b—Other Hospitals for Communicable Diseases.

1235	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$40,320.00
1236	A 2	Salaries, Temporary Employees	1,380.00
1237	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	25,500.00
1238	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,340.00
1239	C	Supplies	30,000.00
1240	D	Materials	1,000.00
1241	E	Repairs	800.00
1242	F	Equipment and Machinery	2,500.00
			102,840.00
Total, Bureau of Infectious Diseases			\$ 317,955.00

Code Acct.
Number. Class.

Amount
Appropriated. Total.

BUREAU OF CHILD WELFARE

III-33—Conservation of Child Life.

1243	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$114,761.00
1244	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	3,360.00
1245	B	Miscellaneous Services	2,750.00
1246	C	Supplies	23,300.00
1247	E	Repairs	30.00
1248	F	Equipment	500.00

\$ 144,701.00

BUREAU OF SMOKE REGULATION.

IV-41a—Smoke Prevention.

1249	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$14,824.00
1250	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	300.00
1251	B	Miscellaneous Services	370.00
1252	C	Supplies	300.00
1253	E	Repairs	30.00
1254	F	Equipment and Machinery	110.00

\$ 15,934.00

BUREAU OF SANITATION.

IV-41d—Administration.

1255	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 7,916.00
1256	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	12,670.00
1257	B	Miscellaneous Services	245.00
1258	C	Supplies	115.00
1259	E	Repairs	95.00
1260	F	Equipment	5.00

IV-37B—Refuse Collection.

IV-38—Refuse Disposal.

1261	B	Garbage and Rubbish Disposal	\$996,300.00
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\$ 1,017,346.00

DIVISION OF PLUMBING AND HOUSE DRAINAGE.

II-27h—Plumbing Inspection.

1262	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$30,720.00
1263	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	500.00
1264	B	Miscellaneous Services	550.00
1265	C	Supplies	200.00
1267	E	Repairs	20.00
1268	F	Equipment	5.00

\$ 31,995.00

DIVISION OF HOUSING AND SANITARY INSPECTION.

IV-41b—Sanitary Inspection.

1269	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$62,916.00
1270	B	Miscellaneous Services	50.00
1271	C	Supplies	200.00
1274	F	Equipment	75.00

63,241.00

Total, Bureau of Sanitation\$ 1,112,582.00

BUREAU OF FOOD INSPECTION.

III-34c—Food Inspection and Regulation.

1275	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 7,696.00
1276	B	Miscellaneous Services	90.00
1277	C	Supplies	40.00

\$ 7,826.00

Code Acct.
Number. Class.

Amount
Appropriated. Total.

DIVISION OF DAIRY INSPECTION.

III-34a—Dairy Control.

1281	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$20,340.00
1283	B	Miscellaneous Services	10,000.00
1284	C	Supplies	90.00

\$ 30,430.00

DIVISION OF MEAT INSPECTION.

III-34b—Other Food Regulation.

1288	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$16,518.00
1289	B	Miscellaneous Services	300.00
1290	C	Supplies	25.00

\$ 16,843.00

DIVISION OF MILK AND MISCELLANEOUS FOOD INSPECTION.

III-34c—Milk and Other Food Control.

1291	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$23,634.00
1292	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	2,400.00
1293	B	Miscellaneous Services	400.00
1294	C	Supplies	340.00
1297	E	Repairs	25.00
1298	F	Equipment	215.00

\$ 27,014.00

Total, Bureau of Food Inspection\$ 82,113.00

TOTAL, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.....\$ 1,688,286.00

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES—GENERAL OFFICE

VI-54—General Supervision of Charities.

1301	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$20,870.00
1302	B	Miscellaneous Services	2,840.00
1303	C	Supplies	250.00
1304	E	Repairs	130.00
1305	F	Equipment and Machinery	50.00

VI-55a—Medical Service by City Direct.

1306	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$16,038.00
1307	C	Supplies	750.00

VI-55b—Other by City Direct.

1308	B	Miscellaneous Services	7,500.00
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VI-56b—Other Civil Divisions.

1310	B	Miscellaneous Services	300.00
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VI-57b—Care of Children—Other Civil Divisions.

1311	B	Miscellaneous Services	4,875.00
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VI-58a—Other Charities—Undistributed Cost.

1313	B	Miscellaneous Services	850.00
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VI-59c—Hospitals and Private Associations.

1314	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,000.00
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VI-60—Insane in Institutions.

1315	B	Miscellaneous Services	210.00
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\$ 55,663.00

Code Acct.
Number. Class.

Amount
Appropriated. Total.

MAYVIEW CITY HOME AND HOSPITALS.

III-32a—Tuberculosis Hospitals.

VI-56a—Poor in Institutions of City.

VI-60—Insane in Institutions.

1316	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$146,842.00
1317	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	34,920.00
1318	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	11 000.00
1319	B	Miscellaneous Services	3,000.00
1320	C	Supplies	314,000.00
1321	D	Materials	12,000.00
1322	E	Repairs	1,125.00
1323	F	Equipment and Machinery	18,000.00
1324	D	Special Materials	1,500.00
1326	F	Special Equipment	7,500.00
1327	G	Housing Facilities	20,000.00

MAYVIEW COAL MINE

IX-76a—Coal Mine.

1351	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 2 310.00
1352	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	32,300 00
1353	C	Supplies	450.00
1354	D	Materials	1,500.00
1355	E	Repairs	500.00
1356	F	Equipment and Machinery	1,000.00

\$ 607,947.00

Total, Department of Charities.....\$ 663,610.00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY—GENERAL OFFICE.

II-22—General Supervision.

1426	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$35,474.00
1428	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	50,770.00
1430	B	Miscellaneous Services	865.00
1431	C	Supplies	4,500.00
1432	D	Materials	600.00
1433	F	Equipment and Machinery	200.00

\$ 92,409.00

DIVISION OF ACCOUNTS AND PERMITS.

1434	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$15,810.00
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\$ 15,810.00

DIVISION OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

II-27a—Inspection of Weights and Measures.

1435	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$16,686.00
1436	B	Miscellaneous Services	215.00
1438	E	Repairs	10.00
1439	F	Equipment	150.00

\$ 17,061.00

DIVISION OF BOILER INSPECTION.

II-27c—Boiler Inspection.

1440	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$6,564.00
1441	B	Miscellaneous Services	90.00
1442	C	Supplies	25.00

\$ 6,679.00

Total, General Office, Department of Public
Safety\$ 131,959.00

Code Acct.
Number. Class.

Amount
Appropriated. Total.

BUREAU OF POLICE.

II-23—Police Department.

1444	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$1,816,890.00
1445	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	53,890.00
1446	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	5,865.00
1447	B	Miscellaneous Services	18,475.00
1448	C	Supplies	9,375.00
1449	D	Materials	2,280.00
1450	E	Repairs	3,100.00
1456	F	Equipment and Machinery	6,525.00
1457	O	Refunds for Uniforms	400.00
1458	M	Local Secret Service Fund	2,500.00
1459	M	Traveling expenses	2,500.00

II-28d—Dog Pound.

1460	B	Miscellaneous Services	12,500.00
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\$ 1,934,300.00

BUREAU OF FIRE.

II-24a—Fire Department.

1461	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$1,758,970.00
1462	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	1,464.00
1463	B	Miscellaneous Services	3,680.00
1464	C	Supplies	14,580.00
1465	D	Materials	4,000.00
1466	E	Repairs	28,000.00
1468	F	Equipment and Machinery	128,900.00
1469	F	Fire Hose	\$16,000.00

B-105e—Firemen's Disability Fund.

1470	L	Firemen's Disability Fund	27,660.00
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II-24a—Fire Department.

1471	M	Fire Prevention Fund	2,400.00
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\$ 1,985,654.00

BUREAU OF ELECTRICITY.

II-28a—Undistributed Cost.

1472	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$81,382.00
1473	B	Miscellaneous Services	20,750.00
1474	C	Supplies	2,200.00
1475	D	Materials	11,800.00
1476	E	Repairs	500.00
1477	F	Equipment and Machinery	3,700.00
1478	G	Miscellaneous conduit construction	1,500.00
1479	G	Structural and Non-structural Improvements	54,500.00

B-105e—Firemen's Disability Fund.

1480	L	Firemen's Disability Fund	1,140.00
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\$ 177,472.00

BUREAU OF BUILDING INSPECTION.

II-27d—Building Inspection.

1481	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$84,136.00
1482	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,950.00
1483	C	Supplies	700.00
1484	D	Materials	60.00
1485	F	Equipment	95.00

B-105e—Firemen's Disability Fund.

1486	L	Firemen's Disability Fund	270.00
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\$ 87,211.00

Total, Department of Public Safety.....\$4,316,596.00

Code Acct.
Number. Class.

Amount
Appropriated. Total.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.

I-B-17c—General Executive.

1501	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees.....	\$18,794.00
1502	B	Miscellaneous Services	100.00
1503	C	Supplies	250.00
1504	E	Repairs	75.00
1505	F	Equipment	165.00

\$ 19,384.00

DIVISION OF ACCOUNTING.

1506	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$22,662 00
1507	B	Miscellaneous Services	15.00
1508	C	Supplies	500.00
1509	F	Equipment	35.00

\$ 23,212.00

PHOTOGRAPHIC DIVISION.

IX-76e—Photographs and Blueprints.

1510	A 1	Salaries Regular Employees	\$3,384.00
1511	B	Miscellaneous Services	25.00
1512	C	Supplies	400.00
1513	D	Materials	35.00
1514	E	Repairs	25.00
1515	F	Equipment	125.00
1516	G	Structural and Non-structural improvements	380.00

\$ 4,374.00

Total, General Office, Department of
Public Works\$ 46,970.00

BUREAU OF ENGINEERING—GENERAL OFFICE.

I-B-17d—General Executive.

1517	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$16,530.00
1518	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,690.00
1519	C	Supplies	1,250.00
1520	D	Materials	30.00
1521	E	Repairs	125.00
1522	F	Equipment and Machinery	130.00
1523	D	Castings	10,000.00

\$ 29,755.00

DIVISION OF SURVEYS

1524	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$77,826.00
1525	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	5,180.00
1526	B	Miscellaneous Services	425.00
1527	C	Supplies	750.00
1528	D	Materials	800.00
1529	E	Repairs	370.00
1530	F	Equipment and Machinery	255.00

\$ 85,606.00

DIVISION OF DESIGN.

1531	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$28,824.00
1532	B	Miscellaneous Services	25.00
1533	C	Supplies	350.00
1534	D	Materials	5.00
1535	E	Repairs	25.00
1536	F	Equipment	100.00

\$ 29,329.00

Code Acct.
Number. Class.

Amount
Appropriated. Total.

DIVISION OF STREET SIGNS.

V-45g—Street Signs.

1537	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$3,930.00
1540	B	Miscellaneous Services	100.00
1541	C	Supplies	30.00
1542	D	Materials	1,500.00
1543	F	Equipment and Machinery	20.00

\$ 5,580.00

DIVISION OF PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS.

VIII-70d—Athletics and Playgrounds.

VIII-71a—General Expense.

1544	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$9,390.00
1545	B	Miscellaneous Services	295.00
1546	C	Supplies	300.00
1547	E	Repairs	25.00
1548	F	Equipment and Machinery	125.00

\$ 10,135.00

DIVISION OF BRIDGES.

V-45c—Bridges Other Than Toll.

1549	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$20,058.00
1550	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	4,935.00
1551	B	Miscellaneous Services	75.00
1552	C	Supplies	240.00
1553	D	Materials	5.00
1554	E	Repairs	25.00
1555	E	Repairs Schedule	60,000.00
1556	F	Equipment and Machinery	175.00

\$ 85,513.00

BRIDGE REPAIRS—CITY FORCE.

1557	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$2,105.00
1558	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	8,990.00
1559	B	Miscellaneous Services	500.00
1560	C	Supplies	285.00
1561	D	Materials	8,950.00
1562	E	Repairs	150.00
1563	F	Equipment	1,000.00

\$ 21,981.00

BRIDGE REPAINTING—CITY FORCE.

1564	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$2,106.00
1565	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	12,000.00
1566	B	Miscellaneous Services	400.00
1567	C	Supplies	700.00
1568	D	Materials	10,000.00
1569	F	Equipment and Machinery	450.00

\$ 25,656.00

Total, Division of Bridges \$ 133,150.00

DIVISION OF SEWERS.

IV-36a—Sewers and Drains.

1570	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$38,202.00
1571	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	13,125.00
1572	B	Miscellaneous Services	390.00
1573	C	Supplies	300.00
1574	D	Materials	10.00
1575	E	Repairs	15.00
1576	E	Repair Schedule	40,000.00
1577	F	Equipment and Machinery	125.00

\$ 92,167.00

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
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DIVISION OF STREETS.

V-43—General Administration of Highways.

1482	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$47,400.00	
1583	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	18,270.00	
1584	B	Miscellaneous Services	590.00	
1585	C	Supplies	250.00	
1586	D	Materials	10.00	
1587	E	Repairs	100.00	
1588	F	Equipment and Machinery	145.00	

V-44—Roadways of Streets, Roads and Alleys.

1589	M	Drilling and Test Pits	1,500.00	
1590	G	Retaining Wall Schedule	25,000.00	
1591	E	General Repaving	150,000.00	

\$ 243,265.00

CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF FENCES.

V-451—Fences.

1592	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$2,325.00	
1593	C	Supplies	50.00	
1594	D	Materials	1,500.00	
1595	E	Equipment and Machinery	50.00	

\$ 3,925.00

Total, Bureau of Engineering.....\$ 632,912.00

BUREAU OF DEED REGISTRY.

I-B-15d—Deed Registry.

1597	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$11,760.00	
1598	B	Miscellaneous Services	15.00	
1599	C	Supplies	250.00	
1600	E	Repairs	75.00	
1601	F	Equipment and Machinery	60.00	

\$ 12,160.00

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS AND SEWERS.

GENERAL OFFICE.

I-B-17c—General Executive.

1602	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 18,816.00	
1603	B	Miscellaneous Services	375.00	
1604	C	Supplies	700.00	
1605	E	Repairs	40.00	
1606	F	Equipment and Machinery	75.00	

\$ 20,006.00

DIVISION OFFICES.

1607	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$112,308.00	
1608	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,380.00	
1609	C	Supplies	725.00	

\$ 114,413.00

1610	G	Plug Connections	1,500.00	
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\$ 1,500.00

STABLES AND YARDS.

IX-76d—Stables and Yards.

1611	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$19,710.00	
1612	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	45,200.00	
1613	B	Miscellaneous Services	12,385.00	
1614	C	Supplies	1,760.00	
1615	D	Materials	850.00	
1616	E	Repairs	7,350.00	
1617	F	Equipment and Machinery	12,000.00	

\$ 99,255.00

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
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BUILDINGS.

1618	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$1,370.00	
1619	D	Materials	1,080.00	
1620	E	Repairs	200.00	
				\$ 2,650.00

CLEANING HIGHWAYS

IV-37a—Street Cleaning.

1621	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$619,000.00	
1622	B	Miscellaneous Services	1,450.00	
1623	C	Supplies	11,800.00	
1624	D	Materials	4,075.00	
1625	E	Repairs	4,500.00	
1626	F	Equipment and Machinery	20,000.00	
				\$ 660,825.00

DUMPAGE.

1627	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$10,500.00	
1628	B	Miscellaneous Services	2,000.00	
				\$ 12,500.00

REPAIRING HIGHWAYS.

V-44d—Repairing Durable Pavements.

1629	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$162,700.00	
1630	B	Miscellaneous Services	500.00	
1631	D	Materials	10,800.00	
				\$ 174,000.00

REPAIRING SEWERS.

IV-36a—Sewers and Drains.

1632	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$12,800.00	
1633	D	Materials	3,800.00	
				\$ 16,600.00

CLEANING AND REPAIRING SEWER DROPS.

IV-36b—Cleaning Sewers and Catch Basins.

1634	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$47,300.00	
1635	C	Supplies	900.00	
1636	D	Materials	4,730.00	
				\$ 52,930.00

BOULEVARDS.

IV-37a—Street Cleaning.

V-44d—Repairing Durable Pavements.

1637	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$12,500.00	
1638	D	Materials	2,300.00	
				\$ 14,800.00

BOARDWALKS AND STEPS.

V-45b—Sidewalks and Crosswalks.

1639	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$2,034.00	
1640	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	23,700.00	
1641	D	Materials	42,000.00	
1642	F	Equipment and Machinery	80.00	
				\$ 67,814.00

BRIDGES.

IV-37a—Street Cleaning.

1643	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	6,100.00	
				\$ 6,100.00

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
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SIDEWALKS.

V-45b—Sidewalks and Crosswalks.

1644	B	Miscellaneous Services	\$ 75.00	
1645	G	Laying Sidewalks	5,000.00	
				\$ 5,075.00

V-44—Roadways of Streets, Roads and Alleys.

1646	M	Repairs Plank Roads	\$ 8,000.00	
				\$ 8,000.00

DIVISION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

V-43—General Administration of Highways.

1647	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$15,924.00	
1648	B	Miscellaneous Services	450.00	
1649	C	Supplies	200.00	
1650	E	Repairs	25.00	
1651	F	Equipment	200.00	
				\$ 16,799.00

ASPHALT PLANT.

V-44f—Replacing and Constructing Durable Pavements.

1652	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$24,348.00	
1653	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	208,500.00	
1654	B	Miscellaneous Services	9,000.00	
1655	C	Supplies	40,000.00	
1656	D	Materials	283,000.00	
1657	E	Repairs	2,975.00	
1658	F	Equipment and Machinery	16,900.00	
1659	G	Structural and non-Structural Improvements	16,500.00	
				\$ 601,223.00

Total, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.....	\$ 1,874,400.00
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BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY.

I-D-20a—General Expenditures.

1660	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$10,900.00	
1661	B	Miscellaneous Services	2,700.00	
1662	C	Supplies	500.00	
1663	D	Materials	615.00	
1664	E	Repairs	4,000.00	
1665	F	Equipment and Machinery	350.00	
1666	M	Decorations	350.00	
				\$ 19,415.00

CITY-COUNTY BUILDING.

1667	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$45,918.00	
1668	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	65,820.00	
1669	A 4	Wages, Temporary Services	2,450.00	
1670	B	Miscellaneous Services	3,000.00	
1671	C	Supplies	32,000.00	
1672	D	Materials	3,500.00	
1673	E	Repairs	2,500.00	
1674	F	Equipment and Machinery	3,000.00	
				\$ 158,188.00

NORTH SIDE MUNICIPAL HALL.

1675	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$5,688.00	
1676	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	1,555.00	
1677	C	Supplies	585.00	
1678	E	Repairs	1,000.00	
				\$ 8,828.00

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DIAMOND MARKET.

X-84—Markets and Public Scales.

1679	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$22,896.00
1680	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	23,525.00
1681	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	1,200.00
1682	B	Miscellaneous Services	480.00
1683	C	Supplies	16,000.00
1684	D	Materials	1,000.00
1685	E	Repairs	3,000.00
1686	F	Equipment and Machinery	150.00
1687	F	Special Equipment	3,475.00

\$ 71,726.00

NORTH SIDE MARKET.

1689	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employee	\$4,434.00
1690	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	8,950.00
1691	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	1,500.00
1692	B	Miscellaneous Services	2,100.00
1693	C	Supplies	6,000.00
1694	D	Materials	360.00
1695	E	Repairs	6,000.00
1696	F	Equipment	340.00

\$ 20,684.00

ADAMS MARKET.

1703	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$732.00
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\$ 732.00

SOUTH SIDE MARKET.

1704	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$4,938.00
1705	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	5,935.00
1706	B	Miscellaneous Services	113.00
1707	C	Supplies	2,000.00
1708	D	Materials	210.00
1709	E	Repairs	1,250.00
1710	F	Equipment and Machinery	2,570.00
1711	G	Structural and non-Structural Improvements	13,500.00

\$30,521.00

WEIGH SCALES.

1712	E	Repairs	\$ 250.00
1713	G	New Scale	1,300.00

\$ 1,550.00

WHARVES AND LANDINGS.

X-85—Docks, Wharves and Landings.

1714	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$ 3,726.00
1715	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	15,790.00
1716	C	Supplies	80.00
1717	D	Materials	250.00
1718	F	Equipment	500.00

\$ 20,346.00

COMFORT HOUSES.

IV-40—Public Convenience Stations.

1719	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$44,688.00
1720	C	Supplies	5,000.00
1721	D	Materials	500.00
1722	E	Repairs	5,000.00
1723	F	Equipment and Machinery	500.00

\$ 55,688.00

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Number. Class.

Amount
Appropriated. Total.

STEPHEN C. FOSTER HOME.

VII-69a—Museums.

1724	C	Supplies	\$ 325.00
1725	E	Repairs	1,200.00
			<u>\$ 1,525.00</u>
Total, Bureau of City Property			<u>\$ 398,203.00</u>

BUREAU OF WATER—MANAGING ENGINEER'S OFFICE.

X-81—Water Supply Systems.

1731	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$7,692.00
			<u>\$ 7,692.00</u>

ACCOUNTING DIVISION.

1735	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$7,560.00
1736	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	6,800.00
1737	B	Miscellaneous Services	110.00
1738	C	Supplies	290.00
1739	D	Materials	410.00
1740	E	Repairs	195.00
1741	F	Equipment and Machinery	165.00
			<u>\$ 15,530.00</u>

FILTRATION DIVISION.

1742	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	31,644.00
1744	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	161,330.00
1745	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	18,970.00
1746	B	Miscellaneous Services	2,050.00
1747	C	Supplies	11,000.00
1748	D	Materials	5,300.00
1749	E	Repairs	1,300.00
1750	F	Equipment and Machinery	4,000.00
			<u>\$ 235,594.00</u>

MECHANICAL DIVISION.

1751	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$46,477.50
1752	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	320,000.00
1753	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	38,700.00
1754	B	Miscellaneous Services	4,650.00
1755	C	Supplies	463,000.00
1756	D	Materials	38,000.00
1757	E	Repairs	9,000.00
1758	F	Equipment and Machinery	5,200.00
			<u>\$ 925,027.50</u>

DISTRIBUTION DIVISION.

1759	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$67,632.00
1760	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	89,500.00
1761	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	103,500.00
1762	B	Miscellaneous Services	17,000.00
1763	C	Supplies	5,400.00
1764	D	Materials	21,500.00
1765	E	Repairs	3,000.00
1766	F	Equipment and Machinery	2,200.00
			<u>\$ 309,732.00</u>

Total, Bureau of Water			<u>\$ 1,493,575.50</u>
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Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
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BUREAU OF LIGHT.

V-49—Street Lighting.

1768	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$11,700.00	
1769	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	40,425.00	
1770	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	3,750.00	
1771	B	Miscellaneous Services	499,000.00	
1772	C	Supplies	55,000.00	
1773	D	Materials	11,800.00	
1774	E	Repairs	445.00	
1775	F	Equipment and Machinery	210.00	

Total, Bureau of Light	\$	622,330.00
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BUREAU OF PARKS—GENERAL OFFICE.

VIII-71a—General Expense.

1776	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$9,744.00	
1777	B	Miscellaneous Services	9,680.00	

	\$	19,424.00
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SCHENLEY PARK.

1778	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$25,910.00	
1779	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	14,320.00	
1780	B	Miscellaneous Services	225.00	
1783	C	Supplies	1,400.00	
1784	D	Materials	2,500.00	
1785	E	Repairs	200.00	
1786	F	Equipment and Machinery	600.00	

	\$	45,155.00
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SCHENLEY NURSERIES.

1787	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$2,034.00	
1788	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	8,820.00	

	\$	10,854.00
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GOLF GROUNDS.

VIII-70d—Athletics and Playgrounds.

1789	A 2	Salaries, Temporary Employees	\$ 826.00	
1790	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	2,844.00	
1791	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	2,880.00	
1792	B	Miscellaneous Services	50.00	
1793	C	Supplies	750.00	
1794	D	Materials	560.00	
1795	E	Repairs	75.00	
1796	F	Equipment and machinery	220.00	

	\$	8,205.00
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SCHENLEY STABLES.

VIII-71a—General Expenses.

1797	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$12,444.00	
1799	C	Supplies	400.00	
1800	D	Materials	200.00	
1801	E	Repairs	200.00	
1802	F	Equipment and Machinery	25.00	

	\$	13,269.00
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SCHENLEY CONSERVATORY AND HALL OF BOTANY.

VIII-69c—Conservatories.

1803	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$21,708.00	
1804	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	26,615.00	
1805	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	1,050.00	
1806	B	Miscellaneous Services	18.00	
1807	C	Supplies	14,000.00	

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
1808	D	Materials	1,300.00	
1809	E	Repairs	50.00	
1810	F	Equipment and Machinery	230.00	
				\$ 64,971.00

NORTH SIDE CONSERVATORY.

1812	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$6,840.00	
1813	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	11,450.00	
1814	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	1,780.00	
1815	B	Miscellaneous Services	10.00	
1816	C	Supplies	2,000.00	
1817	D	Materials	1,200.00	
1818	E	Repairs	135.00	
1819	F	Equipment and Machinery	180.00	
				\$ 23,595.00

SMALL PARKS.

VIII-71a—General Expenses.

1820	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$49,400.00	
1821	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	11,650.00	
1822	B	Miscellaneous Services	195.00	
1823	C	Supplies	750.00	
1824	D	Materials	1,300.00	
1825	E	Repairs	225.00	
1826	F	Equipment and Machinery	600.00	
				\$ 64,120.00

HIGHLAND PARK.

1827	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$3 634.00	
1828	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	19,000.00	
1829	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	11,480.00	
1830	B	Miscellaneous Services	18.00	
1831	C	Supplies	1,500.00	
1832	D	Materials	1,500.00	
1833	E	Repairs	1,000.00	
1834	F	Equipment and Machinery	425.00	
				\$ 38,557.00

HIGHLAND PARK GREENHOUSE.

1835	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$6,870.00	
				\$ 6,870.00

HIGHLAND PARK STABLES.

1836	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$7,930.00	
1837	C	Supplies	50.00	
1838	D	Materials	10.00	
1839	E	Repairs	150.00	
1840	F	Equipment and Machinery	25.00	
				\$ 8,165.00

HIGHLAND PARK ZOO.

VIII-69b—Zoological Collections.

1841	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$2,034.00	
1842	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	24,125.00	
1843	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	150.00	
1844	B	Miscellaneous Services	25.00	
1845	C	Supplies	15,000.00	
1846	D	Materials	800.00	
1847	E	Repairs	1,000.00	
1848	F	Equipment and Machinery	190.00	
				\$ 43,324.00

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Number. Class.

Amount
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RIVERVIEW PARK.

VIII-71a—General Expenses.

1855	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$2,034.00
1856	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	17,650.00
1857	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	12,000.00
1858	B	Miscellaneous Services	20.00
1859	C	Supplies	400.00
1860	D	Materials	1,050.00
1861	E	Repairs	180.00
1862	F	Equipment and Machinery	425.00

\$ 33,759.00

RIVERVIEW STABLES

1864	A 3	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$6,100.00
1865	C	Supplies	20.00
1866	D	Materials	10.00
1867	E	Repairs	100.00
1868	F	Equipment and Machinery	15.00

\$ 6,245.00

WEST PARK.

1869	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$4,092.00
1870	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	18,700.00
1871	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	5,000.00
1872	E	Miscellaneous Services	860.00
1873	C	Supplies	800.00
1874	D	Materials	960.00
1875	E	Repairs	540.00
1876	F	Equipment and Machinery	1,000.00

\$ 31,892.00

WESTINGHOUSE PARK.

1877	A 3	Wages, Regular Employees	\$2,800.00
1878	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	1,750.00
1879	C	Supplies	130.00
1880	D	Materials	90.00
1881	E	Repairs	2,800.00
1882	F	Equipment	135.00
1883	G	Structural and Non-structural Improvements	4,485.00

\$ 12,190.00

HEINZ CONSERVATORY.

1884	M	Maintenance Fund	\$15,000.00
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\$ 15,000.00

SHADE TREES.

VIII-71f—Trees in Streets.

1887	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$2,034.00
1888	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	5,000.00
1890	C	Supplies	600.00
1891	D	Materials	15.00
1892	F	Equipment and Machinery	90.00

\$ 7,739.00

BAND CONCERTS—PARKS AND OTHER PLACES.

VIII-70a—Music and Entertainments.

1893	B	Miscellaneous Services	\$15,000.00
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\$ 15,000.00

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PARK IMPROVEMENTS.

VIII-71e—Park Areas, Etc.

1894	G	Improvements, Snyder Square	\$5,000.00	
1895	G	Schenley Park Grandstand	30,000.00	
1896	G	Highland Park Boat House	30,000.00	
				\$ 65,000.00

VIII-71h—Undistributed Expense.

1897	F	Park Benches	\$2,500.00	
				\$ 2,500.00

Total, Bureau of Parks	\$ 534,834.00
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BUREAU OF TESTS.

I-B-17g—Testing Laboratory.

1898	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$9,606.00	
1900	B	Miscellaneous Services	125.00	
1901	C	Supplies	475.00	
1902	D	Materials	85.00	
1903	E	Repairs	80.00	
1904	F	Equipment and Machinery	300.00	
				\$ 10,671.00

BUREAU OF RECREATION.

VIII-70d—Athletics and Playgrounds.

1905	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$17,093.50	
1906	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	12,640.00	
1907	B	Miscellaneous Services	6,700.00	
1908	C	Supplies	18,000.00	
1909	D	Materials	6,500.00	
1910	E	Repairs	5,000.00	
1911	F	Equipment and Machinery	5,400.00	
1912	G	Structural and non-Structural Improvements	3,700.00	

WASHINGTON PARK.

1913	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$12,055.00	
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ORMSBY PARK.

1914	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$11,964.00	
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LAWRENCE PARK.

1915	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$11,498.00	
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WARRINGTON PARK.

1916	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$9,823.00	
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WEST PENN PARK.

1917	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$9,070.00	
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ARSENAL PARK.

1918	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$6,750.00	
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SOUTH SIDE PARK.

1919	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$4,818.00	
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REAM PARK.

1920	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$1,140.00	
1921	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	765.00	

LEWIS PARK.

1922	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$6,354.00	
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Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
BRUSHTON POOL.				
1923	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$1,140.00	
1924	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	1,000.00	
ORMSBY POOL.				
1925	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$1,480.00	
LAWRENCE SWIMMING POOL.				
1926	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$1,480.00	
SUMMER PLAYGROUNDS.				
1927	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	\$13,770.00	
			Total, Bureau of Recreation	\$ 168,140.50
			Total, Department of Public Works	\$ 5,795,286.50
INTEREST AND TAX ON LOANS.				
XII-95a—Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.				
40	J	Interest and Tax on Loans	\$1,082,000.00	
				\$ 1,082,000.00
REFUNDS.				
B-102a—Payments for Correction of Erroneous Receipts.				
41	O	Refunds of Taxes and Water Rents.....	\$15,000.00	
				\$ 15,000.00
CONTINGENT FUND.				
42	M	Contingent Fund	\$50,000.00	
				\$ 50,000.00
FINANCE FUND.				
43	M	Finance Fund	\$10,000.00	
				\$ 10,000.00
WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION FUND.				
B-105g—Provision for Injury to Employees.				
44	M	Workmen's Compensation Fund	\$ 25,000.00	
				\$ 25,000.00
JUDGMENTS.				
B-79e—Payments for Outstanding Judgments.				
46	L	Judgments	\$ 25,000.00	
				\$ 25,000.00
INTEREST ON JUDGMENTS.				
XII-95a—Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.				
47	J	Interest on Judgments	\$1,500.00	
				\$ 1,500.00
INTEREST ON OVERDUE DAMAGES.				
XII-95a—Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.				
48	J	Interest on Overdue Damages	\$30,000.00	
				\$ 30,000.00
INTEREST ON CONTRACTS.				
XII-95a—Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.				
49	J	Interest on Contracts	\$80,000.00	
				\$ 80,000.00

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CARNEGIE FREE LIBRARY OF PITTSBURGH.

VII-67—Libraries.

59	N	Salaries and Wages	\$193,365.00	
60	N	Miscellaneous Services	3,464.25	
61	N	Supplies and Materials	8,905.68	
62	N	Equipment and Machinery	47,588.54	
				\$ 253,323.47

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS.

63	N	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$70,420.00	
64	N	Miscellaneous Services	2,200.00	
65	N	Supplies and Materials	30,754.00	
66	N	Equipment and Machinery	1,000.00	
				\$ 104,374.00

Total, Carnegie Free Library of Pittsburgh.....\$ 357,697.47

ALLEGHENY PLAYGROUNDS ASSOCIATION.

VIII-70d—Athletics and Playgrounds.

67	A 1	Salaries, Regular Employees	\$9,840.00	
68	A 4	Wages, Temporary Employees	14,945.00	
69	B	Miscellaneous Services	400.00	
70	C	Supplies	6,500.00	
71	D	Materials	200.00	
72	E	Repairs	350.00	
73	F	Equipment and Machinery	300.00	
74	G	Structural and non-Structural Improvements	750.00	
75	O	Taxes	750.00	
				\$ 34,035.00

PENNSYLVANIA ASSOCIATION FOR THE BLIND.

VI-58b—Workshop for Blind.

81	N	Maintenance Fund	\$20,000.00	
				\$ 20,000.00

SOHO PUBLIC BATHS.

VIII-70c—Baths.

82	N	Maintenance Fund	\$12,000.00	
				\$ 12,000.00

PUBLIC WASH HOUSE AND BATH ASSOCIATION.

IV-39—Public Laundries and Wash Houses.

VIII-70c—Baths.

83	N	Maintenance Fund	\$8,500.00	
				\$ 8,500.00

CELEBRATION OF MEMORIAL DAY.

VIII-70b—Celebrations.

85	N	Grand Army of the Republic.....	\$3,500.00	
86	N	Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U. S.	1,000.00	
87	N	United Spanish War Veterans.....	500.00	
				\$ 5,000.00

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA HUMANE SOCIETY.

II-28c—Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

88	N	Maintenance Fund	\$2,000.00	
				\$ 2,000.00

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FLOOD COMMISSION.

II-28b—Other Protection to Person and Property.

89	N	Maintenance Fund	\$3,500.00	
			\$	3,500.00

WOODS RUN SETTLEMENT ASSOCIATION.

VI-58c—Other Charities.

91	N	Maintenance Fund	\$2,000.00	
			\$	2,000.00

SINKING FUNDS.

B-105a—Cash Transfer Payments to Sinking Funds.

600	K	Filtration, 1908	\$25,000.00
601	K	Water, 1908	20,000.00
602	K	Public Works, 1908	7,000.00
603	K	Charities, 1908	4,500.00
604	K	Bridges, 1908	3,800.00
605	K	Public Safety, 1908	1,000.00
606	K	Fire and Police, 1908	5,000.00
607	K	Parks, 1908	2,500.00
608	K	Water Main Extension, 1908	10,000.00
610	K	Duquesne Way Bridge, 1908	2,000.00
612	K	Larimer Ave. and Negley Run Bridge, 1908...	8,000.00
613	K	Monongahela Water Company, 1909	65,800.00
614	K	South Side Water Extension, 1909	23,200.00
615	K	Ninth Street Improvement	500.00
616	K	Sandusky Street Improvement	1,200.00
618	K	Water A, 1910	26,000.00
619	K	Water B, 1910	3,000.00
620	K	Water C, 1910	6,000.00
621	K	Street Improvement A, 1910	12,450.38
622	K	Bridge A, 1910	31,000.00
623	K	Bridge B, 1910	5,000.00
624	K	Bridge C, 1910	10,000.00
625	K	Sewer A, 1910	4,600.00
626	K	Sewer B, 1910	6,800.00
627	K	Hospital, 1910	8,000.00
628	K	Incinerating Plant, 1910	3,000.00
629	K	Parks, 1910	5,957.50
630	K	City Hall, 1910	50,000.00
631	K	Water Funding, 1910	20,184.72
633	K	Funding A, 1911	10,200.00
641	K	Hights Run Bridge, 1911	5,000.00
642	K	Soho Run Sewer, 1911	3,000.00
643	K	Thirty-third Street Sewer, 1911	4,000.00
644	K	Water F, 1911	33,000.00
645	K	Water E, 1911	1,000.00
646	K	Street Improvement C, 1911	16,500.00
647	K	Street Improvement B, 1911	3,000.00
648	K	Street Improvement A, 1912	3,000.00
649	K	Water A, 1912	6,000.00
650	K	Bridge A, 1912	1,000.00
651	K	Bridge B, 1912	3,000.00
652	K	Bloomfield Bridge, 1912	15,000.00
653	K	Water B, 1912	7,000.00
654	K	Water C, 1912	44,000.00
655	K	Street Improvement B, 1912	4,000.00
656	K	Street Improvement C, 1912	2,000.00
658	K	Street Improvement E, 1912	7,000.00
659	K	Bridge C, 1912	1,000.00
660	K	Bridge D, 1912	5,000.00
661	K	Fire Apparatus, 1912	4,000.00
662	K	Municipal Buildings, 1912	3,000.00
663	K	Hospital, 1912	3,000.00
664	K	Poor Home, 1912	15,997.40
665	K	Grade Crossings, 1912	14,000.00
666	K	Playgrounds, 1912	13,000.00
668	K	Market House, 1912	10,000.00
669	K	Playgrounds A, 1913	3,000.00
670	K	Street A, 1913	4,892.30
671	K	Playgrounds B, 1913	11,000.00
672	K	Street A, 1914	5,000.00

Code Acct. Number.	Class.		Amount Appropriated.	Total.
673	K	Fire Apparatus, 1914	3,935.00	
674	K	Poor Home, 1914	12,000.00	
675	K	Water A, 1914	10,000.00	
676	K	Funding, 1914	80,713.23	
692	K	Funding, 1919	37,800.00	
693	K	Water A, 1919	5,800.00	
694	K	Bigelow Boulevard, 1919	10,000.00	
695	K	Soho Playgrounds, 1919	1,000.00	
696	K	West Carson Street, 1919	13,000.00	
697	K	Warrington Avenue, 1919	400.00	
700	K	Street Improvement A, 1919	18,000.00	
701	K	Diamond Street Improvement, Series 2	3,700.00	
702	K	East Ohio Street Improvement, 1919	\$18,500.00	
703	K	Mt. Oliver Street Improvement, 1919	3,200.00	
704	K	Bigelow Boulevard, 1919	5,700.00	
705	K	Park Roadway Improvement, 1919	13,300.00	
706	K	West Park Improvement, 1919	3,300.00	
707	K	Playground Improvement, 1919	11,000.00	
708	K	Public Comfort Stations, 1919	4,000.00	
709	K	Water, Series A, 1919	34,000.00	
710	K	Center Avenue Bridge, 1919	4,000.00	
711	K	North and Irwin Avenue Bridge, 1919	2,000.00	
679	K	Penn Avenue Improvement, 1915	15,994.00	
680	K	Hamilton Avenue Improvement, 1915	3,000.00	
682	K	Funding A, 1916	35,407.00	
683	K	Water A, 1916	5,000.00	
684	K	City Hall A, 1917	4,000.00	
685	K	Park A, 1917	6,000.00	
686	K	City Home A, 1917	4,000.00	
689	K	City Hall B, 1917	1,000.00	
690	K	Water A, 1918	7,500.00	
691	K	City Hall A, 1918	2,000.00	

Total	\$ 1,021,331.53
Transfer from Sinking Fund No. 667	9,106.18

\$ 1,012,225.35

GRAND, TOTAL NEW CITY

\$16,715,768.82

OLD CITY OF PITTSBURGH.

INTEREST AND TAX ON LOANS.

XII-95a—Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.

1	J	Interest and Tax on Loans	\$261,000.00
			\$ 261,000.00

SINKING FUNDS.

B-105b—Cash Transfer Payments to Sinking Funds.

310	K	Monongahela River Bridge	\$50,615.84
311	K	Funded Debt, 1904	37,357.70
312	K	Water Works, 1895	68,102.59
313	K	Parks, 1895	59,742.19
314	K	Boulevards, 1895	17,245.20
315	K	Public Safety, 1895	17,030.70
319	K	Loan of 1900	221,445.18
350	K	Water Funding, 1906	31,223.01
351	K	Water Extension, 1906	16,700.00
352	K	Funded Debt, 1907	22,485.46
353	K	Improvement, 1907	22,500.00
355	K	Pittsburgh Funding A, 1908	7,113.61
356	K	Pittsburgh Funding B, 1908	6,614.46
357	K	Pittsburgh Funding C, 1908	3,729.63
358	K	Pittsburgh Funding D, 1908	1,255.51
359	K	Parks, 1908	7,300.00

Total	\$ 590,459.08
Transfer from Sinking Fund No. 306	32,134.53

558,324.55

TOTAL, OLD CITY

\$ 819,324.55

Code Acct.
Number. Class.

Amount
Appropriated. Total.

FORMER CITY OF ALLEGHENY.
INTEREST AND TAX ON LOANS.

XII-95a—Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.

20 J Interest and Tax on Loans\$ 178,000.00

\$ 178,000.00

SINKING FUNDS.

B-105c—Cash Transfer Payments to Sinking Funds.

412	K	Electric Light A, 1891.....	\$5,241.36
414	K	Sewer A, 1893	1,025.35
415	K	Street Improvement A, 1893	3,105.35
416	K	Electric Light B, 1893	190.91
417	K	Street Improvement B, 1894	3,183.23
418	K	Sewer B, 1894	1,518.11
419	K	Street Improvement C, 1894.....	4,048.73
420	K	Sewer C, 1894	2,583.51
421	K	Electric Light C, 1894	1,576.37
422	K	Water, C and L, 1895	38,201.21
423	K	Street Improvement F-I, 1895	10,297.76
424	K	Sewer Improvement F-I, 1895	6,908.39
425	K	Highway Improvement C-F, 1895	10,337.77
427	K	Street Improvement, R-U, 1895-7	12,913.09
428	K	Water Improvement, C-R, 1896	13,265.06
430	K	Street Improvement, 1905	16,800.00
435	K	Street Improvement Funding, 1907	7,105.12
440	K	City Home, 1905	800 00
441	K	Parks, 1905	3,000.00
442	K	Grade Crossing, 1905	4,200.00
443	K	Water, 1905	7,500 00
444	K	Public Safety, 1905	800 00
445	K	Water, 1901	14,000.00
446	K	Public Safety, 1901	3,000 00
447	K	City Home, 1901	3,000.00
448	K	Electric Light, 1901	3,000.00
449	K	Sewer Improvement, 1901	2,000.00
450	K	Street Improvement, 1901	11,000.00
452	K	Pension Fund, 1908	2,000 00
453	K	Pittsburgh and Allegheny Funding E, 1908.....	14,386.38
454	K	North Side Funding, 1909	7,289.71

Total\$ 214,377.41
Transfer from Sinking Fund No. 432..... 36,879.84

Total177,497.57

TOTAL, FORMER ALLEGHENY\$ 355,497.57

BOROUGHIS, INTEREST.

XII-95a—Interest on Funded and Floating Debt.

30	J	Interest on Bonded Debt, Sheraden	\$10,210.88
31	J	Interest on Bonded Debt, Montooth	397.16
32	J	Interest on Bonded Debt, Elliott	1,809.10
33	J	Interest on Bonded Debt, Esplen	635.34
34	J	Interest on Bonded Debt, Beechview	931.14

\$ 13,983.62

SINKING FUND.

B-105d—Cash Transfer Payments to Sinking Funds.

501	K	Elliott	\$1,819.06
502	K	Esplen	729.64
503	K	Montooth	429.29
504	K	Sheraden	5,723.57
507	K	Beechview	561.53

\$ 9,263.09

Total, Boroughs\$ 23,246.71

GRAND TOTAL, GREATER CITY\$17,913,837.65

Passed December 20, 1919.
Approved December 30, 1919.
Ordinance Book 31, Page 17.

No. 434

AN ORDINANCE—Fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council*

assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the first day of January, 1920, the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof shall be and the same are fixed and established as herein set forth.

Section 2.

COUNCIL.

Nine Councilmen \$ 6,500.00 each per annum

Section 3.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

City Clerk \$ 3,960.00 per annum
Assistant City Clerk 3,960.00 per annum
Recording Clerk 3,000.00 per annum
Clerk 2,400.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk 2,400.00 per annum

Section 4.

City Clerk's Office—Building Code Committee.

Secretary Engineer \$ 3,600.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk 1,692.00 per annum

Section 5.

City Clerk's Office—Division of Investigation.

Investigator \$ 6,000.00 per annum
Assistant Investigator 2,772.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk 1,416.00 per annum

Section 6.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Mayor \$10,000.00 per annum
Assistant Secretary 3,300.00 per annum
Chief Clerk 2,208.00 per annum
Clerk 2,148.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk 2,310.00 per annum
Stenographer and File Clerk 1,518.00 per annum
Messenger 1,692.00 per annum
Chief Accountant 4,500.00 per annum
Accountant 2,544.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk 1,482.00 per annum
Six Police Magistrates 3,000.00 each per annum
Clerk 2,070.00 per annum
Morals Court Magistrate 4,000.00 per annum
Magistrate for Morals Court 2,500.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk 1,758.00 per annum

Section 7.

Mayor's Office—Supervisor of City Stables.

Supervisor of City Stables \$ 2,280.00 per annum
Two Veterinary Surgeons 1,458.00 each per annum
Clerk 1,206.00 per annum

Section 8.

Mayor's Office—Municipal Garage and Repair Shop.

Superintendent \$ 3,000.00 per annum
Deputy Superintendent of Machinery 2,034.00 per annum
Clerk 1,554.00 per annum
Harness Maker 1,692.00 per annum
Chauffeur Mechanic 1,692.00 per annum
Dispatcher 1,692.00 per annum
Five Machinists, not to exceed C. U. W.
Two Blacksmiths, not to exceed C. U. W.
Three Blacksmiths' Helpers, not to exceed C. U. W.
Two Wagon Makers, not to exceed C. U. W.
Coach Painter, not to exceed C. U. W.
Engineer, not to exceed C. U. W.
Automobile Mechanic Foreman 6.40 per day

Four Automobile Mechanics	6.00 each per day
Night Trouble Man	8.40 per day
Storekeeper	4.25 per day
Watchman	4.00 per day
Thirteen Laborers	4.00 each per day

At the salaries herein fixed, the Superintendent and Deputy Superintendent of Machinery shall be paid, together with the additional salary of thirty dollars each per annum, which said additional salary of thirty dollars each per annum shall be set aside in equal monthly installments by the City Controller and paid to the Firemen's Disability Board of the City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of making such employees beneficiaries in the Firemen's Disability Fund, subject to the provisions of Ordinance No. 19, Series 1919, approved February 6th, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 30, Page 183.

Section 9.

Mayor's Office—City Architect.

City Architect	\$ 4,000.00 per annum
Chief Draftsman	2,346.00 per annum
Stenographer	1,344.00 per annum
Inspector of Construction	2,280.00 per annum

Section 10.

Mayor's Office—Transit Commission.

Transit Commissioner	\$ 6,000.00 per annum
Chief Draftsman	2,298.00 per annum
Clerk	2,070.00 per annum
Clerk	1,728.00 per annum
Stenographer	1,728.00 per annum

Section 11.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER.

City Controller	\$ 5,000.00 per annum
Chief Clerk and Accountant	4,000.00 per annum
General Clerk and Assistant Bookkeeper	4,000.00 per annum
Two Accountants	2,544.00 each per annum
Warrant Clerk	2,610.00 per annum
Warrant Clerk	2,034.00 per annum
Counter Clerk	2,172.00 per annum
Counter Clerk	1,830.00 per annum
Street Account Clerk	2,244.00 per annum
General Clerk and Auditor	2,280.00 per annum
Controller's Auditor	2,034.00 per annum
Controller's Auditor	1,692.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,692.00 per annum
Clerk	1,554.00 per annum
Two Field Auditors	2,208.00 each per annum
Auditor	3,960.00 per annum
Two Clerks	1,692.00 each per annum
Clerk	1,518.00 per annum

Section 12.

Department of City Controller—Bureau of Accounting Revision.

Chief Accountant	\$ 4,500.00 per annum
Accountant	3,072.00 per annum
Two Accountants	2,544.00 each per annum
Accountant	2,034.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,692.00 per annum

Section 13.

CITY TREASURER.

City Treasurer and Collector of Delinquent Taxes	\$ 8,000.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	3,600.00 per annum
Paymaster	3,048.00 per annum
Cashier	2,496.00 per annum
Bond Clerk	2,280.00 per annum
Two Clerks	2,268.00 each per annum
Five Clerks	2,034.00 each per annum
Clerk	1,806.00 per annum
Two Clerks	1,692.00 each per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,866.00 per annum
Stenographer	1,416.00 per annum
Chauffeur	1,692.00 per annum
Messenger	1,416.00 per annum
Watchman	1,416.00 per annum
Dog License Collector	1,692.00 per annum

At the salary herein fixed the dog license collector shall be paid and in addition shall, at the end of the fiscal year, receive a commission of 10 per cent. of the gross receipts from dog licenses in excess of \$10,000.00.

Cashiers, as needed	141.00 each per month
Clerks, as needed	123.50 each per month
Clerks, as needed	112.00 each per month
Stenographers, as needed	112.00 each per month

The City Treasurer shall be and he is hereby authorized to allow and pay temporary clerks engaged in this office during the tax collecting season the sum of 75c for each and every hour of overtime in excess of the hours now established by Ordinance, during which said temporary clerks shall be employed.

Section 14.

Department of Collector of Delinquent Taxes.

Chief Clerk	\$ 3,600.00 per annum
Bookkeeper	2,034.00 per annum
Clerk	2,208.00 per annum
Six Clerks	1,968.00 each per annum
Clerk	1,692.00 per annum
Clerk	1,554.00 per annum
Two Clerks	1,416.00 each per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,344.00 per annum

Section 15.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

City Solicitor	\$ 8,000.00 per annum
Special Assistant City Solicitor, as provided for in Ordinance No. 48, approved February 7, 1917	7,500.00 per annum
Special Assistant City Solicitor, as provided for in Ordinance No. 48, approved February 7, 1917	5,000.00 per annum
First Assistant City Solicitor	5,000.00 per annum
Five Assistant City Solicitors	4,200.00 each per annum
Three Assistant City Solicitors	3,000.00 each per annum
Two Investigators	2,496.00 each per annum
Chief Clerk	2,442.00 per annum
Two Stenographers	1,482.00 each per annum
Messenger	1,692.00 per annum
Telephone Operator	1,206.00 per annum
Lien Clerk	3,600.00 per annum
Assistant Lien Clerk	1,692.00 per annum
Municipal Improvement Clerk	3,048.00 per annum
Two Stenographers	1,416.00 each per annum

Section 16.

Department of Law—Bureau of Public Improvements.

Superintendent	\$ 2,940.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	2,208.00 per annum
Clerk	2,034.00 per annum
Clerk	1,482.00 per annum
Two Evidence Stenographers	2,034.00 each per annum
Three Service Clerks	1,620.00 each per annum
Two Engineering Draftsmen	2,034.00 each per annum

Section 17.

DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSORS.

Chief Assessor	\$ 3,750.00 per annum
Eight Assessors	3,500.00 each per annum
Assistant Chief Clerk	2,334.00 per annum
Five Clerks	1,968.00 each per annum
Five Clerks	1,692.00 each per annum
Nine Clerks	1,620.00 each per annum
Two Clerks	1,416.00 each per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,416.00 per annum
Supervising Draftsman	2,244.00 per annum
Three Engineering Draftsmen	1,692.00 each per annum
Temporary Clerks, as needed	123.50 each per month

Section 18.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

President	\$ 2,400.00 per annum
Two Commissioners	2,000.00 each per annum

Section 19.

ART COMMISSION.

Executive Secretary \$ 2,496.00 per annum

Section 20.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Director \$ 8,000.00 per annum
 Chief Clerk 3,960.00 per annum
 Assistant Chief Clerk 2,280.00 per annum
 Clerk 1,692.00 per annum
 Clerk 1,554.00 per annum
 Stenographer-Clerk 2,130.00 per annum
 Two Stenographers 1,692.00 each per annum
 Messenger 1,416.00 per annum
 Multigraph Operator 1,278.00 per annum
 Fire and Police Surgeon 2,940.00 per annum
 Night Officer 1,416.00 per annum
 Elevator Operator 1,416.00 per annum
 Four Cleaners 1,002.00 each per annum
 Two Window Cleaners 4.00 each per day
 Electrical and Mechanical Engineer, not to exceed C. U. W.
 Three Oilers, not to exceed C. U. W.
 Carpenter Foreman, not to exceed C. U. W.
 Four Carpenters, not to exceed C. U. W.
 Painter Foreman, not to exceed C. U. W.
 Three Painters, not to exceed C. U. W.
 One Painter and Grainer, not to exceed C. U. W.
 Four Plumbers, not to exceed C. U. W.
 Three Engineers, not to exceed C. U. W.

Section 21.

Department of Public Safety—Division of Accounts and Permits.

Chief Clerk \$ 2,280.00 per annum
 Assistant Chief Clerk 2,034.00 per annum
 Bookkeeper 2,034.00 per annum
 Clerk 1,830.00 per annum
 Two Clerks 1,692.00 each per annum
 Three Stenographer-Clerks 1,416.00 each per annum

Section 22.

Department of Public Safety—Division of Weights and Measures.

Chief Inspector \$ 2,550.00 per annum
 Assistant Chief Inspector 1,830.00 per annum
 Seven Inspectors 1,758.00 each per annum

Section 23.

Department of Public Safety—Division of Boiler Inspection.

Boiler Inspector \$ 2,496.00 per annum
 Two Assistant Boiler Inspectors 2,034.00 each per annum

Section 24.

Department of Public Safety—Bureau of Police.

Superintendent \$ 5,000.00 per annum
 Chief Clerk 2,280.00 per annum
 Stenographer-Clerk 2,034.00 per annum
 Stenographer 1,692.00 per annum
 Clerk 1,692.00 per annum
 Clerk 1,554.00 per annum
 Clerk 1,416.00 per annum
 Messenger 1,206.00 per annum
 Six District Commissioners 3,000.00 each per annum
 One Captain of Traffic 2,310.00 per annum
 One Lieutenant of Traffic 2,184.00 per annum
 Thirty-five Lieutenants 2,184.00 each per annum
 Forty-nine Sergeants 1,896.00 each per annum
 Seven Hundred and Eighty-six Patrolmen:
 First year 1,620.00 each per annum
 Second year 1,692.00 each per annum
 Third year 1,794.00 each per annum
 Fifty Sub-Patrolmen, at the rates hereinabove specified for Patrolmen.
 Sub-Patrolmen at the rates hereinabove specified, for assignment when regular Patrolmen are absent from duty.
 Market Officer 1,692.00 per annum

Captain of Detectives	3,300.00 per annum
Forty-six Detectives	2,070.00 each per annum
Three Signal Service Operators	1,692.00 each per annum
Five Women Police Auxiliaries	1,416.00 each per annum
Sixteen Matrons	1,278.00 each per annum
Four Cleaners	1,002.00 each per annum
Six Bridge Patrolmen	4.50 each per day
Police Guards	4.25 each per day
Fifteen Janitors	4.00 each per day
Nine Laborer-Hostlers	4.00 each per day
Labor Foreman	4.25 per day
Five Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 25.

Department of Public Safety—Bureau of Fire.

Chief	\$ 5,000.00 per annum
Eight District Chiefs	3,000.00 each per annum
Chief Clerk	2,940.00 per annum
Clerk	1,692.00 per annum
Storekeeper	1,554.00 per annum
Assistant Storekeeper	1,554.00 per annum
Two Training School Instructors	2,214.00 each per annum
Sixteen Fuel Wagon Drivers	1,866.00 each per annum
Ninety-eight Captains	2,142.00 each per annum
Forty-four Lieutenants	1,932.00 each per annum
Seventy-eight Engineers	1,968.00 each per annum
Seventy-eight Assistant Engineers	1,794.00 each per annum
One Hundred and Ninety-eight Drivers	1,866.00 each per annum
Three Hundred and Sixty-two Hosemen and Laddermen:	
First Year	1,620.00 each per annum
Second Year	1,692.00 each per annum
Third Year	1,794.00 each per annum
Thirty Substitute Hosemen and Laddermen for a period not exceeding six months in each year, at the rate hereinabove specified for Hosemen and Laddermen, for assignment when the regular employees of the Bureau of Fire are absent from duty on the annual vacations.	
Driver at Stable	4.00 per day

At the salaries herein fixed, the Chief, District Chiefs, Chief Clerk, Storekeeper, Training School Instructors, Captains, Lieutenants, Engineers, Assistant Engineers, Drivers, Laddermen and Hosemen in the Bureau of Fire shall be paid, together with the additional salary of thirty dollars each per annum, which said additional salary of thirty dollars each per annum shall be set aside in equal monthly installments by the City Controller and paid to the Firemen's Disability Board of the City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of making such employees beneficiaries in the Firemen's Disability Fund, subject to the provisions of Ordinance No. 19, Series 1919, approved February 6th, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 30, Page 183.

Section 26.

Department of Public Safety—Bureau of Electricity.

Superintendent	\$ 3,760.00 per annum
Deputy Superintendent	2,940.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	1,830.00 per annum
Assistant Engineer	2,208.00 per annum
Chief Fire Alarm Operator	1,968.00 per annum
Nine Fire Alarm Operators	1,896.00 each per annum
Five Police Box Inspectors	1,554.00 each per annum
Two Fire Alarm Box Inspectors	1,554.00 each per annum
Supervisor of Construction	2,208.00 per annum
Two Line Foremen	1,830.00 each per annum
Nine Linemen	1,692.00 each per annum
Battery Man	1,866.00 per annum
Instrument Repairman	1,866.00 per annum
Cable Splicer	1,830.00 per annum
Chaufeur	1,692.00 per annum
Storekeeper	1,416.00 per annum
Chief Telephone Operator	1,320.00 per annum
Eight Telephone Operators	1,206.00 each per annum

At the salaries herein fixed, the Superintendent, Deputy Superintendent, Chief Clerk, Assistant Engineer, Operators, Inspectors, Line Foremen, Linemen, Supervisor of Construction, Batteryman, Instrument Repairman, Cable Splicer, Chauffeur, and Storekeeper in the Bureau of Electricity, shall be paid together with the additional salary of thirty dollars each per annum, which said additional salary of thirty dollars each shall be set aside in equal monthly installments by the City Controller and paid to the Firemen's Disability Board for the use and purpose of the Firemen's Disability Fund of the City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of making such employees beneficiaries of said Fund, subject to the provisions of Ordinance No. 19, Series 1919, approved February 6th, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 30, Page 183.

Section 27.

Department of Public Safety—Bureau of Building Inspection.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	2,280.00 per annum
Clerk	1,830.00 per annum

Section 28.

Department of Public Safety—Division of Engineering.

Chief Engineer	\$ 3,600.00 per annum
Assistant Engineer	2,544.00 per annum
Two Assistant Engineers	2,346.00 each per annum
Inspector-Plan Examiner	2,034.00 per annum

Section 29.

Department of Public Safety—Division of Inspection.

Assistant Superintendent	\$ 2,940.00 per annum
Nine Building Construction Inspectors	2,172.00 each per annum
Two Elevator Inspectors	2,034.00 each per annum
Fire Escape Inspector	2,034.00 per annum
Sign Inspector	2,034.00 per annum
Plastering Inspector	2,172.00 per annum
Inspector of Explosives	2,034.00 per annum
Seven Patrol Inspector	1,554.00 each per annum
Assistant Chief Electric Wiring Inspector	2,280.00 per annum
Eight Electric Wiring Inspectors	1,896.00 each per annum

At the salaries herein fixed, the Assistant Chief Electric Wiring Inspector and the Electric Wiring Inspectors in the Bureau of Building Inspection shall be paid, together with the additional salary of thirty dollars each per annum, which said additional salary of thirty dollars each per annum shall be set aside in equal monthly installments by the City Controller and paid to the Firemen's Disability Board for the use and purpose of the Firemen's Disability Fund of the City of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of making such employees beneficiaries of said fund, subject to the provisions of Ordinance No. 19, Series 1919, approved February 6, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 30, Page 183.

Section 30.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Director	\$ 7,000.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	2,610.00 per annum
Bookkeeper	2,550.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,554.00 per annum
Chauffeur	1,452.00 per annum

Section 31.

Department of Health—Bureau of Infectious Diseases.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	2,280.00 per annum
Two Clerks	1,830.00 each per annum
Stenographer	1,416.00 per annum

Section 32.

Department of Health—Division of Registration.

Chief Statistical Clerk	\$ 2,208.00 per annum
Statistical Clerk	1,830.00 per annum

Section 33.

Department of Health—Division of Transmissible Diseases.

Chief Medical Inspector	\$ 2,940.00 per annum
Supervising Medical Inspector	2,280.00 per annum
Four Medical Inspectors	1,692.00 each per annum
Clerk	1,896.00 per annum
Clerk	1,458.00 per annum
Chief Disinfecter	1,692.00 per annum
Three Disinfectors	1,554.00 each per annum
Field Inspector	1,692.00 per annum
Two Field Nurses	1,416.00 each per annum
Four Field Nurses	1,344.00 each per annum
Six Field Nurses	1,278.00 each per annum
Quarantine Guards	4.00 each per day

Section 34.

Department of Health—Division of Bacteriology.

Director of Laboratory	\$ 3,378.00 per annum
Bacteriologist	2,940.00 per annum
Bacteriologist	2,280.00 per annum
Assistant Chemist and Bacteriologist	2,034.00 per annum
Clerk	1,692.00 per annum
Laboratory Assistant	1,692.00 per annum
Two Laboratory Assistants	1,344.00 each per annum
Two Sample Collectors	1,416.00 each per annum
Laboratory Cleaner	3.50 per day

Section 35.

Department of Health—Tuberculosis Hospital.

Superintendent	\$ 2,244.00 per annum
Chief Resident Physician	1,896.00 per annum
Two Assistant Resident Physicians	1,554.00 each per annum
Clerk	1,278.00 per annum
Clerk	1,038.00 per annum
Superintendent of Nurses	1,554.00 per annum
Ten Nurses	1,140.00 each per annum
Supervisor of Attendants	930.00 per annum
Three Orderlies	792.00 each per annum
General Maid	654.00 per annum
Four Ward Maids	588.00 each per annum
Three Maids	588.00 each per annum
Two Children's Assistants	654.00 each per annum
Two Scrubwomen	588.00 each per annum
Four Cleaners	864.00 each per annum
Chauffeur	1,380.00 per annum
Chief Cook	930.00 per annum
Two Assistant Cooks	654.00 each per annum
Farmer	1,038.00 per annum
Three Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Laundryman	3.75 per day
Three Laundresses	3.00 each per day
Four Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 36.

Department of Health—Municipal Hospital.

Superintendent	\$ 2,244.00 per annum
Clerk	1,278.00 per annum
Chauffeur	1,380.00 per annum
Resident Physician	2,748.00 per annum
Hospital Interne	1,206.00 per annum
Superintendent of Nurses	1,554.00 per annum
Night Superintendent of Nurses	1,206.00 per annum
Fourteen Nurses	1,140.00 each per annum
Seven Ward Assistants	684.00 each per annum
Five Orderlies	792.00 each per annum
Seamstress	930.00 per annum
Cook	930.00 per annum
Two Assistant Cooks	726.00 each per annum
Assistant Cook	684.00 per annum
Nurses, as needed	95.00 each per month
Orderlies, as needed	66.00 each per month
Ward Assistants, as needed	57.00 each per month
Three Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Two Watchmen	3.75 each per day
Laundryman	3.75 per day
Four Laundresses	3.00 each per day
Four Scrub Women	2.50 each per day
Four Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 37.

Department of Health—Bureau of Child Welfare.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum
Medical Service Inspector	1,692.00 per annum
Clerk	1,830.00 per annum
Clerk	1,554.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,482.00 per annum
Ten Medical Inspectors	2,280.00 each per annum
Twenty-two Medical Inspectors for ten months	190.00 each per month
Three Medical Inspectors for ten months	169.50 each per month

Seventeen Field Nurses	1,416.00 each per annum
Field Nurse	1,278.00 per annum
Eight Assistant Nurses	930.00 each per annum
Two Assistant Nurses	864.00 each per annum
Assistant Nurses	2.50 each per day

Section 38.

Department of Health—Bureau of Smoke Regulation.

Bureau Chief	\$ 4,000.00 per annum
Four Smoke Inspectors	2,034.00 each per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,482.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,206.00 per annum
Four Advisory Engineers	10.00 each per meeting

Section 39.

Department of Health—Bureau of Sanitation.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	2,500.00 per annum
Stenographer	1,416.00 per annum
Six Weighmasters	4.00 each per day
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 40.

Department of Health—Division of Plumbing and House Drainage.

Chief Plumbing Inspector	\$ 2,718.00 per annum
Assistant Chief Plumbing Inspector	2,280.00 per annum
Eleven Plumbing Inspectors	2,172.00 each per annum
Clerk	1,830.00 per annum
Plumbing Examiners	5.00 each per day

Section 41.

Department of Health—Division of Housing and Sanitary Inspection.

Chief of Division	\$ 2,496.00 per annum
Three Supervisors	2,034.00 each per annum
Clerk	1,830.00 per annum
Clerk	1,416.00 per annum
Stenographer	1,416.00 per annum
Twenty-nine Inspectors, one of whom shall be a female—	
First Year	1,554.00 each per annum
Second year	1,620.00 each per annum
Third year	1,728.00 each per annum

Section 42.

Department of Health—Bureau of Food Inspection.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	2,280.00 per annum
Stenographer	1,416.00 per annum

Section 43.

Department of Health—Division of Dairy Inspection.

Ten Dairy Inspectors	\$ 2,034.00 each per annum
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Section 44.

Department of Health—Division of Meat Inspection.

Chief Meat Inspector	\$ 2,280.00 per annum
Seven Meat Inspectors	2,034.00 each per annum

Section 45.

Department of Health—Division of Milk and Miscellaneous Food Inspection.

Chief Food Inspector	\$ 2,280.00 per annum
Assistant Food Inspector	2,034.00 per annum
Eight Food Inspectors	1,866.00 each per annum
Bacteriologist and Chemist	2,496.00 per annum
Assistant Chemist	1,896.00 per annum
Two Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 46.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES.

Director	\$ 6,500.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	2,610.00 per annum
Examiner	2,034.00 per annum
Cashier-Clerk	1,830.00 per annum

Chief Inspector	1,758.00	per annum
Two Inspectors	1,620.00	each per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,482.00	per annum
Messenger	1,416.00	per annum
Eleven District Physicians	1,458.00	each per annum

Section 47.

Department of Charities—City Home and Hospital, Mayview.

Medical Director and Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00	per annum
Resident Clerk	1,554.00	per annum
Clerk	930.00	per annum
Stenographer	1,068.00	per annum
Resident Physician	2,640.00	per annum
Assistant Resident Physician	2,214.00	per annum
Two Junior Physicians	1,896.00	each per annum
Dentist	1,692.00	per annum
Hospital Steward and Ph. G.	1,554.00	per annum
Dietitian	1,278.00	per annum
Laborator Assistant and Clerk	1,140.00	per annum
Two Supervisors, Male Asylum	1,002.00	each per annum
Two Supervisors	930.00	each per annum
Asylum Attendants		
First Year, Male	654.00	each per annum
Second Year, Male	726.00	each per annum
Third Year, Male	792.00	each per annum
Fourth Year, Male	864.00	each per annum
Fifth Year, Male	930.00	each per annum
Asylum Attendants		
First Year, Female	588.00	each per annum
Second Year, Female	654.00	each per annum
Third Year, Female	726.00	each per annum
Fourth Year, Female	792.00	each per annum
Fifth Year, Female	864.00	each per annum
Supervisor (Male Hospital)	864.00	per annum
Male Nurse (Male Hospital)	726.00	per annum
Registered Nurse in Charge (Female Hospital)	1,278.00	per annum
Two Registered Nurses (Female Hospital)	864.00	each per annum
Supervisor Tubercular Hospital	1,002.00	per annum
Two Chaplains (Protestants)	1,002.00	each per annum
Chaplain (Catholic)	1,002.00	per annum
Supervisor Male Home	792.00	per annum
Matron Female Home	726.00	per annum
Matron Administration Building	654.00	per annum
Storekeeper	1,278.00	per annum
Assistant Storekeeper	1,278.00	per annum
Two Dining Room Maids	654.00	each per annum
Two Officers' Cooks	864.00	each per annum
Officers' Cook	792.00	per annum
Tubercular Hospital Cook	792.00	per annum
Inmates' Cook	654.00	per annum
Head Laundress	726.00	per annum
Laundress	726.00	per annum
Assistant Laundress	654.00	per annum
Tailor	864.00	per annum
Dairyman	864.00	per annum
Organist	138.00	per annum
Three Watchmen	792.00	each per annum
Poultryman	1,554.00	per annum
Farmer	1,554.00	per annum
Assistant Farmer	864.00	per annum
Gardener	1,278.00	per annum
Four Drivers	726.00	each per annum
Chief Engineer, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Three Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Four Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Electrical Engineer, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Steam Fitter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Two Plumbers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Baker, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Repairmen	4.25	each per day
Laborers, not to exceed	3.25	each per day
Mine Foreman	2,310.00	per annum
Two Day Men, not to exceed	5.75	each per day
Driver, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Dump and Weight Man, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Engineer, not to exceed	C. U. W.	

Blacksmith, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Miners, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Cutters, not to exceed	C. U. W.

Section 48.

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

Director	\$ 6,500.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	3,150.00 per annum
Auditor	2,544.00 per annum
Bookkeeper	1,830.00 per annum
Clerk	2,034.00 per annum
Clerk	1,692.00 per annum
Clerk	1,554.00 per annum
Clerk	1,482.00 per annum
Clerk	1,416.00 per annum
Two Clerks	1,206.00 each per annum
Clerk	1,140.00 per annum
Stenographer	1,482.00 per annum
Stenographer	1,416.00 per annum
Messenger	1,416.00 per annum
Senior Storekeeper	1,692.00 per annum
Two Drivers	4.50 each per day
Two Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 49.

BOARD OF WATER ASSESSORS.

Chairman of Board	\$ 4,000.00 per annum
Two Members of Board	3,600.00 each per annum
Chief Clerk	2,208.00 per annum
Adjuster	2,034.00 per annum
Seven Meter Clerks	1,620.00 each per annum
Stenographer	1,416.00 per annum
Twenty-two Rate and Assessment Clerks	1,620.00 each per annum
Addressograph Operator	1,844.00 per annum

Section 50.

CARNEGIE FREE LIBRARY OF ALLEGHENY.

Librarian and Custodian of Building	\$ 4,000.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,206.00 per annum
Head Library Assistant	2,244.00 per annum
Cataloguer	1,518.00 per annum
Assistant Cataloguer	1,380.00 per annum
Children's Librarian	1,590.00 per annum
Two Library Assistants	1,452.00 each per annum
Two Library Assistants	1,380.00 each per annum
Three Library Sub-Assistants	1,176.00 each per annum
Four Library Sub-Assistants	1,104.00 each per annum
Two Library Sub-Assistants	966.00 each per annum
Apprentice	900.00 per annum
Three Apprentices	828.00 each per annum
Four Apprentices	690.00 each per annum
Organist	1,692.00 per annum
Engineer, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Two Sunday Assistants	4.25 each per day
Sunday Assistant	2.75 per day
Head Janitor	1,554.00 per annum
Three Janitors	4.00 each per day
Six Cleaners	1,002.00 each per annum
Branch Librarian	1,728.00 per annum
Library Sub-Assistant	1,176.00 per annum
Library Sub-Assistant	1,104.00 per annum
Cleaner	1,002.00 per annum

Section 51.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Director	\$ 8,000.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	3,960.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	2,034.00 per annum
Stenographer	1,692.00 per annum
Messenger	1,416.00 per annum
Two Photographers	1,692.00 each per annum
Chauffeur	1,692.00 per annum

Section 52.

Department of Public Works—Division of Accounting.

Chief Accountant	\$ 3,468.00 per annum
Three Accountants	2,310.00 each per annum
Clerk	2,034.00 per annum
Clerk	1,692.00 per annum
Clerk	1,416.00 per annum
Clerk	1,758.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,830.00 per annum
Two Stenographer-Clerks	1,416.00 each per annum

Section 53.

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Engineering.

Chief Engineer	\$ 6,000.00 per annum
Three Assistant Engineers	4,000.00 each per annum
Chief Clerk	2,280.00 per annum
Clerk	1,728.00 per annum
Contract Clerk	1,830.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	2,034.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,554.00 per annum
Five Stenographers	1,416.00 each per annum
File Clerk	1,380.00 per annum

Section 54.

Department of Public Works—Division of Surveys.

Assistant Chief Engineer	\$ 5,000.00 per annum
Division Engineer	4,000.00 per annum
Nine Assistant Engineers	2,544.00 each per annum
Twelve Engineering Draftsmen	2,034.00 each per annum
Counter Clerk	1,692.00 per annum
Counter Clerk	1,830.00 per annum
Eight Transmitters	1,830.00 each per annum
Eight Rodmen	1,416.00 each per annum
Sixteen Chainmen	1,344.00 each per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,554.00 per annum
Laborers	4.00 each per day
Auto Truck Driver	4.45 per day

Section 55.

Department of Public Works—Division of Street Signs.

Public Works Inspector	\$ 1,518.00 per annum
Two Sign Repairmen	1,206.00 each per annum

Section 56.

Department of Public Works—Division of Design.

Two Division Engineers	\$ 3,600.00 each per annum
Six Assistant Engineers	2,544.00 each per annum
Designing Draftsman	2,172.00 per annum
Twenty Engineering Draftsmen	2,034.00 each per annum
Counter Clerk	1,692.00 per annum
Index Clerk	1,692.00 per annum

Section 57.

Department of Public Works—Division of Bridges.

Division Engineer	\$ 3,600.00 per annum
Three Assistant Engineers	2,544.00 each per annum
Architect	3,600.00 per annum
Two Designing Architectural Draftsmen	2,970.00 each per annum
Architectural Draftsman	2,310.00 per annum
Architectural Draftsman	1,692.00 per annum
Two Designing Draftsmen	2,346.00 each per annum
Designing Draftsman	2,172.00 per annum
Engineering Draftsman	2,034.00 per annum
Field Assistant	2,070.00 per annum
Chief Inspector	2,070.00 per annum
Public Works Inspectors	5.25 each per day
Three Transmitters	1,830.00 each per annum
Three Rodmen	1,416.00 each per annum
Four Chainmen	1,344.00 each per annum
General Foreman	2,106.00 per annum
Foreman of Painters	2,106.00 per annum
Driver	4.25 per day
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Bridge Painters, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Structural Iron Workers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 58.

Department of Public Works—Division of Sewers.

Division Engineer	\$ 3,600 per annum
Seven Assistant Engineers.....	2,544.00 each per annum
Seven Transmitters	1,830.00 each per annum
Seven Rodmen	1,416.00 each per annum
Twelve Chainmen	1,344.00 each per annum
Assistant Chief Inspector	2,034.00 per annum
Public Works Inspectors.....	5.25 each per day

Section 59.

Department of Public Works—Division of Streets.

Division Engineer	\$ 3,600.00 per annum
Eight Assistant Engineers	2,544.00 each per annum
Eight Transmitters	1,830.00 each per annum
Eight Rodmen	1,416.00 each per annum
Twelve Chainmen	1,344.00 each per annum
Assistant Chief Inspector.....	2,034.00 per annum
Public Works Inspectors	5.25 each per day

Section 60.

Department of Public Works—Division of Parks and Playgrounds.

Division Engineer	\$ 3,600.00 per annum
Two Assistant Engineers	2,544.00 each per annum
Two Transmitters	1,830.00 each per annum
Two Rodmen	1,416.00 each per annum
Four Chainmen	1,344.00 each per annum

Section 61.

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Deed Registry.

Register of Deeds	\$ 2,442.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	2,034.00 per annum
Plotting Clerk	1,692.00 per annum
Two Clerks	1,416.00 each per annum
Two Clerks	1,380.00 each per annum

Section 62.

Department of Public Works—Highways and Sewers—General Office.

Superintendent	\$ 4,500.00 per annum
Assistant Superintendent	3,852.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	2,280.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,692.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,416.00 per annum
Three Clerks	1,692.00 each per annum

Section 63.

Department of Public Works—Highways and Sewers—Division Offices.

Seven District Supervisors	\$ 2,334.00 each per annum
Seven Clerks	1,692.00 each per annum
Seven District Foremen	1,866.00 each per annum
Forty-two Street Foremen	1,692.00 each per annum
Foreman of Carpenters	2,034.00 per annum
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Carpenters' Helpers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Painters, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Pavers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Rammers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Bricklayers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Bricklayers' Helpers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Auto Truck Drivers	4.45 each per day
Fourteen Stable Foremen	4.50 each per day
Drivers	4.25 each per day
Repairmen	4.25 each per day
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 64.

Department of Public Works—Division of Public Utilities.

Division Engineer	\$ 3,600.00 per annum
Engineering Draftsman	2,034.00 per annum
Transitman	1,830.00 per annum
Five Public Service Inspectors	1,692.00 each per annum

Section 65.

Department of Public Works—Asphalt Plant.

Superintendent	\$ 3,960.00	per annum
Assistant Superintendent	2,298.00	per annum
Three Clerks	1,692.00	each per annum
General Foreman	2,034.00	per annum
Plant Foreman	1,830.00	per annum
Six Street Foremen	1,830.00	each per annum
Auto Truck Drivers	4.45	each per day
Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Roller Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Pavers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Rammers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Bricklayers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Painters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Rakers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Tampers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Mixer Men, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Hot Shovelers	4.40	each per day
Plant Laborers	4.40	each per day
Laborers	4.00	each per day

Section 66.

Department of Public Works—Bureau of City Property.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00	per annum
Chief Clerk	2,034.00	per annum
Librarian-Clerk	1,692.00	per annum
Collector-Clerks	1,692.00	per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,482.00	per annum

Section 67.

Department of Public Works—City-County Building.

Deputy Superintendent	\$ 2,400.00	per annum
Janitor-Engineer	2,070.00	per annum
Four Elevator Operators	1,344.00	each per annum
Thirty-six Cleaners	1,002.00	each per annum
Three Watchmen	4.50	each per day
Three Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Oiler, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Thirty Laborers	4.00	each per day
Electrician, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Steam Fitter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Repairman, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.	

Section 68.

Department of Public Works—North Side Municipal Hall.

Janitor	\$ 1,680.00	per annum
Four Cleaners	1,002.00	each per annum
Watchman	4.25	each per day

Section 69.

Department of Public Works—Diamond Market.

Clerk	\$ 2,034.00	per annum
Clerk, Wharf Market	1,344.00	per annum
Three Constables	1,416.00	each per annum
Eleven Elevator Operators	1,206.00	each per annum
Two Cleaners	1,002.00	each per annum
Two Watchmen	4.50	each per day
Three Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.	
Driver	4.25	per day
Laborers	4.00	each per day

Section 70.

Department of Public Works—North Side Market.

Clerk	\$ 2,298.00	per annum
Two Female Attendants	1,068.00	each per annum
Watchman	4.50	per day
Laborers	4.00	each per day

Section 71.

Department of Public Works—Adams Market.

Sweeper	\$ 732.00	per annum
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Section 72.

Department of Public Works—South Side Market.

Constable	\$ 1,416.00 per annum
Clerk	1,518.00 per annum
Two Cleaners	1,002.00 each per annum
Watchman	4.25 per day
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 73.

Department of Public Works—Wharves and Landings.

Wharfmaster	\$ 2,034.00 per annum
Assistant Wharfmaster	1,692.00 per annum
Labor Foreman	4.75 per day
Five Watchmen	4.50 each per day
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 74.

Department of Public Works—Comfort Houses.

Nineteen Male Attendants	\$ 1,176.00 each per annum
Nineteen Female Attendants	1,176.00 each per annum

Section 75.

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Water.

Managing Engineer	\$ 6,000.00 per annum
Stenographer	1,692.00 per annum

Section 76.

Department of Public Works—Water Accounting Division.

Chief Clerk	\$ 2,280.00 per annum
Clerk	1,896.00 per annum
Clerk	1,692.00 per annum
Photographer	1,692.00 per annum
Three Telephone Clerks	4.50 each per day
Auto Driver	4.00 per day

Section 77.

Department of Public Works—Water Filtration Division.

Division Superintendent	\$ 3,960.00 per annum
Assistant Division Superintendent	2,544.00 per annum
Clerk	1,896.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,544.00 per annum
Telephone Clerk	1,278.00 per annum
Chief Analyst	2,610.00 per annum
Bacteriologist	2,034.00 per annum
Junior Chemist	1,692.00 per annum
Junior Bacteriologist	1,554.00 per annum
Two Laboratory Assistants	1,416.00 each per annum
Three Filter Foremen	2,034.00 each per annum
Designing Draftsman	2,172.00 per annum
Rodman	1,416.00 per annum
Two Public Works Inspectors	1,692.00 each per annum
Two Sample Collectors	3.75 each per day
Three Gate Mechanics	4.50 each per day
Filter Attendant	4.75 per day
Nine Assistant Filter Attendants	4.40 each per day
Machinist, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Machinist's Helper, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Electrician, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Plumber, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Four Watchmen	4.00 each per day
Three Labor Foremen	4.65 each per day
Driver	4.25 per day
Laborers	4.40 each per day

Section 78.

Department of Public Works—Water Mechanical Division.

Division Superintendent	\$ 3,960.00 per annum
Division Engineer	2,940.00 per annum
Assistant Engineer	2,544.00 per annum
Division Clerk	1,896.00 per annum

Stenographer	1,416.00 per annum
Stenographer	1,344.00 per annum
Chief Draftsman	2,544.00 per annum
Four Designing Draftsmen	2,172.00 each per annum
Two Engineering Draftsmen	2,034.00 each per annum
Two Engineering Draftsmen	1,692.00 each per annum
Two Transistmen	1,830.00 each per annum
Two Rodmen	1,416.00 each per annum
Four Chainmen	1,344.00 each per annum
Two Inspectors of Machinery and Castings	2,034.00 each per annum
Three Public Works Inspectors	1,692.00 each per annum
Bricklayers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Electricians, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Steamfitters, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Steamfitters' Helpers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Painters, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Machinists, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Blacksmiths, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Blacksmiths' Helpers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Repair Foreman	2,034.00 per annum
Drivers	4.25 each per day
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 79.

Department of Public Works—Brilliant Pumping Station.

Chief Engineer	\$ 2,940.00 per annum
Clerk	1,554.00 per annum
Three First Assistant Engineers	6.25 each per day
Three Second Assistant Engineers	5.50 each per day
Three Feed Water Tenders, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Sixteen Oilers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Six Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Boiler Tender, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Boiler Tender Helper, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Coal Tender, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Four Repairmen, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 80.

Department of Public Works—Aspinwall Pumping Station.

Chief Engineer	\$ 2,940.00 per annum
Clerk	1,416.00 per annum
Three First Assistant Engineers	6.25 each per day
Three Second Assistant Engineers	5.50 each per day
Six Oilers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Three Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Boiler Tender, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Boiler Tender Helper, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Two Repairmen, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Coal Tender, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 81.

Department of Public Works—Ross Pumping Station.

Chief Engineer	\$ 2,940.00 per annum
Clerk	1,416.00 per annum
Three First Assistant Engineers	6.25 each per day
Three Second Assistant Engineers	5.50 each per day
Twelve Oilers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Three Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Boiler Tender, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Repairmen, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Coal Tender, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 82.

Department of Public Works—Herron Hill Pumping Station.

Chief Engineer	\$ 2,376.00 per annum
Three First Assistant Engineers	5.75 each per day
Three Second Assistant Engineers	5.00 each per day
Three Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Boiler Tender, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 83.

Department of Public Works—Mission Street Pumping Station.

Chief Engineer	\$ 2,376.00 per annum
Three First Assistant Engineers	5.75 each per day
Three Second Assistant Engineers	5.00 each per day
Three Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Repairman, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 84.

Department of Public Works—Howard Street Pumping Station.

Chief Engineer	\$ 2,376.00 per annum
Three First Assistant Engineers	5.75 each per day
Three Second Assistant Engineers	5.00 each per day
Six Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Boiler Tender, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Boiler Tender Helper, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Two Repairmen	C. U. W.
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 85.

Department of Public Works—Lincoln Pumping Station.

Chief Engineer	\$ 1,896.00 per annum
Two First Assistant Engineers	1,758.00 each per annum

Section 86.

Department of Public Works—Greentree Pumping Station.

Chief Engineer	\$ 1,896.00 per annum
Assistant Engineer	1,620.00 per annum
Repairman, not to exceed	C. U. W.

Section 87.

Department of Public Works—Montrose Pumping Station.

Three Firemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Laborers	\$ 4.00 each per day

Section 88.

Department of Public Works—Water Distribution Division.

Division Superintendent	\$ 3,960.00 per annum
Division Clerk	1,896.00 per annum
Four Clerks	1,692.00 each per annum
Three Clerks	1,482.00 each per annum
Three Stenographer-Clerks	1,482.00 each per annum
Two Division Engineers	3,048.00 each per annum
Four Assistant Engineers	2,544.00 each per annum
Four Designing Draftsmen	2,172.00 each per annum
Two Engineering Draftsmen	2,034.00 each per annum
Transitman	1,830.00 per annum
Two Rodmen	1,416.00 each per annum
Two Chainmen	1,344.00 each per annum
Five Storekeepers	1,544.00 each per annum
Chief Service Inspector	2,208.00 per annum
Meter Repairmen	4.25 each per day
Chief Hydrant Inspector	2,034.00 per annum
Chief Pipe Line Inspector	2,034.00 per annum
Inspector of Machinery and Castings	2,034.00 per annum
Two Public Works Inspectors	1,692.00 each per annum
Service Inspectors	4.50 each per day
Supervisor of Pipe Lines	2,496.00 per annum
Five Assistant Supervisors of Pipe Lines	2,034.00 each per annum
General Service Foreman	2,208.00 per annum
Two Assistant General Service Foremen	1,692.00 each per annum
Three Watchmen	1,068.00 each per annum
Three Gauge Readers	4.25 each per day
Foremen	4.50 each per day
Drillers	4.50 each per day
Pipemen	4.25 each per day
Caulkers	3.75 each per day
Auto Drivers	4.00 each per day
Drivers	4.25 each per day
Watchmen	4.00 each per day
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Plumbers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Blacksmiths, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Blacksmiths' Helpers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Painters, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Bricklayers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Cement Finishers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Pavers, not to exceed	C. U. W.

Section 89.

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Light.

Superintendent	\$ 3,270.00 per annum
Assistant Superintendent	2,496.00 per annum
Clerk	2,208.00 per annum
Foremen of Construction	2,034.00 per annum
Foreman of Laborers	1,692.00 per annum
Three Engineers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Five Linemen, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Linemen's Helper, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Two Electric Repairmen, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Lamp Mechanic, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Two Light Inspectors, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Two Trimmers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Two Engine Room Laborers, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Janitor	4.00 per day
Two Drivers	4.25 each per day
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 90.

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Parks.

Superintendent	\$ 4,500.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	2,208.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,620.00 per annum
Clerk	1,416.00 per annum

Section 91.

Schenley Park.

Two Park Foremen	\$ 4.25 each per day
Five Watchmen	4.00 each per day
Two Tennis Court Attendants	3.75 each per day
Engineer, Steam Roller, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Foreman, Merry-go-round	4.50 per day
Two Helpers, Merry-go-round	4.50 each per day
Nursery Foreman	2,034.00 per annum
Golf Instructor	118.00 per month
Foreman, Golf Grounds	4.25 per day
Stable Foreman	4.25 per day
Assistant Stable Foreman	4.25 per day
Six Drivers	4.25 each per day
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 92.

Conservatory.

Conservatory Foreman	\$ 2,280.00 per annum
Mechanical Foreman	2,034.00 per annum
Nine Florists	1,710.00 each per annum
Female Attendant	1,002.00 per annum
Cleaner	1,002.00 per annum
Assistant Mechanical Foreman	4.25 per day
Three Assistant Florists	4.25 each per day
Four Greenhouse Attendants	4.25 each per day
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 93.

Conservatory, North Side.

Four Florists	\$ 1,710.00 each per annum
Four Greenhouse Attendants	4.25 each per day
Mechanical Foreman	4.50 per day
Assistant Mechanical Foreman	4.25 per day
Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 94.

Small Parks.

Foreman, Friendship Park	\$ 4.25 per day
Foreman, Arsenal Park	4.25 per day
Foreman, Grandview Park	4.25 per day
Foreman, West End Park	4.25 per day
Foreman, McKinley Park	4.25 per day
Foreman, Olympia Park	4.25 per day
Foreman, Lawrenceville Park	4.25 per day
Foreman, Holliday Park	4.25 per day
Foreman, Herron Hill Park	4.25 per day
Foreman, Westinghouse Park	4.25 per day
Foreman, Merry-go-round, Grandview Park	4.25 per day
Two Helpers, Merry-go-round, Grandview Park	3.50 each per day
Watchman, McKinley Park	4.00 per day
Watchman, Olympia Park	4.00 per day
Tennis Court Attendant, McKinley Park	3.75 per day
Tennis Court Attendant, Olympia Park	3.75 per day
Laborers	4.00 per day

Section 95.

Highland Park.

Park Supervisor	\$ 2,034.00 per annum
Watchman	1,600.00 per annum
Two Greenhouse Attendants	4.25 each per day
Park Foreman	4.25 per day
Stable Foreman	4.25 per day
Assistant Stable Foreman	4.25 per day
Three Drivers	4.25 each per day
Carpenter, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Laborers	4.00 each per day
Three Watchmen	4.00 each per day
Tennis Court Attendant	3.75 per day

Section 96.

Highland Park Zoo.

Head Keeper	\$ 2,034.00 per annum
Engineer, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Painter, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Six Animal Keepers	4.50 each per day
Two Watchmen	4.00 each per day
Engine Room Laborer	4.50 per day
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 97.

Riverview Park, North Side.

Park Supervisor	\$ 2,034.00 per annum
Eight Watchmen	4.00 each per day
Two Tennis Court Attendants	3.75 each per day
Three Drivers	4.25 each per day
Foreman, Merry-go-round	4.50 per day
Two Helpers, Merry-go-round	3.50 each per day
Greenhouse Attendant	4.25 per day
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 98.

West Park, North Side.

Park Supervisor	\$ 2,748.00 per annum
Clerk	1,344.00 per annum
Two Park Foremen	4.25 each per day
Watchman	4.00 per day
Tennis Court Attendant	3.75 per day
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 99.

Shade Trees.

Forester	\$ 2,034.00 per annum
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 100.

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Tests.

Director of Tests	\$ 2,940.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,416.00 per annum
Chemist	2,280.00 per annum
Junior Chemist	1,692.00 per annum
Laboratory Assistant	1,278.00 per annum

Section 101.

Department of Public Works—Bureau of Recreation.

Superintendent	\$ 4,000.00 per annum
Assistant Superintendent	3,432.00 per annum
Chief Clerk	1,800.00 per annum
Stenographer-Clerk	1,554.00 per annum
Stenographer	1,176.00 per annum
Male Supervisor of Physical Training for Eight Months.....	209.00 per month
Female Supervisor of Physical Training for Eight Months.....	203.50 per month
Female Supervisor of Playgrounds for Nine Months	203.50 per month
Carpenters, not to exceed	C. U. W.
Laborers	4.00 each per day

Section 102.

Washington Park.

Recreation Director	\$ 2,208.00 per annum
Male Physical Director for Ten Months.....	126.50 per month
Female Physical Director for Ten Months.....	132.50 per month
Playground Director for Ten Months.....	106.50 per month
Assistant Playground Director for Ten Months.....	86.50 per month
Accompanist for Ten Months	106.50 per month
Play Leader, for Ten Months	98.00 per month
Caretaker	1,278.00 per annum
Assistant Caretaker	1,140.00 per annum
Matron	864.00 per annum

Section 103.

Ormsby Park.

Recreation Director	\$ 2,208.00 per annum
Male Physical Director for Ten Months.....	126.50 per month
Female Physical Director for Ten Months.....	132.50 per month
Playground Director for Ten Months.....	109.50 per month
Assistant Playground Director for Ten Months.....	86.50 per month
Accompanist for Ten Months	106.50 per month
Play Leader for Ten Months	86.50 per month
Matron	930.00 per annum
Caretaker	1,206.00 per annum
Assistant Caretaker	1,140.00 per annum

Section 104.

Lawrence Park.

Recreation Director	\$ 2,208.00 per annum
Male Physical Director for Ten Months.....	126.50 per month
Female Physical Director for Ten Months.....	132.50 per month
Playground Director for Ten Months.....	115.00 per month
Accompanist for Ten Months	106.50 per month
Caretaker	1,278.00 per annum
Assistant Caretaker	1,140.00 per annum
Matron	1,002.00 per annum
Playground Director Assistant for Ten Months.....	106.50 per month

Section 105.

Warrington Park.

Recreation Director	\$ 2,034.00 per annum
Male Physical Director for Ten Months.....	138.00 per month
Female Physical Director for Ten Months.....	132.50 per month
Playground Director for Ten Months.....	109.50 per month
Play Leader for Ten Months	92.00 per month
Accompanist for Ten Months	106.50 per month
Caretaker	1,140.00 per annum
Matron	864.00 per annum

Section 106.

West Penn Park.

Male Physical Director for Ten Months.....	\$ 138.00 per month
Female Physical Director for Ten Months.....	115.00 per month
Playground Director for Ten Months	113.00 per month
Assistant Playground Director for Ten Months.....	86.50 per month
Accompanist for Ten Months	106.50 per month
Caretaker	1,416.00 per annum
Assistant Caretaker	1,140.00 per annum
Matron	864.00 per annum

Section 107.

Arsenal Park.

Male Physical Director for Ten Months.....	\$ 138.00 per month
Female Physical Director for Ten Months.....	115.00 per month
Playground Director for Ten Months	115.00 per month
Assistant Playground Director for Ten Months.....	86.50 per month
Accompanist for Ten Months	106.50 per month
Caretaker	1,140.00 per annum

Section 108.

South Side Park.

Male Physical Director for Ten Months.....	\$ 138.00 per month
Female Physical Director for Ten Months.....	106.50 per month
Female Playleader for Ten Months	109.50 per month
Caretaker	1,278.00 per annum

Section 109.

Ream Park.

Male Physical Director	\$ 4.25 per day
Female Physical Director	4.25 per day
Playground Director	3.75 per day
Playground Assistant	3.05 per day
Caretaker	1,140.00 per annum

Section 110.

Lewis Park.

Female Physical Director	\$ 132.50 per month
Playground Director	115.00 per month
Playground Assistant	103.50 per month
Accompanist	98.00 per month
Matron	966.00 per annum

Section 110 1/2.

Summer Playgrounds.

Eighteen Male Physical Directors.....	\$ 4.25 each per day
Eighteen Female Physical Directors.....	4.25 each per day
Eighteen Playground Directors	3.75 each per day
Eighteen Playground Assistants.....	3.05 each per day

Section 111.

Brushton Pool.

Caretaker	\$ 1,140.00 per annum
Two Swimming Guards	3.75 each per day
Two Swimming Guard Helpers	3.05 each per day
Seamstress	3.05 per day

Section 112.

Ormsby Pool.

Swimming Guard	\$ 4.25 per day
Three Swimming Guards	3.75 each per day
Two Swimming Guard Helpers	3.05 per day
Seamstress	3.05 per day

Section 113.

Lawrence Swimming Pool.

Swimming Guard	\$ 4.25 per day
Three Swimming Guards	3.75 each per day
Two Swimming Guard Helpers	3.05 each per day
Seamstress	3.05 per day

Section 114. Wherever "C. U. W." appears in the foregoing Ordinance same shall be understood to mean the current rate of union wages paid to others doing similar work or service outside the City employ.

Section 115. All positions herein designated, not heretofore existing, shall be and the same are hereby created and established at the salaries or wages herein prescribed, and the proper City officers are hereby authorized to fill such positions in the manner prescribed by law.

Section 116. All Ordinances creating positions or fixing salaries other than those herein enumerated are hereby repealed.

Section 117. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance, with the exception of Ordinance No. 48, approved February 7, 1917, and recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 28, Page 329, and Ordinance No. 19, approved February 6, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book Volume 30, Page 183.

Passed December 20, 1919.

Pittsburgh, Pa.
January 2, 1920.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance, which has been disapproved by the Mayor and returned with his objections to the Council, was passed by a two-thirds vote of said Council, this 2nd day of January, A. D., 1920.

E. J. MARTIN,
Clerk of Council.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 46.

No. 435

AN ORDINANCE—Creating the Division of Accounts and Permits, in the Department of Public Safety, prescribing the duties of said division and fixing the number and compensation of employees thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That there is hereby created a Division of Accounts and Permits, to be attached to and under the control of the Department of Public Safety, whose duty it shall be to have supervision and maintenance of such accounting and other clerical records, and to issue and record permits and licenses, as may be required by law or Ordinance, in such

manner and form as may be prescribed by the Director of the Department of Public Safety.

Section 2. The number and salaries of employees of the Division of Accounts and Permits, Department of Public Safety, shall be and the same are hereby fixed as the same appear in an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof."

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 29, 1919.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 75.

No. 436

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to execute a contract of lease with the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company for a certain parcel of land just west of Frazier Viaduct at Laughlin Junction.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works are hereby authorized and directed to execute a contract of lease with the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company for a certain parcel of land just west of Frazier Viaduct at Laughlin Junction. Said land to be described and defined by plan or blueprint attached to said lease when executed for an annual rental of \$5.00, payable in advance from August 1st, 1919. Said ground so leased to be used as a City Playground by the Bureau of Recreation. All City taxes against said premises are to be assumed by the City for such period of time as said tenancy may continue, and said lease to be terminable on thirty (30) days' notice from lessor.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 29, 1919.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 76.

No. 437

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts jointly, with the County Commissioners, for additional work on the City-County Building, and providing for the payment of the cost of the City's share thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works be and they are hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract or contracts jointly with the County Commissioners of Allegheny County for additional work on the City-County Building within the square bounded by Grant street, Ross street, Diamond street and Fourth avenue, City of Pittsburgh, and to enter into a contract or contracts jointly with said County Commissioners with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and Ordinances governing the said City.

Section 2. The said contract or contracts shall provide that the City shall pay for the costs of the part of the building owned by it, being one-half the total cost involved in the erection and construction of the building complete, in accordance with the architect's plans and specifications. That for the payment of the City's portion of the costs thereof the sum of \$5,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby set apart and appropriated from Appropriation No. 156, "City Hall Bonds," and the Mayor and Director are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and the Controller to countersign warrants drawn on said funds for the payment of the costs of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 29, 1919.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 76.

No. 438

AN ORDINANCE—Repealing an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for the recon-

struction of a retaining wall on Leander street, between Rust way and the westerly terminus thereof, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," approved July 11th, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30, Page 372.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That an Ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for and to award a contract or contracts for the reconstruction of a retaining wall on Leander street, between Rust way and the westerly terminus thereof, and authorizing the setting aside the sum of \$20,000.00 from Code Account 1490-G, Retaining Wall Schedule, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, for the payment of the costs thereof," approved July 11th, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 30, Page 372, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 29, 1919.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 77.

No. 439

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise for proposals and award a contract or contracts for making repairs to the street pavement on Wheatland street near Greenfield Avenue Bridge, and providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for making repairs to the street pavement on Wheatland street near Greenfield Avenue Bridge, and to enter into a contract or contracts with the successful bidder or bidders for the performance of the work in accordance with the laws and Ordinances governing said City.

Section 2. That for the payment of the costs thereof the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby set apart and

appropriated from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, and the Mayor and the Controller are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants in payment of the cost of said work.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 29, 1919.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 78.

No. 440

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) motor truck (two-ton capacity), for the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be, and are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for furnishing one (1) motor truck, two-ton capacity, at a total cost not to exceed two thousand eight hundred dollars (\$2,800.00), in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7th, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the Ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided, the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1666, "Equipment," Bureau of Water.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 29, 1919.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 79.

No. 441

AN ORDINANCE—Providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for the furnishing of one (1) motor truck chassis (one-ton capacity), for the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be, and are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract or contracts to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for furnishing one (1) motor truck chassis, one-ton capacity, at a cost not to exceed six hundred fifty dollars (\$650.00), in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled, "An Act for the government of cities of the second class," approved March 7th, A. D. 1901, and the various supplements and amendments thereto and the Ordinances of Council in such cases made and provided, the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1666, "Equipment," Bureau of Water.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed December 29, 1919.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 79.

No. 442

AN ORDINANCE—Creating and establishing a Division under the control and direction of the Mayor to be known as the "Municipal Garage and Repair Shops," prescribing the duties of said Division and fixing the number of employees and the compensation thereof.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same,* That from and after January 1, 1920, there shall be erected and established, under the control and direction of the Mayor, a Division known as the "Municipal Garage and Repair Shops."

Section 2. The Superintendent of the Municipal Garage and Repair Shops shall have the custody of all passenger automobiles kept at the Municipal Garage; shall furnish all supplies therefor, and shall maintain said automobiles in good condition, and shall deliver them for use only upon written requisition of the Mayor, heads of departments and bureaus.

This shall not apply to Council's car, which shall be under the jurisdiction of the City Clerks, and shall be available for the use of Council or members thereof.

Section 3. The Superintendent of the Municipal Garage and Repair Shops

shall furnish all supplies for and maintain in good condition for use all passenger automobiles, auto trucks, police patrol wagons, ambulances, motor cycles, street flushers, motorized or horse-driven fire apparatus belonging to any City department or bureau wherever kept.

Section 4. The Superintendent of the Municipal Garage and Repair Shops shall approve in writing all requisitions for the purchase of motor vehicle apparatus, appliances, appurtenances or supplies therefor operated or used by any City department or bureau.

Section 5. The Superintendent of the Municipal Garage shall keep a correct inventory and be held strictly responsible for all motor vehicles placed in his custody, and for all supplies, materials and equipment requisitioned by him, and no bill for repairs to any city-owned motor vehicle shall be paid without his written approval.

Section 6. The said Superintendent of Municipal Garage and Repair Shops shall keep and maintain a full and adequate record of each and every occasion on which a passenger automobile is sent out by him, such record showing the name of the user, the chauffeur's identification number, time left the garage, time of return to garage and the distance traveled. He shall also maintain a correct monthly record of the cost of operating and maintaining each motor vehicle over which he has supervision.

Section 7. The number and salaries of employees of the Municipal Garage and Repair Shops shall be and the same are hereby fixed as the same appear in an "Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof."

Section 8. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 2, 1920.

Approved January 12, 1920.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 80.

No. 443

AN ORDINANCE—Creating the Division of Fire Prevention in the Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Fire, City of Pittsburgh, and fixing the compensation of the Fire Marshal.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That from and after the approval of this Ordinance there shall be and is hereby*

created the "Division of Fire Prevention," which shall be attached to and under the control of the Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Fire.

Section 2. The head of this Division shall be known as the Fire Marshal, and his salary shall be \$2,500.00 per annum.

Section 3. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 2, 1920.

Approved January 12, 1920.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 81.

No. 444

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Bedford avenue, from Seventh avenue to Hickory way.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of the west curb line of Bedford avenue, from Seventh avenue to Hickory way, shall be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:*

Beginning at the north curb line of Seventh avenue at the elevation of 77.80 feet; thence rising at the rate of 5% for the distance of 12.0 feet to the north line of Seventh avenue to the elevation of 78.40 feet; thence rising at the rate of 9.88% for the distance of 103.0 feet to the south curb line of Hickory way to the elevation of 88.58 feet, curb as set.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 2, 1920.

Approved January 12, 1920.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 82.

No. 445

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Bigelow boulevard, from Chatham street to a point 150.0 feet north of Seventh avenue.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of the easterly curb line of Bigelow boulevard, from Chatham street to a point 150.0 feet north of Seventh avenue, shall be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:*

Beginning at the northeasterly curb line of Chatham street at the elevation of 79.14 feet; thence falling at the rate of 4.34% for the distance of 121.79 feet to the southerly curb line of Seventh avenue to the elevation of 73.85 feet; thence level to the northerly curb line of Seventh avenue; thence rising at the rate of 2.25% for the distance of 150.0 feet to a point to the elevation of 77.23 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Approved January 12, 1920.

Passed January 2, 1920.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 82.

No. 446

AN ORDINANCE—Re-establishing the grade of Seventh avenue, from Bigelow boulevard to Webster avenue.

Section 1. *Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and*

enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of the southerly curb line of Seventh avenue, from Bigelow boulevard to Webster avenue, shall be and the same is hereby re-established as follows, to-wit:

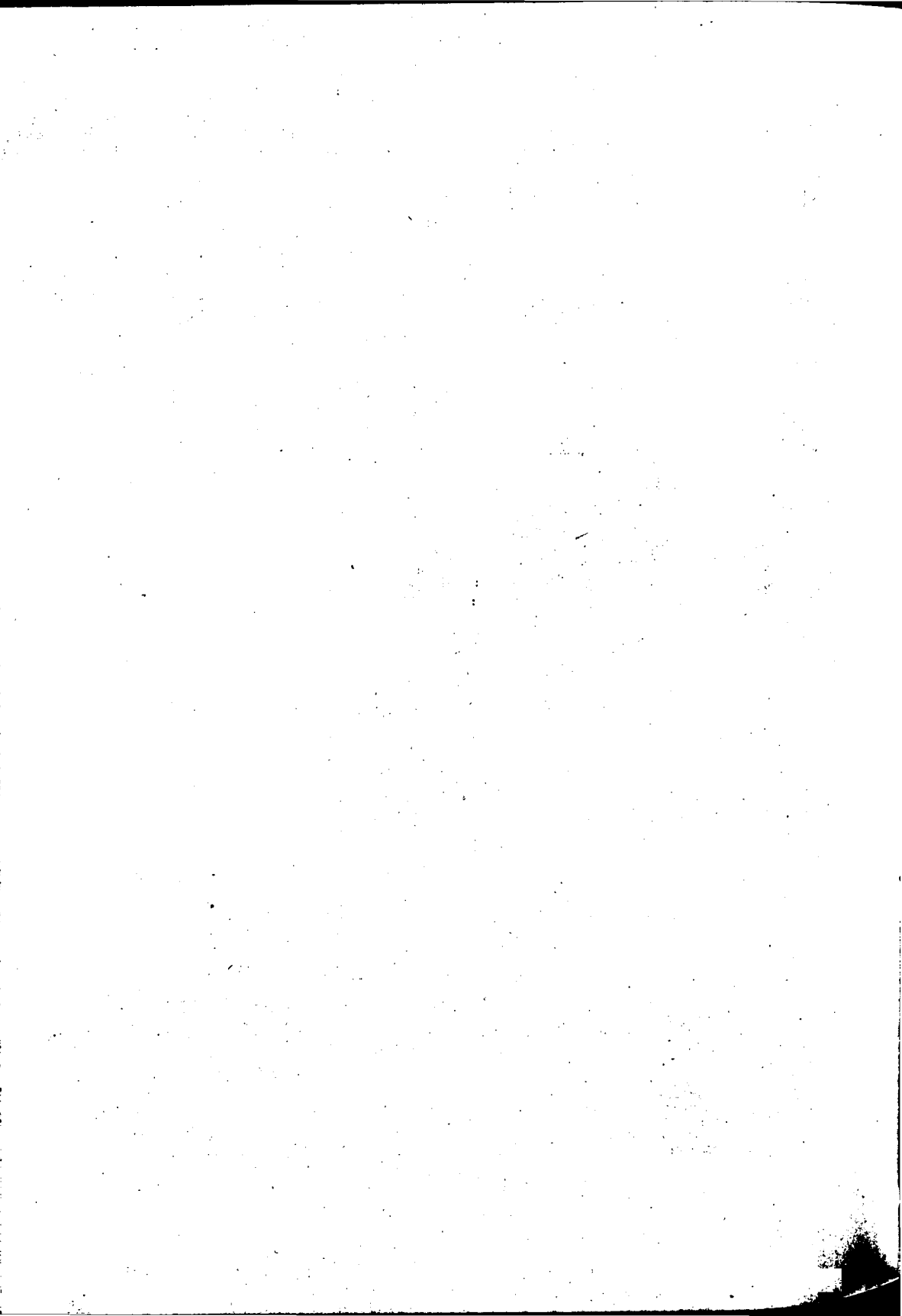
Beginning at the easterly curb line of Bigelow boulevard at the elevation of 73.85 feet; thence rising at the rate of 6% for the distance of 10.0 feet to the easterly line of Bigelow boulevard to the elevation of 74.45 feet; thence rising at the rate of 10.10% for the distance of 227.20 feet to a point opposite the intersection of the southerly line of Seventh avenue with the northerly line of Webster avenue, to the elevation of 97.40 feet; thence rising at the rate of 8.34% for the distance of 22.79 feet to the northerly curb line of Webster avenue to the elevation of 99.30 feet.

Section 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Passed January 2, 1920.

Approved January 12, 1920.

Ordinance Book 31, Page 83.



RESOLUTIONS

No. 1

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Allegheny County Workhouse, Supplies.....	\$ 32.50	1811
Beckert Seed Store, Supplies.....	631.86	1707
Beckert Seed Store, Supplies.....	75.56	1716
Fabra, B. A., Supplies.....	5.00	1702
Hiland Auto Company, Supplies.....	7.36	1809
Junker, J. A. H., Supplies.....	219.70	1321
Junker, J. A. H., Supplies.....	1.40	1320
Kaufmann's, "The Big Store," Supplies.....	329.00	1320
Kelly, Jones & Co., Supplies.....	1.13	1724
Lawyers' Co-operative Publ. Co., Supplies.....	5.00	1078
Lippincott & McNeal Company, Supplies.....	56.30	1811
McKnight Hdwe. Company, Sam., Supplies.....	52.80	1658
McKenna Brass & Mfg. Company, Supplies.....	42.15	1656
McKown-Carnes Company, Supplies.....	1.84	1808
Miller & Woodward, Supplies.....	36.50	1028
Pittsburgh Printing Company, Supplies.....	12.00	1411
Rising & Radcliffe, Supplies.....	9.00	1808
Robbins Electric Company, Supplies.....	1.50	1164
Samson Motor Company, Supplies.....	35.00	1426
Scobie & Parker Company, Supplies.....	5.45	1760

Smith Mfg. Company, A. P., Supplies.....	103.50	1664
Smith Brothers Company, Inc., Supplies.....	9.00	1076
Stout & Crookston, Supplies.....	41.80	1811
Taylor & Dean, Supplies.....	80.00	1556
Valley Supply Company, Supplies.....	30.00	1524
Woodwell Company, Joseph, Supplies.....	.60	1175

Passed January 6, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 208.

No. 2

Whereas, The contract awarded for the reconstruction of the floor system of the California Avenue Bridge provided for the use of creosoted lumber, which necessitated the presence of a public works inspector during the process of manufacture; and

Whereas, The sum of \$6.58 and \$12.92 were expended by Inspector S. R. Carse; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant for \$19.50 in favor of S. R. Carse for expenses incurred in inspecting materials required for the contract for repairs to the floor system of the California Avenue Bridge, and charge same to Code Account 1414-B, Miscellaneous Service.

Passed January 6, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 209.

No. 3

Whereas, The Committee in charge of the alterations to the Public Safety Building for use as a Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, proceeded with the work as

instructed by City Council; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in favor of the B. A. Groah Construction Company in the amount of \$1,500.00 for general repairs at the Public Safety Building, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42-L.

Passed January 6, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 209.

No. 4

Whereas, The following bills were contracted by the Bureau of Light, Department of Public Works, and not being able to procure competitive bids and consequently can be paid only by authority of a resolution passed by Council, in conformity with the Act of 1874; and

Whereas, Said repairs have been furnished, accepted and used by the City.

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the firms and persons in payment of the claims as scheduled below and charge the amount to the appropriation items as shown in said schedule.

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
George P. Helt.....	\$ 98.04	1674
L. M. Gray Co.....	118.50	1674
Chas. G. Hannay Co.....	18.25	1674
Geo. A. Cochrane, Jr.....	355.00	1674

Passed January 6, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 210.

No. 5

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Charles Johnston.....	\$ 5.05	42
Drs. Goldsmith & Gorkinell	20.00	1163

N. C. Davison Gas Burner & Welding Co.....	12.00	1166
University of Pittsburgh.....	12.47	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.....	16.13	1166
Campbell-Niedringhaus	6.00	1166
Bertram G. Case.....	26.69	1166
Pittsburg Water Heater Co.	13.53	1166

Passed January 6, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 210.

No. 6

Whereas, The following expenses were incurred in connection with the reception of the Scandinavian Journalists on December 12, 1918; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the organization and firms in payment of the several claims as scheduled below and charge said amounts to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

A. Mamaux & Son.....	\$ 4.00
Nirella Orchestra.....	20.00
William Penn Hotel.....	337.75

Total.....\$361.75

Passed January 6, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 211.

No. 7

Whereas, The Committee in charge of the alterations to the Public Safety Building for use as a Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, proceeded with the work as instructed by City Council; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in favor of the A. W. Miller Company in the amount of \$350.00 for plumbing work at the Public Safety Building, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42-L.

Passed January 6, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 211.

No. 8

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Pittsburgh

Printing Company in the sum of seventeen hundred and seventy dollars and fifty-two cents (\$1,770.52), for the printing of contracts B, C, D and E of the Budget Estimates, also over time and extra pages, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1016.

Passed January 6, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Ordinance Book 4, Page 211.

No. 9

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to transfer the sum of \$1,500.00 from Code Account No. 1126, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, General Office, Department of Public Safety, to Code Account No. 1164, Item C, Supplies, Bureau of Fire.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 212.

No. 10

Whereas, Resolution No. 606, approved December 18th, 1918, and recorded in Resolution Book, Vol. 4, Page 188, authorizes the transfer of \$2,553.77 from Code Account No. 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, to another Code Account; and,

Whereas, It has been found that there is no available balance in Code Account 1454-E to permit said transfer; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That Resolution No. 606, recorded in Resolution Book, Vol. 4, Page 188, is hereby repealed and declared null and void.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 212.

No. 11

Whereas, Resolution No. 222, approved June 9th, 1917, and recorded in Resolution Book No. 3, Page 343, transfers \$3,000.00 for the purpose of providing funds for certain work; and,

Whereas, It is now found that this money can be used to a better advantage for completing other work; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That Resolution No. 222, recorded in Resolution Book No. 3, Page 343, is hereby repealed and declared null and void.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 212.

No. 12

Whereas, In carrying out the contract for repaving Penn avenue, from Winebiddle avenue to Stratford avenue, it was found that the sum appropriated for this work was not sufficient to entirely complete the work, and it was deemed advisable for the Department of Public Works to have the contractor, Booth & Flinn, Ltd., complete same, which causes the final estimate to exceed the appropriation in the sum of \$2,553.77; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$2,553.77 from Code Account 1456½, Tuxedo Street Foot Bridge, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, to Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, Contract No. 771, "Repaving of Penn Avenue," for the purpose of paying the cost of the final estimate.

Note: The money mentioned in the foregoing resolution will be available providing Resolution No. 222, recorded in Resolution Book No. 3, Page 343, is repealed.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 212.

No. 13

Whereas, It is necessary to transfer the sum of \$1,435.00 from Code Account No. 1456½, Tuxedo Street Foot Bridge, Department of Public Works, to various code accounts in the Bureau of City Property, which are short, to pay outstanding bills and estimated amounts necessary to carry this Bureau through to the end of the year; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of \$1,435.00 from the Department of Public Works, Tuxedo Street Foot Bridge, to various code accounts in the Bureau of City Property.

FROM

Code Account 1456½, Tuxedo
Street Foot Bridge, Department
of Public Works.....\$1,435.00

TO	
Code Account 1580, Supplies, Diamond Market.....	\$1,000.00
Code Account 1620, Supplies, Comfort Stations.....	300.00
Code Account 1621, Repairs, Comfort Stations.....	135.00
	<u>\$1,435.00</u>

Note: The sum of \$1,435.00 from Code Account 1456½, Tuxedo Street Foot Bridge, Department of Public Works, will be available providing Resolution No. 222, recorded in Resolution Book No. 3, Page 343, is repealed.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 213.

No. 14

Whereas, It is necessary to transfer funds in the various code accounts to others in the Bureau of City Property in order to have sufficient balances to carry the different code accounts, which are short, to pay outstanding bills; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the following amounts from various code accounts to others in the Bureau of City Property in order to meet expenditures for the balance of the year.

FROM	
Code Acct. 1565—Equipment, General Office.....	\$ 24.40
Code Acct. 1570—Materials, City-County Bldg.....	80.00
Code Acct. 1572—Equipment, City-County Bldg.....	800.00
Code Acct. 1582—Materials, Diamond Market.....	300.00
Code Acct. 1584—Equipment, Diamond Market.....	130.60
Code Acct. 1589 — Supplies North Side Market.....	90.00
Code Acct. 1592—Equipment, North Side Market.....	40.00
Code Acct. 1596 — Supplies, South Side Market.....	185.00
Code Acct. 1599—Equipment, South Side Market.....	25.00
Code Acct. 1601—Supplies, Du- quesne Market.....	260.00
Code Acct. 1610 — Repairs, Scales.....	75.00
Code Acct. 1622—Repairs, Com- fort Stations.....	30.00
Code Acct. 1401—Salaries, Reg. Employees, Gen. Office, Dept. P. W.....	65.00
Code Acct. 1402—Misc. Serv. Gen. Office, Dept. P. W.....	65.00
Code Acct. 1404—Misc. Serv. Gen. Office, Dept. Public Works.....	82.25

Code Acct. 1405—Salaries, Reg. Employees, Div. Acc't'g, Dept. P. W.....	138.75
Code Acct. 1407—Salaries, Reg. Employees, Photo Div., Dept. P. W.....	14.00
Code Acct. 1408—Misc. Serv. Photographic Division, Dept. P. W.....	25.00
Code Acct. 1502—Salaries, Reg. Employees, Gen. Office, Dept. H. & S.....	160.00
Code Acct. 1798—Salaries, Reg. Employees, Bureau of Tests.....	170.00
Code Acct. 1491—General Re- pairing, Bureau of Engineer- ing.....	350.00
	<u>\$3,045.00</u>

TO

Code Acct. 1561—Miscellaneous Services, General Office.....	\$1,050.00
Code Acct. 1564—Repairs, Gen- eral Office.....	70.00
Code Acct. 1568—Miscellaneous Services, City-County Bldg.....	126.00
Code Acct. 1569 — Supplies, City-County Bldg.....	140.00
Code Acct. 1571—Repairs, City- County Bldg.....	125.00
Code Acct. 1575 — Repairs, North Side City Hall.....	80.00
Code Acct. 1580—Supplies, Dia- mond Market.....	869.00
Code Acct. 1583—Repairs, Dia- mond Market.....	70.00
Code Acct. 1588—Miscellaneous Services, North Side Market.....	175.00
Code Acct. 1591 — Repairs, North Side Market.....	100.00
Code Acct. 1598 — Repairs, South Side Market.....	205.00
Code Acct. 1623—Supplies, Fos- ter Homestead.....	35.00
	<u>\$3,045.00</u>

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 213.

No. 15

Whereas, There are not sufficient funds in Code Account No. 1415, General Executive, Bureau of Engineering, to meet the bill roll for the balance of this year; and

Whereas, There is an available balance remaining in Code Account No. 1491-E, "General Repaving," Bureau of Engineering; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) from Code Account

1491-E, "General Repaving," Bureau of Engineering, to Code Account 1415 C, "Supplies," Bureau of Engineering.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 214.

No. 16

Whereas, The books of the City Controller show appropriation balances in favor of

Appropriation No. 1062, Miscellaneous Service.....	\$2,557.95
Appropriation No. 1063, Supplies	4,303.47
Appropriation No. 1065, Repairs	216.69
Appropriation No. 1066, Equipment	769.20

to the total amount of.....\$7,847.31

on December 30th, 1918, from which the November and December bills are to be paid; and

Whereas, There is sufficient money in the City Treasury to cover said sum.

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and is hereby directed to carry over any balance remaining to the credit of the said appropriations for the use of the City Treasurer for the year 1919

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 215.

No. 17

Whereas, There remains a balance to the credit of Appropriation No. 1080, Department of Law, preparing and prosecuting litigation against public service corporations, on the 31st day of December, 1918; and,

Whereas, Said sum is necessary to carry on the work proposed to be done to its conclusion to carry over said balance to the credit of the appropriation for the year 1919; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Controller shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to carry over the balance remaining on the 31st day of December, 1918, in Appropriation Item No. 1080, Department of Law, preparing and prosecuting litigation against public service corporations to the credit of the same appropriation for the year 1919.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 215.

No. 18

Whereas, The sum of \$29,000.00 was appropriated and set aside from Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Street, Bureau of Engineering, for the purpose of paying the cost of repaving Howard street, from North avenue to Elmira street; and,

Whereas, It is now found that it will be necessary to provide approximately an additional one thousand dollars to entirely complete this repaving contract; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$1,000.00 from Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to Contract No. 766, Howard Street Repaving.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 215.

No. 19

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars from Appropriation Account No. 1666, "Equipment," and eleven thousand (\$11,000.00) dollars from Appropriation Account No. 1655, "Supplies," a total of sixteen thousand (\$16,000.00) dollars to Appropriation Account No. 1645, "Wages Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 216.

No. 20

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars from Appropriation Account No. 1642, "Salaries Regular Employees," to Appropriation Account No. 1646, "Miscellaneous Services," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 216.

No. 21

Whereas, On August 24th, 1918, a strike or walkout by firemen in the Bureau of Fire, City of Pittsburgh, which strike continued for several days, made

it necessary to expend and lay out various sums of money for meals, automobile service, damage to clothing, gasoline and various other items by the Superintendent of said Bureau, for which expenditure no provision was made, and there is no item in said Fire Bureau Appropriation to which the same can be charged; and

Whereas, The amount of said extra expenditure to this date is \$511.43, and further additional items must be provided for; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the sum of \$600.00 is hereby appropriated for the payment of said extraordinary expenses in the Bureau of Fire, same to be charged to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4 Page 216.

No. 22

Whereas, The Department of Assessors will be unable to prepare the tax books before January 1st, 1919, and it will be necessary to retain the temporary clerks until some time in January, 1919; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be authorized and directed to carry over any remaining balance in Appropriation No. 1094, Salaries Temporary Employees, Department of Assessors, to the same Appropriation, Salaries, Temporary Employees, for the year 1919.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Approved January 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 217.

No. 23

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Allis-Chalmers Co.....	\$660.00	1656
The American City.....	3.00	1018
Brahm, Albert L.....	201.64	1232
Brahm, Albert L.....	4.20	1663

Bauer Brothers Bakery Co.	26.37	1148
Bauer Brothers Bakery Co.	97.88	1232
Campbell-Neidringhaus Co.	107.50	1028
Carter Co., H.....	1.50	1320
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	2.20	1004
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	1.10	1191
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	4.90	1409
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	5.50	1430
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	4.40	1655
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	5.40	1672
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	5.50	1811
Doverspike, William J.....	.40	1808
Doverspike, William J.....	.95	1809
Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.	1.75	1164
Heeren Brothers Co.....	3.95	1174
Heeren Brothers Co.....	5.05	1177
McKown-Carnes Co.....	3.85	1808
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	4.32	1808
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.	7.50	1809
Pittsburgh Printing Co.....	1770.52	1016
Rising & Radcliffe.....	13.00	1329
Shiple-Massingham Co.....	851.75	1320
Sauter Co., John.....	200.00	1762
Stewart Co., Jesse C.....	957.25	1320
Stewart Co., Jesse C.....	997.50	1034
Tate, Jones & Co., Inc.....	717.43	187-A
Thomas Co., Arthur H.....	126.70	1647
Young, Elsie.....	3.00	1808

Passed January 13, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 217.

No. 24

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 3.79	1130
St. Joseph's Hospital.....	58.00	1147
Frank Kaffka.....	67.00	1150
A. Witzel.....	16.50	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co.....	2.65	1150
Penn Storage Battery Co..	2.00	1150
Bertram G. Case.....	8.25	1150
The Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.....	15.70	1150
Pittsburgh Steel Stamp Co.	.75	1150
American Typewriter Inspection Co.....	1.00	1150
Barnes Safe & Lock Co.....	30.00	1150
American Multigraph Sales Co.	47.45	1150

Animal Rescue League of
Pittsburgh, Inc..... 805.88 1160

Passed January 13, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 218.

No. 25

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	\$ 44.96	1417
B. K. Elliott Co.....	3.20	1474
Walter Bowman.....	2.25	1657
F. P. Gerstner.....	152.80	1657
The Lange Motor Truck Co.....	51.78	1657
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Mach. Co.....	3.50	1657
The White Co.....	46.85	1657
Painter Dunn Co.....	102.55	1665
H. W. Swissheim.....	50.00	1701
John G. Miles.....	114.00	1722
Pittsburgh Erie Saw Co.....	7.80	1747
H. W. Swissheim.....	24.00	1747
Metz & Miller.....	44.05	1767
Samuel Ward.....	12.50	1775
N. J. Boots.....	36.00	1783
V. D. Nirella.....	210.00	1783
Miss Sarah Hudson.....	3.50	1807
Marine Band of Pittsburgh	12.00	1807
Center Avenue Garage Co.	28.00	1810
Craig Electric Co.....	6.30	1810
Miller & Woodward.....	5.33	1810
Frank McComb.....	277.00	1810
Michael W. Sheehan.....	.75	1810
Singer Sewing Machine Co.	12.00	1810
Terheyden Co.....	2.50	1810
Underwood Typewriter Co.	3.50	1810
L. E. Pastorius.....	481.00	1812
Jas. H. McQuade & Sons..	325.00	187-A

Passed January 13, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 219.

No. 26

Whereas, The following repair accounts were contracted without solicitation of competitive bids by the Division of Motor Vehicles, as shown below; and

Whereas, The repairs were performed

and the moneys therefore are honestly due the creditor to the amount shown; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the firms and individuals in payment of the several claims as scheduled below and charge the amounts to Code Account No. 1029, Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Iron City Spring Co.....	\$ 62.10
Liberty Brazing & Welding Co.....	114.50
Otis Elevator Company.....	17.75

Passed January 13, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 220.

No. 27

Whereas, It became necessary to remove an Indiana automobile truck belonging to the Bureau of Water, from the garage and repair shop of Cartney Brothers, where it had been stored and was undergoing repairs; inasmuch as such repairs were not being made, and inasmuch as the truck was being stripped of important parts; and to place the truck in a responsible shop for storage pending the return of such parts and for the repairs; and

Whereas, Said truck was placed in the repair shop of H. S. Anderson, where storage and repairs were furnished; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of H. S. Anderson in the sum of six hundred eighty-nine dollars and seventy-seven cents (\$689.77) for storage and repairs to automobile truck as follows:

To towing car to repair shop.....	\$ 3.75
To labor of repairs.....	504.00
To material of repairs.....	122.02
To six months' storage, pending ing return of parts.....	60.00

Total.....\$689.77

The same to be payable from Code Account 1665, "Repairs," Bureau of Water, Distribution Division.

Passed January 13, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 220.

No. 28

Whereas, It was deemed advisable that the City obtain several copies of the

proceedings before the National War Labor Board, August 28th and 29th, 1918, in re the City Firemen vs. the Municipal Government of the City of Pittsburgh (Docket No. 236); and

Whereas, The Misses Beatty, official stenographers in said proceedings, furnished four copies of the same to the City of Pittsburgh, as follows:

One to City Council,

One to the Mayor,

One to the City Solicitor, and

One to the Director of the Department of Public Safety; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Misses Beatty for the sum of \$385.00 for four copies of the proceedings furnished the City of Pittsburgh in the above stated case, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed January 13, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 221.

No. 29

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Public Health, in order to cope with the epidemic of Spanish influenza which has been prevalent in our City, has called upon and used City employees connected with various City departments for assistance and help; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Dr. Mary B. Newell in the sum of \$283.50 for overtime services, covering the period from October 16th to November 30th, 1918, inclusive, and charge the same to Code Account No. 11981½.

Passed January 13, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 221.

No. 30

Whereas, A warrant, No. 23,226, dated October 21, 1918, for \$918.25 to the order of the United States Asphalt Refining Company and by it endorsed and placed with the Commercial Trust Company of New Jersey for collection, has been lost, stolen or mislaid; and

Whereas, The United States Asphalt Refining Company has asked for the issue of a duplicate warrant and have filed the bond of the said Commercial Trust

Company of New Jersey, agreeing to indemnify the City against loss or damage by reason of said loss; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a duplicate warrant in place of a warrant, No. 23,226, dated October 21, 1918, for \$918.25, to the order of the United States Asphalt Refining Company, and by it endorsed and placed with the Commercial Trust Company of New Jersey for collection, which has been lost or stolen.

Passed January 13, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 221.

No. 31

Whereas, John F. Sweeney has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$100.00 for a certain strip of ground which is a part of a lot located on Kearsarge street, Nineteenth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the east side of Kearsarge street at the corner of Star way; thence extending northwardly 6.5 feet to a pin; thence eastwardly 61.87 feet to Lot No. 39 in Richard Cowan's Plan; thence southwardly 5.8 feet to Star way; thence westwardly 59.57 feet to Kearsarge street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to John F. Sweeney upon the payment of \$100.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed January 13, 1919.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 222.

No. 32

Whereas, Messrs. Grote and Grote, in behalf of Michael A. Guthrie, have offered to the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$50.00 for 25x100 feet of Lot No. 12 in the John E. Williams Plan next adjoining the property now belonging to Joseph A. Guthrie, located in the Twelfth ward, City; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Michael A. Guthrie upon the payment of the sum of \$50.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed January 13, 1919.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 222.

No. 33

Whereas, In order to provide for labor expenditures in the Bureau of Highways and Sewers for the last pay period of the month of December, 1918, it is necessary to transfer the sum of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200.00) to Appropriation No. 1529, Repairing Highways, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200.00) from Appropriation No. 1553, Wages, Temporary Employees, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1529, Repairing Highways, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works.

Passed January 13, 1919.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 223.

No. 34

Whereas, In the budget for 1919 Council has set up the sum of sixty-six thousand dollars (\$66,000.00) to provide for readjustments which are to be made when salary standardization is applied; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Council, in session assembled, hereby commits itself to salary standardization and to the enactment of a salary schedule that will carry out the terms of Resolution No. 200, approved May 21, 1915; and be it further

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to make a survey and report to Council at as early a date as possible the result of its findings and to present a schedule of standard salary grades and rates, which will carry out the purposes of Resolution No. 200; and be it further

Resolved, That the said committee be composed as follows: One member to be appointed by the Mayor, one member to be appointed by the President of Council, one member to be appointed by the City Controller, and one member to be appointed by the Civil Service Commission; be it further

Resolved, That within five days from the passage and approval of this resolution the officials above designated shall make their appointments to this committee and shall notify the Mayor and President of Council, either of whom are hereby authorized to call a meeting of the committee and begin work.

Passed January 13, 1919.

Approved January 15, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 223.

No. 35

Whereas, An assessment has been made against the First Christian Church of Banksville, at No. 2425, January Term, 1918, of \$285.00 for sewerage on Broadway avenue, Eighteenth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa. and a further assessment for sewerage on Olcott way at No. 1457, April Term, 1918, for \$53.00; now, be it

Resolved, That the said First Christian Church of Banksville, Pa., be exonerated from payment of the aforesaid assessments and that the City of Pittsburgh relieve it from the payment of both of said assessments.

Passed January 6, 1919.

Pittsburgh, January 20th, 1919.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, which has been disapproved by the Mayor and returned with his objections to the Council, was passed by a two-thirds vote of said Council this 20th day of January, A. D. 1919.

E. J. MARTIN,
Clerk of Council.

Resolution Book 4, Page 223.

No. 36

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Anchor Sanitary Co.....	\$ 7.20	1321
Canton Art Metal Co.....	120.00	1066
Consumers Auto Supply Co.	21.00	1809
Diebold Lumber Co., E. M. Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co., The.....	2.50	1224
Feick Brothers Co.....	4.80	1165
Garland, J. C.....	57.50	1236
Happ, Charles.....	10.70	1808
Heeren Brothers Co.....	9.00	1675
Heisley, S. E.....	6.00	1156
Jenkins, T. C.....	4.85	1808
Kurtz, Langbein & Swartz	235.65	1320
Liberty Show Print Co....	9.06	1320
Logan Gregg Hdwe. Co.....	9.20	1808
McKenna Brass Mfg. Co....	4.50	1227
McKown-Carnes Co.....	46.00	1650
McLaughlin, Charles R....	9.60	1808
	2.75	1148

May-Keleher Co.....	69.06	1027
Mulford Co., H. K.....	37.76	1206
Packard Motor Car Co.....	14.71	1556
Stewart, Jesse C. Co.....	636.00	1320
Stout, B. F.....	3.25	1700
Strain, James D.....	1.00	1556
Tabulating Machine Co.....	1.92	1201
Thomas Co., Arthur H.....	19.88	1650
Troy Laundry Machine Co.	244.30	1321
United States Rubber Co..	45.26	1655
Woodwell Co., Joseph.....	6.50	1330

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 224.

No. 37

Whereas, Miss Ida B. Burns, of 225 Coltant square, Fourth ward, asked Council to reimburse her in the sum of \$212.03 for repairing sewer connection alleged to have been damaged by employees of the City; and

Whereas, Council by Resolution No. 485, Series 1918, allowed Miss Burns the sum of \$100.00; and

Whereas, Miss Burns believes that she should receive the amount originally asked for; therefor be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Miss Ida B. Burns for the sum of \$112.03, being the difference between the amount asked for and the amount allowed by resolution of Council for damages on account of sewer connection damaged as aforesaid, and charge the same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 225.

No. 38

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of John F. Casey Company for three thousand six hundred twenty-four and 06/100 (\$3,624.06) dollars for labor furnished the Bureau of Water, at pumping stations during the month of December, 1918, and charge same to Account No. 1653, "Wages Temporary," Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water.

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 225.

No. 39

Whereas, The repair accounts below enumerated were contracted by the Department of the Mayor without solicitation of competitive bids; and

Whereas, The repairs were performed and the moneys therefore are honestly due the creditors to the amount shown.

Resolved, That the Mayor is authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the firms in payment of the claims as scheduled below and charge same to the designated code account.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

	Code	Amount.	Account.
J. S. Clapper Company.	\$7.25	1017	

DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES

	Code	Amount.	Account.
The Security Company.	\$16.75	1029	

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 225.

No. 40

Whereas, It was found necessary, due to the fact that vacancies existed at Brilliant and Ross Pumping Stations, Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works; and,

Whereas, It was expedient to fill these vacancies temporarily by lower-rated men already employed at these stations; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the following mentioned employees to cover the difference in pay between their rated positions and the higher-grade positions to which they were assigned:

	Difference in Rate	Amount
Scott Crooks, from oiler to second assistant engineer, 266 1/2 days.....	60c	\$159.90
George Redinger, from laborer to oiler, 11 days....	90c	9.90
Jos. W. Gibbs, from laborer to oiler, 11 days....	90c	9.90
Edw. J. Bender, from laborer to oiler, 4 days....	90c	3.60
Jos. Zirhut, from repairman to oiler. 202 days..	90c	181.80

Benj. Fulton, from second assistant engineer to first assistant engineer, 217% days	75c	163.22
Jno. McNally, from oiler to second assistant engineer, 218% days	60c	131.18
Jno. Corbett, second assistant engineer, primary station to first assistant engineer, primary station, 156% days	75c	117.19
Jno. Corbett, first assistant engineer, secondary station, to first assistant engineer, primary station, 104 days	50c	52.00

\$828.69

Same to be charged to Appropriation 1653, "Wages, Temporary." Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water.

I hereby certify that these transfers can be safely made.

E. S. MORROW,

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 226.

No. 41

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriations shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
J. K. Davison & Brother	\$ 10.30	1654
John Eichleay, Jr., Co.	115.00	1654
W. J. Tener & Co.	1,609.84	1654
H. W. Johns-Manville Co.	28.50	1657
Oakland Hand Laundry	12.80	1682
W. J. Tener & Co.	79.00	1744
Eclipse Laundry Co.	3.00	1800
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.	4.67	1810
The Empire Laundry Co.	8.30	1807
Hollis Smith Co.	9.70	1810
Frank McComb	193.00	1810
John Eichleay, Jr., Co.	100.00	127
James McNeill & Brother Co.	1,668.00	127
John Eichleay, Jr., Co.	72.00	187-A
The Empire Laundry Co.	21.15	Oliver Bath Trust Fund

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 227.

No. 42

Whereas, A warrant (No. 19370) drawn to the order of the Firestone Rubber Company for \$346.27 on Appropriation Item 1556, which was mailed to them September 20, 1918, has been lost or miscarried in the mail and has not been paid or presented for payment; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, a duplicate warrant in favor of the Firestone Rubber Company for \$346.27, on Appropriation Item 1556, instead of the one lost in the mail.

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 227.

No. 43

Whereas, On the 28th day of November, 1918, water from the Tioga street sewer backed into the cellar of Mrs. A. Fraracci to a depth of three (3') feet, thereby damaging and ruining a certain lot of groceries, fish, wines, etc.; and

Whereas, The flooded condition of the cellar was due to the defective condition of the sewer on Tioga street, which defective condition the City had notice of prior to the flooded condition of the cellar; and

Whereas, Mrs. A. Fraracci has presented her claim to the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of \$76.00, representing her actual losses; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mrs. A. Fraracci in the sum of \$76.00 in full settlement of all claims against the City of Pittsburgh for damages to personal property by reason of the flooded condition of her cellar at No. 7318 Tioga street, as recited above, and charge same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 227.

No. 41

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the

Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Year 1918 Appropriation Amount	No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 80.91	1147
Keystone Laundry Co.....	165.68	1163
Bertram G. Case.....	18.88	1166
The Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.....	23.49	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.	159.38	1166
A. H. Johnson.....	140.19	1166

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 228.

No. 45

Whereas, Mrs. Catherine Kleine, of No. 2123 Shadeland avenue, North Side, City, sustained personal injuries by reason of falling on the Schimmer street steps during the month of December, 1917; and

Whereas, Injury sustained was due to the defective condition of the said steps; and

Whereas, Mrs. Kleine presented her claim against the City of Pittsburgh for damages in the sum of \$500.00, but has agreed to accept in full settlement of her claim the sum of \$200.00; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in the sum of \$200.00 in favor of Mrs. Catherine Kleine and charge the same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 228.

No. 46

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Miss Madeline McGarr for twenty (20) days at the rate of two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) per day, for stenographic services, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account B No. 1328, Department of Supplies.

Passed January 20 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 229.

No. 47

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of James H. McQuade & Sons Company for one thousand seven hundred eighteen and 91/100 (\$1,718.91) dollars for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa., during the month of August, 1918, and charge same to Account No. 1645, "Wages Temp.," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 229.

No. 48

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of James H. McQuade & Sons Company for seven thousand two hundred ninety-five and 41/100 (\$7,295.41) dollars for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa., during the month of October, 1918, and charge same to Account No. 1645, "Wages Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 229.

No. 49

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of James H. McQuade & Sons Company for eight thousand six hundred thirty-five and 32/100 (\$8,635.32) dollars for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa., during the month of November, 1918, and charge same to Account No. 1645, "Wages Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 230.

No. 50

Whereas, The records of the City Treasurer show that the amount of revenue received for the year 1918 from dog licenses was \$12,885.00; and

Whereas, Under Ordinance of Council (Ordinance No. 11, Series 1914) the dog license collector is to receive ten per cent (10%) of all moneys collected for dog licenses in excess of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00).

Resolved, That the Mayor be directed to issue and the Controller to countersign, a warrant for the sum of two hundred eighty-eight dollars and fifty cents (\$288.50) in favor of Louis Weil, Dog License Collector, that being the amount due him under the Ordinance referred to, to be paid from Appropriation No. 1062, Miscellaneous Service.

Passed January 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 230.

No. 51

Whereas, Mrs. Ida Farrell is the owner of property at 127-129 Wooster street, being a double brick house of five rooms each and bath; and

Whereas, During the first quarter of 1918 her meter statement shows water to the amount of \$59.58 having been used on said premises, which amount is excessive and was caused by a water leak, which Mrs. Farrell has since had repaired; and

Whereas, The statement for the second quarter shows that \$12.78 is the amount of water rent, being \$46.80 less than the previous quarter; and

Whereas, The Board of Water Assessors is willing to allow Mrs. Farrell an exoneration in the amount of \$29.79 for this quarter, provided Council gives said board the authority to do so; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration on property of Mrs. Ida Farrell at 127-129 Wooster street, Fifth ward, for water rent for the first quarter of 1918, amounting to \$29.79.

Passed January 20, 1919.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 230.

No. 52

Whereas, There is an agreement between the City and the Work Shop for the Blind by which in lieu of an appropriation the City agreed to pay the taxes and water rents assessed against the building occupied by the Work Shop; and

Whereas, By some error the water rate was not included in the resolution

ordering the exoneration; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration in favor of George McCague (owner) for water rate for 1918, assessed against building occupied by the Work Shop for the Blind in the First ward, City.

Passed January 20, 1919.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 231.

No. 53

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of four thousand eight hundred sixty-six and 52/100 (\$4,866.52) dollars from Appropriation Account No. 1644, "Wages Reg.," to Appropriation Account No. 1645, "Wages Temp.," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, to provide for the payment of 1918 labor charges at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa.

Passed January 20, 1919.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 231.

No. 54

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Pittsburgh and His Honor the Mayor recommend to the Trustees of the Carnegie Library that a complete branch library be established at the United States Government Hospital No. 24 for wounded soldiers, known as Park View; and be it further

Resolved, That the Trustees are hereby requested to communicate with the United States authorities in charge of said hospital and offer the services of trained and experienced librarians and all necessary equipment, supplies and materials to operate a complete library; and be it further

Resolved, That the intent and purpose of this resolution is to promptly place at the bedside of our wounded heroes all the library facilities of a grateful City.

Passed January 20, 1919.

Approved January 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 232.

No. 55

Whereas, It has come to the knowledge of Council from various sources that rents, particularly of small dwell-

ings, are being raised, the statements being made that said increases are caused by a raise in City taxes; and

Whereas, On a great many properties there will be a reduction in 1919 as compared with 1918, and in no case will there be any appreciable increase; therefore, be it

Resolved, That a comparative statement be prepared by the Mayor and Council showing taxes for 1918 and 1919, and that same be printed in the daily newspapers for the information of taxpayers and those who pay rent; and be it further

Resolved, That the expense of said advertising be charged against Appropriation No. 1013.

Passed January 27, 1919.

Approved January 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 232.

No. 56

Whereas, The time for paying taxes and receiving the discount expires on January 31, 1919; and

Whereas, Owing to the delay in fixing the millage and making up of the tax statements the time for collecting the taxes has been delayed until February 15th, 1919; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to extend the time for paying taxes and receiving the benefit of the two per cent. discount up to and including Saturday, March 15, 1919.

Passed January 27, 1919.

Approved January 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 232.

No. 57

Whereas, The epidemic of influenza is still prevalent, and there still remains to the credit of the appropriation made during the year 1918 the sum of \$22,698.58; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby instructed to carry over to the credit of the same appropriation the balance remaining to the credit of Appropriation No. 1198½ made for the year 1918.

Passed January 27, 1919.

Approved January 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 233.

No. 58

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
B. F. Stout.....	\$ 6.15	1700

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Atlantic Refining Co.....	\$ 77.63	1027
Atlantic Refining Co.....	25.88	1663
Atlantic Refining Co.....	2.88	1699
Albert's Son, M. E.....	168.00	1236
Averman & Lynn Co., Inc..	8.80	1023
Baur Brothers Co.....	97.88	1232
Baur Brothers Co.....	19.20	1745
Braun, Harry.....	31.47	1320
Babcock & Wilcox Co.....	31.08	1323
Donnelly, James.....	17.06	1232
Gillespie & Co., J. J.....	9.40	1426
Hewitt Rubber Co.....	57.40	1776
Hill Top Lumber Co.....	1,112.94	1034
Houston Brothers Co.....	1.84	1533
Jacobson Co., S.....	1.75	1332
Journal of Infectious Diseases, The.....	5.00	1218
Johnston Co., Wm. G.....	21.00	1206
Lange Motor Truck Co.....	17.70	1656
Lawyers' Co-operative Pub. Co.	53.00	1080
Liberty Flag & Decorating Co.	19.00	1584
McKnight Hardware Co., Samuel.....	5.60	1570
New York Belting & Packing Co.	17.28	185-A
Painter-Dunn Co.....	1.00	1028
Pittsburgh Brass Manufacturing Co.....	159.53	1656
Reed & Witting.....	4.00	1048
Robbins Electric Co.....	10.30	185-A
Sauter Co., John.....	228.75	1811
Seven Baker Brothers.....	161.43	1224
Schenck China Co.....	26.78	1811
Scientific Materials Co.....	9.90	1218
Scientific Materials Co.....	10.77	1298
Smith Brothers Co., Inc.....	98.60	1080
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co..	225.92	185-A
Weldin & Co., J. R.....	2.12	1016
Woodwell Co., Jos.....	5.70	1175

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 233.

No. 59

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Colonial Supply Co.....	\$ 78.02	1656
Larkin Manufacturing Co.....	288.00	1168

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

American Bulb Co.....	95.50	1707
Atlantic Refining Co.....	73.13	185-A
Babcock & Wilcox Co.....	556.05	1321
Baur Brothers Bakery (Ward Baking Co.).....	21.39	1148
B. B. & B. Trunk Co.....	19.50	1650
Harry Braun.....	873.16	1320
Broido, A. H.....	3.75	1808
Chesterton Co., A. W.....	35.64	1655
DuPont Powder Co.....	173.18	185-A
Glesenkamp Co., L.....	80.00	1406
Greenwood Construction & Supply Co.....	558.00	1324
Groah Construction Co., B. A.....	20.00	187-A
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.....	.39	1148
Hill Top Lumber Co.....	229.50	1034
Johnson, A. H.....	3.00	1149
Kennedy Co., D. J.....	12.00	1663
Lange Motor Truck Co.....	8.36	1656
Lemmon Co., B. W.....	.60	1416
Lippincott & McNeil.....	43.90	1426
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.....	.90	1716
MacGregor-Cutler Printing Co.....	139.50	1096
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.....	96.97	185-A
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	102.00	1321
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	6.75	1415
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	2.70	1555
Stewart Co., Jesse C.....	750.60	A.T.F.
Somers, Fitler & Todd Co.....	38.00	185-A
Thomas, Joseph (Greens- burg, Pa.).....	45.00	1707
Welsbach Gas Lamp Co.....	4.89	1148
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	2.65	1808
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	2.50	1811

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 234.

No. 60

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
John Eichleay, Jr., Co.....	\$ 60.50	1414
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	25.45	1417
B. K. Elliott Co.....	42.30	1425
A. E. Jones Co.....	34.00	1561
Keystone Laundry Co.....	130.80	1561
Taylor & Dean.....	9.00	1583
Allegheny Repair Co.....	81.65	1564
Scholz Bros. Hardware Co.....	8.70	1564
Profit Sharing Laundry Co.....	142.50	1568
Allegheny Repair Co.....	32.18	1571
Hoover Scale Co.....	1.50	1571
James A. McKenna.....	89.00	1571
A. E. Jones Co.....	9.50	1579
John F. Brunner Co.....	23.28	1583
James A. McKenna.....	23.45	1583
Otis Elevator Co.....	366.85	1583
John Sauter Co.....	1.50	1583
Allegheny Garbage Co.....	211.75	1588
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	58.34	1588
Allegheny Repair Co.....	55.57	1591
James A. McKenna.....	85.90	1598
S. M. Dick Plumbing & Heating Co.....	12.65	1610
James A. McKenna.....	177.49	1621
James A. McKenna.....	28.90	1624
B. F. Stout.....	4.00	1701
Frank McComb.....	614.00	1810

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 235.

No. 61

Whereas, The following bills for repairs were contracted by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, without competitive bids, and consequently can be paid only by authority of a resolution passed by Council in conformity with the Act of 1874; and

Whereas, Said repairs were furnished, accepted and used by the City during the month of December, 1918.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the firms and persons in payment of claims as sched-

uled below, and charge the amounts to appropriation items as shown in said schedule:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Underwood Typewriter Co.	\$ 1.00	1505
A. Amrhein & Bro.	15.45	1516
Fred Bauer & Co.	54.80	1516
Samuel Dougherty	18.45	1516
Duquesne Tool Mfg. Co.	8.70	1516
R. Doyle	92.90	1516
Andrew Engel	58.15	1516
I. J. Glatch	5.95	1516
Hacker Bros.	19.45	1516
William Morath	5.75	1516
George Purdy	35.30	1516
Henry Rectanus	23.65	1516
Joseph Schiller	45.40	1516
H. D. Anderson	144.20	1516
H. D. Anderson	143.20	1525
Mayer Wagon Co.	145.95	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.	42.25	1525
C. G. Ruhlandt	31.00	1516
C. G. Ruhlandt	27.00	1525
John Sauter Co.	12.00	1516
John Sauter Co.	10.05	1525
H. W. Swisshelm	146.00	1516
H. W. Swisshelm	17.00	1525
Joseph W. Houck	39.20	1520
James E. Mercer	22.50	1520
W. B. McRoberts	6.60	1520
H. Hunziker	349.00	1525
Kress Bros. Wagon Co.	61.55	1525
Packard Motor Co.	337.77	1525
Stewart Products Service Station	3.25	1525
Samuel Ward	148.30	1525
Iron City Spring Co.	6.25	1557
National Gear Wheel Foundry	30.00	1557
Pearson Mfg. Co.	199.34	1557

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 236.

No. 62

Whereas, The following accounts were contracted without solicitation of competitive bids, as shown below; and

Whereas, The City Treasurer's repairs were furnished and performed and moneys therefor are honestly due the creditors to the amounts shown.

Resolved, That the Mayor be directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the firms in payment of the several claims as scheduled below and charge the amounts to the respective appropriations as shown in payment of said bills.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY TREASURER.

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.	\$ 6.50	1065
Remington Typewriter Co.	55.00	1065

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 237.

No. 63

Whereas, No shoeing of horses owned by the City of Pittsburgh is authorized without a written order properly signed and approved by the Superintendent of Horses; and

Whereas, The service accounts for horseshoeing as below enumerated were contracted by certain city employees without the approval or knowledge of the Superintendent of Horses; and

Whereas, The services were performed and the moneys therefor are honestly due the creditors to the amount shown.

Resolved, That the Mayor is authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the firms and individuals in payment of the several claims as scheduled below and charge same to Code Account No. 1036, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Animal Industry.

Samuel Connell	\$12.00
Mary Meiers	24.60
George Pafenbach	8.20
John Dunn, Jr.	9.00
Philip Roth	6.00
William Smith	3.60
James Montgomery	3.60
James McQuillen	3.00
William Breeze & Sons	12.00
Harry Double	6.00
I. J. Glatch	46.70

\$134.70

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 238.

No. 64

Whereas, Under the provisions of an Act of Assembly, approved July 11, 1917, and known as the Dog Law of 1917, it is provided that the owners of live stock killed by dogs shall be paid for the loss sustained by the county wherein such loss occurred; and

Whereas, It is also provided in said Act that in cities of the second class the duty to perform and carry out the provisions of the said Act is imposed upon the Councils of said City; and

Whereas, The County Commissioners have refused to pay for damages to live stock occurring within the limits of the City of Pittsburgh, and there being no provision in the said law for the payment of such claims by the City Treasurer; and

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh receives the taxes from dogs in said City, and it being fair and just that the claims of owners of live stock killed by dogs should be paid; and

Whereas, The following claims have been presented to the City of Pittsburgh, duly proved and adjudicated as required by the said Act, to-wit: Edward B. Cox, 475 Oneida street, Pittsburgh, Pa., 26 chickens killed by dogs on June 23, 1918, amount of claim for same \$22.00, costs \$4.50, total \$26.50; Alice E. Snodgrass, 44 Oneida street, Pittsburgh, Pa., 8 chickens killed by dogs on July 18, 1918, amount of claim for same \$8.00, costs \$5.50, total \$13.50; and Harry S. Criswell, 467 Oneida street, Pittsburgh, Pa., 2 pigs killed by dogs on July 18th, 1918, amount of claim for same \$12.00, costs \$5.50, total \$17.50; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign warrants in the following amounts in payment of said claims:

Edward B. Cox.....	\$26.50
Alice E. Snodgrass.....	13.50
Harry S. Criswell.....	17.50

and charge the same to Appropriation Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 238.

No. 65

Whereas, The committee in charge of the alterations to the Public Safety Building for use as a Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, proceeded with the work as instructed by City Council; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Craig Electric Company in the amount of \$169.79 for repairs to electric wiring in the Public Safety Building, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42-L.

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 239.

No. 66

Whereas, The committee in charge of the alterations to the Public Safety Building for use as a Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, proceeded with the work as instructed by City Council; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the B. A. Groah Construction Company in the amount of \$1,026.00 for general repairs at the Public Safety Building, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42-L.

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 239.

No. 67

Whereas, Sixteen coupons, dated January 1, 1919, numbers 193-208 inclusive of the 1906 Water Extension Loan for \$20 each, in all \$320, which were mailed by Messrs. Wm. A. Reed & Co., of New York, to the City Treasurer, have been lost, stolen or mislaid; and

Whereas, The firm of Messrs. Wm. A. Reed & Co. have asked for a check for the same; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant for the payment of the same, made payable to Chas. S. Hubbard, City Treasurer, to reimburse him for a check drawn by him and sent to the said Wm. A. Reed & Co. for \$320, and charge to Appropriation No. 1.

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 240.

No. 68

Whereas, There is no appropriation in the Department of Law for repairs; and

Whereas, It has been necessary to have one of the typewriters in this department adjusted, refinished, cleaned, renicked, generally overhauled and install a new cylinder therein; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Keystone Typewriter Service Company in the sum of eighteen (\$18.00) dollars for repairs to typewriter above mentioned, and

charge the same to Code Account No. 1074 (Department of Law).

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 240.

No. 69

Whereas, The committee in charge of the alterations to the Public Safety Building for use as a Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, proceeded with the work as instructed by City Council; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Jos. A. Langdon & Sons Company in the amount of \$204.06 for repairs to the heating system at the Public Safety Building, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42-L.

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 241.

No. 70

Whereas, The committee in charge of the alterations to the Public Safety Building for use as a Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, proceeded with the work as instructed by City Council; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the A. W. Miller Company in the amount of \$448.83 for plumbing work at the Public Safety Building, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42-L.

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 241.

No. 71

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of James H. McQuaide & Sons Company for nine thousand one hundred ninety-two and 06/100 dollars (\$9,192.06) for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa., during the month of De-

cember, 1918, and charge same to Account No. 1645, "Wages Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 241.

No. 72

Whereas, Warrant No. 13551, dated July 5th, 1918, for \$6.93, payable to the Pennsylvania Western Lines, for charges on B. & O. Car No. 92406, loaded with shavings for the Bureau of Horses, was lost or mislaid; and

Whereas, Payment was stopped at the time on said warrant and it has never been presetned for payment; therefore, be is

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a duplicate warrant in favor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Western Lines for \$6.93 in place of the warrant so lost, and charge to Appropriation No. 1033.

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 241.

No. 73

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Appropriation	
	Amount	No.
		Year 1918
St. John's General Hospital	\$ 61.50	1163
		Year 1919
Stewart L. McCurdy, M. D.	25.00	1163
Drs. Goldsmith & Gorfinkel	10.00	1163
Dr. J. Floyd Murdoch	18.00	1163
Bertram G. Case	4.00	1166
N. C. Davison Gas Burner & Welding Co.	126.90	1166
The Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.	8.91	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.	30.90	1166
Robbins Electric Co.	25.60	1166

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 242.

No. 74

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Western Union Telegraph Company in the sum of \$30.87 for two telegrams, sent to Montivideo, Uruguay, and to Paris, France, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42.

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 242.

No. 75

Whereas, Francis T. Porter, who has been an employee of the City of Pittsburgh for twelve (12) years, is now incapacitated due to an injury he received when in the employ of the City; and

Whereas, The said Francis T. Porter is under care of Dr. C. C. Wholey, who certifies that he is responding to treatment and with proper freedom from work he will recover; and

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Public Health allowed the said Francis T. Porter three months' sick leave during September, October and November, carrying him on the roll for those three months, but not having the authority from the Controller to do so any longer; and

Whereas, The Controller has agreed that he will pass the roll for the said Francis T. Porter for a further period of three months, if approved by Council, which Council has the authority to do; and

Whereas, the said Francis T. Porter is the only support of a large family and is worrying over his financial condition, which is particularly injurious to one suffering from nervous trouble, and which is likely to retard and prevent his ultimate recovery; and

Whereas, Said Francis T. Porter has died during the time this resolution has been pending in Council, and Council is desirous of paying the widow the sum which was to be allowed her husband; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Health be authorized to pay the widow of said Francis T. Porter a sum equal to the amount his wages would be until the time of his death,

and charge the same to "Salaries Regular," Division of Housing and Sanitary Inspection, Bureau of Sanitation, and that the Controller be authorized to pass said payroll.

Passed February 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 243.

No. 76

Whereas, The C. F. Haller Estate are the owners of certain property at 358 Soho street, Fifth ward, city, and claim that they are entitled to a second exoneration on their metered rates; and

Whereas, The Board of Water Assessors refuse to grant this exoneration for reasons assigned, in a communication addressed to S. Arnold & Co., Berger Building, City, that at no future time will a second allowance be made on these premises, on account of leaks or waste of water; and

Whereas, The plumber for the C. F. Haller Estate examined the meter and states that he can find no waste of water in the building; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and they are hereby authorized to adjust water rates on property of the C. F. Haller Estate, 358 Soho street, Fifth ward, City, and claiming the C. F. Haller Estate a rebate of 50%, or \$62.64.

Passed February 3, 1919.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 243.

No. 77

Whereas, Certain property on 416 Ella street, Eighth ward, Pittsburgh, belonging to the Olivet Mission U. P. Church, was in the year 1912, by some inexplorable error, assessed in the name of Robert S. McCague, and in his name the tax was levied, and still remains unpaid; and

Whereas, The Board of Trustees never had any notice that said tax had been levied against said property until the notice of the Sheriff that said property would be offered for sale at public auction; therefore be it

Resolved, That on payment of the taxes as originally levied, to-wit: forty-nine and 3/100 (\$49.03) dollars, to the Delinquent Tax Collector, the City Solicitor shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to satisfy the lien at No. 4078 January Term, 1914, D. T. D., and charge the costs thereof to the City of Pittsburgh; and further, the Depart-

ment of Assessors are authorized and directed to exonerate the balance of said taxes, to-wit: twenty-two and 50/100 (\$22.50) dollars.

Passed February 3, 1919.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 244.

No. 78

Whereas, Francisco Accetto was assessed \$87.50 for the grading, paving and curbing and damage by grade of Paulson avenue; and

Whereas, An appeal was taken by said Francisco Accetto at No. 2365 July Term, 1917, from said assessment; and

Whereas, On trial of said case the jury by some inadvertence became mixed in the amount of this assessment, taking the amount to be \$187.50 instead of \$87.50, and rendered a verdict for \$196.88; the verdict should have been for the sum of \$91.88, being the amount of the assessment and interest; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized to satisfy and discontinue the lien filed at M. L. D. No. 1, April Term, 1918, upon the payment of \$91.88 by said Francisco Accetto, being the debt and interest on said lien, and also payment by him of the costs on said lien and the costs on appeal at No. 2365 July Term, 1917.

Passed February 3, 1919.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 244.

No. 79

Whereas, A certain lot of ground at the corner of Bristol and Ilion streets, situate in the Fifteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, was wrongfully assessed for taxabel purposes in the name of George F. Snowden, and taxes thereon due the City for the years 1905-6-8-9-10 and 11, amounting to \$38.55, became delinquent, and liens therefor were filed by the City, Sheriff's sale had thereon and the same was bought in by the City at a total cost of \$62.02; and

Whereas, William H. Larkin and other owners of said lot had no notice of the proceedings on such lien, or the sale of said property; and the total value of said lot does not exceed \$100.00, and said William H. Larkin is willing to pay, as purchase price for said lot, the total amount of said delinquent taxes, to-wit, \$38.55; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a deed by the City of Pittsburgh, in the usual form, be exe-

cuted and delivered to the said William H. Larkin, upon the payment by him of the said sum, \$38.55.

Passed February 3, 1919.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 245.

No. 80

Whereas, Mary A. O'Connell has offered to pay to the City of Pittsburgh all taxes, costs and interest on Lot No. 70 in Mellon's Plan of Scott Lots, located on Butler street, Tenth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the south side of Butler street at the corner of Lot No. 69 in said plan; thence extending 22 feet eastwardly to Lot No. 71; thence southwardly 52.56 feet to property line; thence westwardly 22 feet to Lot No. 69; thence northwardly 52.53 feet to Butler street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property upon the payment of all taxes, costs and interest, to Mary A. O'Connell.

Passed February 3, 1919.

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 245.

No. 81

Whereas, The Council of the City of Pittsburgh is about to authorize the widening and otherwise improving Carson street West, from the Point Bridge to the City Line; and

Whereas, It is deemed advisable to have all poles and overhead wires on said street, used by public service corporations for furnishing electric light, heat or power to the public, or operating telegraph and telephone lines, removed, and to have said corporations provide during the course of said improvement underground conduits or other means, whereby said overhead wires may be placed underground without tearing up or disturbing said street after the same has been improved; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works give proper notice to said public service corporations having such poles and overhead wires on said Carson street, to remove the same pursuant to requirements of the general Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, approved May 22nd, 1895.

Passed February 3, 1919

Approved February 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 245.

No. 82

Whereas, The Legislature of Pennsylvania will soon assemble; and

Whereas, As is always the case much legislation will be introduced affecting the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, Some of this legislation is likely to be detrimental to the interests of the taxpayers of Pittsburgh; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the President of Council be directed to assign one person (1) to keep a record of every bill introduced in the Legislature affecting the City of Pittsburgh; and be it further

Resolved, That the President of Council be authorized and directed to procure the services of a competent person to be in attendance at the sessions of the Legislature and who shall carefully examine all proposed legislation directly or indirectly affecting the City of Pittsburgh and furnish the Mayor and Council with copy of same, together with report of its progress in the Legislature, and such other information as he may deem important.

The expense and compensation of such person shall be paid from Appropriation Code No. 1013-M, on vouchers approved by the Finance Committee.

Passed January 20, 1919.

Pittsburgh, February 11th, 1919.

I do hereby certify that the proceeding resolution, which has been disapproved by the Mayor and returned with his objections to the Council, was passed by a two-thirds vote of said Council, this 10th day of February, A. D. 1919.

E. J. MARTIN,
Clerk of Council.

Resolution Book 4, Page 246.

No. 83

Whereas, John Milka and Angela Milka, his wife, have offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$100.00 for lot located on Stromberg street, Sixteenth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the south side of Stromberg street 138.75 feet from the corner of Stromberg street and Sumner street; thence extending eastwardly 30 feet to a pin; thence southwardly 74 feet to Sumner street; thence along Sumner street westwardly 32.55 feet to a pin; thence northwardly 60 feet to Stromberg street, the place of beginning; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to John Milka and

Angela Milka, his wife, for the sum of \$100.00.

Passed February 10, 1919.

Approved February 13, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 246.

No. 84

Whereas, The estimated cost of \$18,000.00 for contract No. 793, same being for new basement, smokestack and fan platform at the North Side Market, will be insufficient to meet the complete cost of the work; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$148.04 from the General Fund of Code Account No. 1592½, Structural and Non-structural Improvements to the North Side Market, Bureau of City Property, to Contract No. 793.

Passed February 10, 1919.

Approved February 13, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 247.

No. 85

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below;

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Byrnes & Klefer.....	\$ 72.41	1320
Alex. Black Coal Co.....	2.61	1164
Brown, A. J.....	21.38	1164
Dodge Sales & Engineering Co.....	68.36	185-A
Gilchrist's Sons Co., J. M.....	71.24	1164
Gulf Refining Co., The.....	25.00	1027
Iron City Heating Co.....	78.85	1710
Johnston Co., William G.....	33.00	1063
Kalamazoo Loose Leaf Binder Co.....	51.00	1666
Kennedy Co., D. J.....	2.30	1533
Loomis Electric Co., W. R.....	30.00	1236
McCullough Electric Co., W. T.....	28.80	185-A
Murphy Iron Works.....	1,425.95	1656
Nichols, E. M.....	46.80	1650
Nichols, E. M.....	240.00	1647
Nichols, E. M.....	80.40	1650
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	18.59	1415
Schenck China Co.....	77.61	1236
Second Pool Coal Co.....	4.75	1164

Woods Run Coal Co..... 22.68 1164
 Youghiogheny Coal Co..... 50.11 1164
 Passed February 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 13, 1919.
 Resolution Book 4, Page 247.

No. 86

Whereas, Council set up in the Appropriation Ordinance an Appropriation (No. 1667, Bureau of Water Distribution, Aspinwall Dam) for the payment of the balance of the account of the Dravo Construction Company on the dam at Aspinwall amounting to \$36,989.25; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Dravo Construction Company in the sum of thirty-six thousand nine hundred eighty-nine dollars and twenty-five cents (\$36,989.25), and charge to Appropriation No. 1667, Bureau of Water Distribution.

Passed February 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 13, 1919.
 Resolution Book 4, Page 248.

No. 87

Whereas, On September 20, 1918, Thomas J. Gannon while walking along Greenleaf street, Nineteenth ward, was injured by falling on a defective boardwalk on this street; and

Whereas, On account of this injury his father was compelled to secure the professional services of a physician; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller, to countersign a warrant in favor of Thomas J. Gannon, father of Thomas J. Gannon, for the sum of \$100.00 in full settlement of all claims for injuries sustained by his son by falling on the defective boardwalk on Greenleaf street, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42.

Passed February 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 13, 1919.
 Resolution Book 4, Page 248.

No. 88

Whereas, By the terms of the Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City

of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof, approved January 22nd, 1919, certain positions in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, were eliminated; and

Whereas, The readjustment of the organization was effected January 31st, 1919; and

Whereas, In the interim services were performed by the employees affected, payment for which services is not authorized; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for the following amounts for services rendered by the respective employees as set forth, for the period from January 22nd to January 31st, 1919, inclusive, and charge same to the several code accounts as set forth:

	Amount.	Code Account
H. K. Keil, assistant engineer	\$62.10	1482
F. A. Mauch, assistant engineer	62.10	1482
John H. Dailey, Jr., chairman	31.45	1482
Phineas Reynolds, chairman	31.45	1482
J. Leo Lowry, chairman.....	31.45	1470

Passed February 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved February 13, 1919.
 Resolution Book 4, Page 249.

No. 89

Whereas, An assessment has been made against the First Christian Church of Banksville, at No. 703, January Term, 1918, of \$285.00 for sewerage on Broadway avenue, Eighteenth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa., and a further assessment for sewerage on Olcott way at No. 1457, April Term, 1918, for \$54.00; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said First Christian Church of Banksville, Pa., be exonerated from payment of the aforesaid assessments and that the City of Pittsburgh relieve it from the payment of both of said assessments, together with all Court costs due thereon, the same to be charged to the City of Pittsburgh; and be it further

Resolved, That Bill No. 1409, relating to the same matter, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Passed February 3, 1919.

Pittsburgh, February 17th, 1919.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, which has been disapproved by the Mayor and returned with his ob-

jections to the Council, was passed by a two-thirds vote of said Council, this 17th day of February, A. D. 1919.

E. J. MARTIN,
Clerk of Council.

Resolution Book 4, Page 249.

No. 90

Whereas, Honorable Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, has heretofore entered an order directing that the bridges crossing the Allegheny River, consisting of what are commonly known as the Sixth, Seventh, Ninth, Sixteenth, Thirtieth and Forty-third street bridges, be raised to such an extent as was provided in the order respecting each bridge; and,

Whereas, Subsequently thereto-to-wit, on February 28th, 1918, the War Department order was issued, postponing until further notice the raising and reconstruction of the said bridges; and,

Whereas, The Honorable Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, has before him for consideration the question as to whether or not the original order, directing the said bridges to be raised, should be reissued or action taken the effect of which would be to require the bridges to be raised in conformity with the original order as issued; and

Whereas, The Council of the City of Pittsburgh having knowledge and being informed of the public requirements, not only from the standpoint of river transportation, but also from the standpoint of railroad, street car and vehicular transportation, as well as foot traffic, and being desirous of placing before the Secretary of War its views in regard to the said bridges and to that end it is, therefore,

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Pittsburgh in regular meeting assembled, hereby vigorously protest against the raising of any of the bridges crossing the Allegheny River, and particularly those bridges commonly known as the Sixth, Seventh, Ninth, Sixteenth, Thirtieth and Forty-third street bridges, which protest is based not only upon the terrific expense to which the citizens of Pittsburgh and those of the County of Allegheny will be put, but also on the ground that the river transportation is insignificant when compared to and with the land transportation; and be it further

Resolved, That if notwithstanding the protest of the City of Pittsburgh of action taken by the Mayor and the Council thereof, as well as the action taken by the County of Allegheny through its County Commissioners, the War Department of the United States, through the

Secretary thereof, insists upon the said bridges being raised, we, the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, most earnestly protest against any order being issued at this time commanding the owner of said bridges, the County of Allegheny, to raise such bridges, and in support of said protest the Council of the City of Pittsburgh assign the following reasons, to-wit:

(a) The river interests, at whose instance and request the War Department has heretofore entered the order directing said bridges to be raised, have, so we are informed, requested a change in the order heretofore issued by the War Department affecting the width of spans, the location of piers, and the bridge height above pool level, as the same affects the Sixteenth and Forty-third street bridges, and which request will in all probability be followed up and have a bearing on the other bridges, resulting, if adopted, in the destruction of the plans, surveys and other work already accomplished on the said bridges.

(b) The entire citizenship of Pittsburgh and Allegheny County has at the request of the Government responded so patriotically that it has at all times subscribed and actually paid for a great deal more than its allotment of Liberty Bonds, Red Cross, United War Work and other campaigns fostered by the Government in connection with the World War.

(c) War necessity, having prevented to a great degree municipal improvements and developments, we find ourselves confronted with so many things, most of necessity, to be done in order to protect the lives and health of our people and to improve living conditions, resulting in enormous expenditures by the City of Pittsburgh, as well as by the County of Allegheny, that to, at this time, be compelled to stand additional burdens imposed by the raising of many of the aforesaid bridges, the financial obligations would be such as to be almost unbearable.

(d) The Sixth, Seventh, Ninth and Thirtieth street bridges are structures which were substantially constructed and all have an anticipated life and use of approximately twenty-five (25) years, and to, at this time, destroy the same when the cost of reconstruction is so abnormally high, will impose not only a heavy burden, but an entirely unnecessary burden upon our people.

(e) The involved problems in connection with the raising of these structures, that many orders affecting public service corporations of the State of Pennsylvania, and doing business in the City of Pittsburgh, will have to be entered, as required under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, applying to the public service commission, having special ref-

erence to railroads, street car lines (the operating company of which is now in the hands of receivers), gas companies, both natural and artificial, and other public service interests; all grade crossings should be abolished, and the height of the bridge structure over railroad tracks will in all probability vary in each case, must be fully determined, and many other problems too numerous to mention.

(f) The Sixteenth Street Bridge having been destroyed by fire, and so far as the piers of said bridge were obstructions to navigation, having been removed after the fire, not only on account of the orders heretofore issued by the War Department, requiring the raising of this particular bridge, but also on account of the public demand for a bridge to replace the destroyed one, the County of Allegheny and the City of Pittsburgh, acting through their respective proper channels, have caused plans to be prepared, engineering data obtained and submitted, and in fact all problems which arise in connection with the construction of a new bridge have been and are being considered, and are rapidly approaching solution to the end that it is hoped for and expected that the construction of a new bridge on the site of the old Sixteenth Street Bridge will actually take place in the immediate future.

(g) Plans have heretofore been practically completed for the raising of the Forty-third Street Bridge, but on account of the demands of railroad, street car lines and the interests of other public service corporations, and in fact to serve the best interests of the communities affected and the various people involved, it has been suggested that the new bridge be constructed at Fortieth street instead of at Forty-third street, and the various problems, which necessarily arise, have been and are being considered and are rapidly being solved. It being necessary, in the event the Fortieth street location is finally adopted instead of the present Forty-third street location, to keep open for public travel the Forty-third Street Bridge until the new or Fortieth Street Bridge has been constructed and opened to public traffic, and this for the special reason that it is absolutely necessary and essential to keep open for public travel the Forty-third Street Bridge for the benefit of the people of the City of Pittsburgh, the Borough of Millvale and the territory lying beyond; be it further

Resolved, That in addition to the reasons herein set forth, and in support of the protest against issuing any order requiring the raising of the bridges referred to, that Pittsburgh proposes to absorb its portion of the contemplated Liberty Loan, commonly known as the Victory Loan, and proposes at all times

to do all that it is expected of her of a patriotic nature and to do the same willingly and gladly; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Honorable Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War.

Passed February 24, 1919.

Approved February 24, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 250.

No. 91

Whereas, The following bills for repairs were contracted by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, without competitive bids, and consequently can be paid only by authority of a resolution passed by Council in conformity with the Act of 1874; and

Whereas, Said repairs were furnished, accepted and used by the City during the month of January, 1919.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the firms and persons in payment of claims as scheduled below, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown in said schedule:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Andrew Amrhein & Bros.....	\$ 46.75	1516
Fred Bauer	64.60	1516
R. Doyle	26.75	1516
Andrew Engel	74.35	1516
I. J. Glatch.....	.50	1516
Hacker Bros.	11.70	1516
Kress Bros. Wagon Co.....	16.50	1516
William Miller.....	24.81	1516
Muhlick Bros.	5.75	1516
George Purdy	25.30	1516
Joseph Schiller	8.55	1516
Special Elec. Service Co.....	18.70	1516
Samuel Ward	191.50	1516
B. H. Frazier	97.80	1516
B. H. Frazier	13.60	1525
H. Hunziker	106.00	1516
H. Hunziker	95.00	1525
W. J. Hittner.....	41.15	1516
W. J. Hittner.....	52.87	1525
Mayer Wagon Co.....	209.40	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.....	46.25	1525
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	61.45	1516
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	10.20	1525
Iron City Spring Co.....	6.50	1557
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	84.02	1557

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 252.

No. 92

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Business Furniture Co....	\$ 25.00	1404½
B. K. Elliott Co.....	3.00	1425
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	2.50	1432
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	17.00	1563
McCue & Seibert.....	7.00	1649
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	26.80	1649
John F. Casey Co.....	23.15	1657
M. E. Cunningham Co.....	1.00	1657
The Lagonda Mfg. Co.....	34.34	1657
James McNeil & Bro. Co.	468.00	1657
East End Auto Radiator Rep. Co.....	15.00	1701
W. H. Speaker.....	14.00	1722
James T. Fox Co.....	1.90	1725
D. Hastings.....	2.75	1775
Samuel Ward.....	1.25	1775
Keystone Laundry Co.....	.68	1800
Mrs. Jennie Jones.....	15.92	1807
C. C. Mellor Co.....	16.00	1807
Lincoln Laundry Co.....	.82	1807
Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.....	6.55	1807
C. F. Ball.....	1.40	1810
Dr. A. B. Ferguson.....	27.09	1810
Lincoln Auto Service Co.	16.25	1810
Miller & Woodward, Inc.	18.50	1810
Robbins Electric Co.....	20.46	1810
South Hills Hardware Co.....	35.00	1810
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	1.00	1810
W. J. Tener & Co.....	119.99	Oliver Bath Trust Fund

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 253.

No. 93

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Delp's Sons, S.....	\$ 10.50	1066
Forrest, Robert.....	5.44	1570
Lange Motor Truck Co.....	10.27	1656
Penn Storage Battery Co.....	1.00	
Phillips, J. & H.....	49.00	1041
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Machine Co.....	82.94	1657
Somers, Fidler & Todd Co.....	1.95	1570

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Allis-Chalmers Manufaturing Co.....	25.60	1656
Axwell Equipment Co.....	19.50	1165
Baur Brothers Co.....	98.37	1232
Boggs & Buhl.....	16.25	1647
Bobbs Merrill Co., The.....	12.00	1078
Bruce, Charles A.....	1.64	1809
Bunting Stamp Co.....	.75	1018
Chandler-Boyd Supply Co.....	4.00	1656
Coon, J. W.....	2.20	1100
Consumers Auto Supply Co.....	3.00	1032
Department Reports Co.....	26.00	1078
Eugene Dietzgen Co.....	.79	1044
Elliott Co., B. K.....	1.20	1415
Engineering & Contracting	3.00	1018
Esser Brothers.....	3.70	1808
Frick & Lindsay Co.....	11.06	1168
Front Drive Motor Co.....	25.00	1165
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.....	4.53	1037
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.....	2.50	1647
Glancy, Dan.....	.65	1809
Heeren Brothers Co.....	5.60	1177
Holman, Jennie, Agent.....	11.00	1051
Jacobs Thompson Co.....	1,052.50	1322
Johnston, Moorehouse & Dickey Co.....	29.15	1655
Lange Motor Truck Co.....	1.25	1656
McClung Printing Co.....	8.25	1076
McKenna Drug Co.....	6.05	1232
McMurray's Drug Store.....	1.90	1034
Municipal Journal.....	3.00	1018
Mine Safety Appliance Co.	12.60	185-A
Milholland Co., J. & J. B.	54.00	185-A
Official Railway Guide Pub. Co.....	3.00	1018
Obernauer, Herbert D.....	532.24	1320
Ordinance Department, U. S. A.....	2,999.74	1656
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	78.20	1556
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.....	75.00	1658
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Mach. Co.....	7.00	1656
Penn Storage Battery Co.....	7.50	1639
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	.70	1100-M
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.....	21.00	1165
R. L. Polk & Co.....	12.00	1658
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.....	336.00	1656
Rochester Germicide Co.....	12.00	1811
Ronald, Press, The.....	9.00	1018
Shipley, Massingham Co.....	9.35	1647
Smith Brothers Co., Inc.....	14.40	1076

Westinghouse Traction		
Brake Co.	495.50	187
Wheeler Condenser & Engineering Co.	97.15	1656
Woodwell, Co., Jos.	4.00	1066

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

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No. 94

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Fallert, Paul	\$ 10.00	1811
Hill, Edwin M.	269.58	1541
Bruckman Lumber Co.	539.20	1541

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-PETITIVE PURCHASES.

Atlantic Refining Co.	51.75	1031
Atlantic Refining Co.	6.65	1430
Atlantic Refining Co.	4.60	1663
Axwell Equipment Co.	192.37	1165
Bailey Farrell Mfg. Co.	7.50	1809
Baur Brothers Co. (Ward Baking Co.)	100.58	1232
Brahm Co., A. L.	16.98	1224
Brahm Co., A. L.	236.46	1232
Business Furniture Co.	174.25	1026
Coon, W. J., Mrs.	16.20	1076
Consumers Auto Supply Co.	9.00	1032
Davison & Brother, J. K.	5.75	1664
Donnelly, James	12.56	1232
Farquhar, R. & J.	.80	1707
Feick Brothers Co.	30.60	1323
Horne Co., Joseph	7.50	1018
Keystone Service Typewriter Co.	9.00	1076
Kolzem, A. H.	20.50	1655
Kurtz, Langbein & Swartz	20.70	1321
Lanning, J. Frank	41.60	1555
Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories	8.00	1215
McKnight Hardware Co., Samuel	6.46	185-A
Manufacturers Light & Heat Co.	577.97	1320
Mayer Brick Co.	100.00	185-A
Point Motor Co.	22.50	1032
Quaker City Rubber Co.	1.50	1589
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.	6.00	1656
Shipley Massingham Co.	23.03	1164

Smith Brothers Co., Inc.	2.25	1076
Speck, Marshall Co.	733.59	1655
Standard Motor Car Co.	19.80	1032
Williams & Fox	91.08	1320

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 255.

No. 95

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Drs. Goldsmith & Gorfinkell	\$10.00	1163
Dr. C. I. Buvinger	32.00	1163
Allegheny General Hospital	74.50	1163
Howard B. Allen	2.00	1163
Keystone Laundry Co.	202.67	1163
Duquesne Light Co.	3.00	1163
Penn Storage Battery Co.	77.70	1166
Bertram G. Case	78.75	1166
Banker Windshield Co.	11.10	1166
Campbell-Niedringhaus	3.50	1166
American Atmos Corporation	22.66	1166
American Typewriter Inspection Co.	1.50	1166
August Loch	6.00	1166
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.	13.73	1166

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 256.

No. 96

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.	\$ 5.65	1130
T. E. Gillespie	15.00	1133
Keystone Laundry Co.	87.93	1147
The Western Pennsylvania Hospital	44.90	1147

Allegheny General Hospital	44.70	1147
L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co.	4.95	1150
The May Drug Co.	35.00	1150
Weber-Erickson Bunting Co.	2.15	1150
Pittsburgh Steel Stamp Co.	1.30	1150
A. H. Johnson	40.65	1150
Kaufmann Department Stores	118.35	1159-O
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh, Inc.	832.43	1160
Passed March 3, 1919.		
Approved March 6, 1919.		
Resolution Book 4, Page 257.		

No. 97

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
David Lawson	\$ 11.30	1649
McCune & Seibert	14.75	1649
James McNeil & Bro. Co.	72.00	1657
Pittsburgh Auto Spring Co.	3.00	1657
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.	169.01	1657
Hacker Brothers	.50	1665
Keystone Laundry Co.	1.06	1800
The Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania	76.08	1807
The Empire Laundry Co.	6.65	1807
Lincoln Laundry Co.	.99	1807
C. C. Mellor Co.	16.00	1807
Oakland Express & Transfer Co.	27.00	1807
Charles Sundermann	47.55	1807
Maurice S. Martin	53.95	1810
W. J. Succop Co.	13.45	1810
G. H. Shornhorst	28.50	1048

Passed March 3, 1919.
Approved March 6, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 258.

No. 98

Whereas, There is no contract between the City and the American Reduction Company of Pittsburgh for the removal of garbage and the collection of rubbish; and

Whereas, There is now due and owing said company \$97,647.39 for the months of October, November and December for which they claim payment.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the American Reduction Company in the sum of \$97,647.39 for the removal of garbage and the collection of rubbish during the months of October, November and December, and charge same to Appropriation No. 1259.

Passed March 3, 1919.
Approved March 6, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 258.

No. 99

Whereas, Contracts for the removal and disposal of garbage and rubbish within the City of Pittsburgh for the year ending December 31st, 1919, have not been awarded; and

Whereas, The contractors who held such contracts for eleven months ending December 31st, 1918, have removed and disposed of the garbage and rubbish during the month of January, 1919; and

Whereas, Accurate record has been kept of the amounts so removed; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$41,912.38 for the removal of 4,477.87 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 4,771.06 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$10,031.05 for the removal of 1,680.89 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 754.17 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health, the tonnage rates set forth in this resolution being the rates as established by the contractors for the period ending December 31st, 1918.

Passed March 3, 1919.
Approved March 6, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 259.

No. 100

Whereas, In the printing of Ordinance No. 10—"An Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof," approved January 22, 1919, through an error, Line 2, Section 8—Division of Motor Vehicles was printed \$1,050.00 instead of \$1,350.00; and

Whereas, The incumbent, Frank R. Bracey, suffered a loss of salary to the

amount of \$11.64, same being caused by the reduction in the rate of \$300.00 per annum from January 22, 1919, to February 5, 1919; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Frank R. Bracey in payment of his claim of \$11.64 and charge same to Code Account No. 1028, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 259.

No. 101

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of Harry Braun for merchandise as follows:

Name	Code Account	Amount
Municipal Hospital, supplies	1232	\$ 376.82
Leech Farm Sanatorium, supplies	1224	761.08
Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, supplies	1320	2,066.49
or so much of the same as may be necessary.		

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 259.

No. 102

Whereas, The following accounts were contracted by the Department of City Treasurer, for repairs, without solicitation of competitive bids, and the work being done the moneys, therefore, are due; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following in payment of the several claims as scheduled below, and charge the amounts to the respective appropriations as shown:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.	\$ 14.25	1065
Pittsburgh Machine & Supply Co.	23.40	1065

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 260.

No. 103

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of John F. Casey Company for three thousand three hundred seventy-nine and 63/100 (\$3,379.63) dollars, for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at Pumping Stations during the month of January, 1919, and charge same to Account No. 1653, "Wages Temporary," Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 260.

No. 104

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Lawrence H. Dorgan, a lieutenant in the Bureau of Fire, for the sum of one hundred and forty-two dollars (\$142.00) for expenses paid by him for services of nurses at Allegheny General Hospital, for thirty-four (34) days, and automobile hire, and charge same to Code Account No. 1163, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Fire.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 261.

No. 105

Whereas, It was necessary to take out liability insurance covering two (2) steam boilers, two (2) passenger and two (2) freight elevators at the East Diamond Market, Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works; and

Whereas, No provision was made for the payment of the same; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York for the sum of \$529.74 in payment of the Liability Insurance above specified, and

charge the same to Code Account No. 42-M, Contingent Fund.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 261.

No. 106

Whereas, Thomas Flannigan entered the service of the United States and obtained the legal leave of absence in accordance with the Act of Assembly making wife his dependent. That on his return he made application under the Act for reinstatement, but through no fault of his own he was not reinstated until February 1st, the Controller refused to pay his wife the dependent's allowance for the month of January; and

Whereas, The said Flannigan was thus deprived of pay for the month of January to which he was entitled; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Thomas Flannigan in the sum of \$112.50, being the amount of his salary for the month of January, and charge Appropriation No. 1805, Salaries, Regular—Bureau of Recreation.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 261.

No. 107

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Fourth Ward Soldiers' Welfare Association, John H. Callahan, Treasurer, for \$669.00 in payment of music furnished in parades of draftees departing from the Third Zone, Fourth ward, Pittsburgh, during the year 1918, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 262.

No. 108

Whereas, A disastrous fire occurred on January 31, 1919, at Bigelow boulevard, near Washington place, rendering

many families homeless and leaving them in destitute circumstances,

Whereas, The following bills for furniture, bedding, stoves were contracted by the Director of the Department of Charities in said relief; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the firms and persons in payment of the claim scheduled below, and charge the amounts to Appropriation 42, Contingent Fund:

Graft Company, stoves.....	\$ 338.90
Pittsburgh Dry Goods Co., blankets and pillows.....	196.00
M. H. Pickering Co., furniture and bedding	1,195.35

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 262.

No. 109

Whereas, In the construction of a new basement, smokestack and fan platform at the North Side Market it was found necessary to perform certain items of work which were not included in the contract but were necessary to the satisfactory completion of the work; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the B. A. Groah Construction Company for the sum of \$456.24 for the payment of extra work at the North Side Market and charge same to Appropriation No. 1592½, Structural and Non-Structural Improvements to the North Side Market, Bureau of City Property.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 262.

No. 110

Whereas, By the terms of the Ordinance fixing the number of officers and employees of all departments of the City of Pittsburgh and the rate of compensation thereof, approved January 22, 1919, two positions of Assistant Chief Inspector in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, were unintentionally eliminated; and

Whereas, The said positions have been re-created by the terms of Ordinance No. 20, approved February 6, 1919; and

Whereas, In the interim services were performed by the employees affected,

and payment for which services should be authorized; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in the amounts of \$73.92 each, in favor of William N. Jamison and S. H. Robertson, for services rendered as Assistant Chief Inspectors in the Bureau of Engineering, for the period from January 22 to February 5, 1919, inclusive, and charge same to Code Accounts Nos. 1482 and 1470, respectively.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 263.

No. 111

Whereas, George H. Massie of No. 1316 Chartiers avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., sustained personal injuries by falling into a ditch dug in the sidewalk on Chartiers avenue by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers on or about December 28th, 1918; and

Whereas, By reason of said fall George H. Massie sustained personal injuries, for which he filed his claim for \$250.00; and

Whereas, It appears the ditch dug in the sidewalk by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers was left unguarded by the necessary and proper danger signals; and

Whereas, George H. Massie has agreed to accept \$100.00 in full settlement of his claim; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of George H. Massie in the sum of \$100.00 in full settlement of all claims against the City of Pittsburgh, arising out of the personal injuries sustained as recited above, and same should be charged to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 263.

No. 112

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Matthews Bros. Manufacturing Company in the sum of \$121.50 for extra work in connection with the Mayor's Suite and Council Chamber furniture, the same to be pay-

able from and chargeable to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 264.

No. 113

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of James H. McQuaide & Sons Company for four thousand five hundred seven and 15/100 (\$4,507.15) dollars for labor furnished the Bureau of Water at the Filtration Plant, Aspinwall, Pa., during the month of January, 1919, and charge same to Account No. 1645, "Wages Temporary," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 264.

No. 114

Whereas, The City has leased from the Pennsylvania Railroad Company certain lots or pieces of ground for which no leases or contracts are on file in this department as required by law; and

Whereas, The City has occupied the premises and the Railroad Company has presented bills for rent now due; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in payment of the following rentals:

Twelve months' rental due January 1st, 1919, for scales located at Seventeenth Street Yards, chargeable to Appropriation No. 1561 in the sum of \$1.00.

Three months' rental on Playground and Bath House on Penn avenue between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets in the sum of \$100.00, chargeable to Appropriation No. 1807.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 264.

No. 115

Whereas, The repair accounts below enumerated were contracted by the De-

partment of the Mayor without solicitation of competitive bids; and

Whereas, The repairs were performed and the moneys therefore are honestly due the creditor to the amount shown; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor is authorized and directed to issue and the Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the firms and individuals in payment of the several claims as scheduled below and charge same to the designated code account:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

	Code	Amount.	Account
Pittsburgh Office Equip-			
ment Co.....	\$ 1.70	1017	

DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES.

P. F. Bartley.....	15.00	1033
H. Hunziker.....	115.00	1033
The Security Co.....	144.95	1033

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 265.

No. 116

Whereas, Music was furnished for a parade in celebration of the victory of the Marines on July 18th, 1918, by the Pittsburgh Orchestral Band, said band comprising eleven men at \$3.00 per man and one leader at \$6.00; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Pittsburgh Orchestral Band in the amount of \$39.00, same to be paid from the Contingent Fund, Appropriation No. 42.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 265.

No. 117

Whereas, The sum of eighteen hundred and ninety-one dollars and eighty-eight cents (\$1,891.88) was expended by William McK. Reed, Chairman of the Homes Registration Committee, for the expenses of the Homes Registration Service; and

Whereas, Allegheny County has paid one-half of the above expense, leaving a balance of nine hundred and forty-five dollars and ninety-four cents (\$945.94); therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of William McK. Reed, Chairman, in payment of the said sum of nine hundred and forty-five dollars and ninety-four cents (\$945.94), and charge same to Code Account No. 1018-B, Unliquidated Claims of the Bureau of City Housing.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 266.

No. 118

Whereas, John Rea, Chief Service Inspector, employed in the Distribution Division, Bureau of Water, was laid off January 22, 1919, but by reason of the notice of dismissal not reaching him until January 28th, he worked seven (7) days after dismissal, for which time he has not received pay; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of John Rea, Chief Service Inspector, for seven (7) days' time at the rate of one hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents per month, amounting to thirty-one dollars and forty-eight cents (\$31.48), and charge same to Bond Account No. 187-C, Bureau of Water.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 266.

No. 119

Whereas, William E. Rowbottom, registered plumber, of 1718-1720 Chateau street, North Side, Pittsburgh, was given a contract by Mrs. E. Glech to make a sewer connection at 1507 Knapp street; and

Whereas, The sewer records on file in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, show the sewer connections extended to the curb line; and

Whereas, William E. Rowbottom, plumber, after excavating at the point shown by the plans, failed to find any sewer connection, the said measurements for same being checked by the Inspector of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of William E. Rowbottom, registered plumber, of 1718-1720

Chateau street, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., for the sum of fifteen dollars and twenty-seven cents (\$15.27) in payment of claim for extending the sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line at 1507 Knapp street and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 266.

No. 120

Whereas, The Board of Water Assessors have installed a new system of keeping water meter and ledger combination accounts; and

Whereas, It requires the heading up of about 35,000 loose leaf ledger sheets; and

Whereas, Bids were taken and the work awarded to J. L. Thorpe at \$775.00; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of J. L. Thorpe in the sum of \$775.00 for heading up an approximate total of 35,000 loose leaf ledger sheets for the Board of Water Assessors, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 1342, Miscellaneous Services, Board of Water Assessors.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 267.

No. 121

Whereas, The City Treasurer, believing that the public could be better served by the installation of the Ulrich Compression Guide System in the place of the one installed at the time of furnishing the office last year; and

Whereas, Acting on that conviction procured its installation without waiting for due authority at the cost of \$435.00; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Ulrich Plan Filing Equipment Company in the sum of \$435.00, chargeable to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 267.

No. 122

Whereas, There is no appropriation in the Department of Law, Bureau of Public Improvements for repairs; and

Whereas, It was necessary that the two (2) typewriters in the Bureau of Public Improvements be adjusted; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Underwood Typewriter Company in the sum of \$5.50 for adjusting typewriters Nos. 862,744 and 769,931, and charge the same to Code Account No. 1089, Bureau of Public Improvements.

Passed March 3, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 268.

No. 123

Whereas, A certain lease for property situate on Bingham street and owned by Magdalena Rahe, used and occupied by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers as headquarters and for stable purposes, will expire on May 1st, 1919, and there has been submitted for the approval of the Council a certain lease from George A. Jones, agent for Magdalena Rahe, renewing the covenants embodied in the lease now in force and effect.

Resolved, By the Council of the City of Pittsburgh that the lease for a certain yard, together with the buildings thereon, situate on Bingham street between South Sixth and Seventh streets, Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, made by George A. Jones, agent for Magdalena Rahe, to the City of Pittsburgh for a term of one (1) year beginning May 1st, 1919, at a total rental of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200.00), payable monthly at the rate of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per month, shall be and the same is hereby approved, payment of said rental to be made from Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Services, Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 268.

No. 124

Whereas, Julius Arnd is the owner of three lots of ground fronting 66 feet on Cargill street and running back 110 feet to Fleetwood street, City of Pittsburgh, upon which are erected four two-

story brick dwelling houses known as Nos. 3305, 3307, 3309 and 3311 Cargill street, which said property has been assessed the sum of \$148.50 for the construction of a sewer on Fleetwood street by Viewers' proceedings entered to No. 1047 July Term, 1918; and

Whereas, The said Julius Arnd, as owner of the property aforesaid, has heretofore paid the sum of \$84.00 for the construction of a sewer on Cargill street, which said sewer was constructed under Ordinance of the City of Pittsburgh, approved July 13, 1896, and which was so constructed as to be of little or no benefit to his property; and

Whereas, The said Julius Arnd, as owner of the property aforesaid, paid the sum of \$34.00 for the construction of a sewer on Linoleum alley under Ordinance approved October 20, 1883, and also the further sum of \$67.50 for the construction of a sewer on Thirty-third street, which last mentioned sum was paid September 12, 1892; and

Whereas, Notwithstanding said assessments for sewer purposes made by the City of Pittsburgh and paid by the said Julius Arnd, the said Arnd was compelled at his own expense to construct about 105 feet of 10-inch sewer, costing about \$80.00, in order to drain his said property into the Linoleum alley sewer, which said sewer was subsequently destroyed by the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, Said sewer on Fleetwood street was not necessary and of no actual benefit to the Arnd property, and said assessment under the conditions recited is an undue burden on same, and a great hardship upon the owner of said premises; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said Julius Arnd be and is hereby exonerated and exempted from the payment of the said assessment of \$148.50 and interest for the construction of sewer on Fleetwood street, and the City Solicitor is hereby directed not to file any liens on account thereof.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 268.

No. 125

Whereas, In order to carry out and complete a new filing system in the Department of Law covering a period from 1909 to date, and which will include the preparation of a digest of opinions rendered by this Department, it is urgently necessary to employ a stenographer-clerk for a period of six months; and,

Whereas, It is the desire of the City Solicitor to appoint D. A. Toomey as stenographer-clerk in the General Office

of the Department of Law to assist in legal work, he having been employed as a stenographer-clerk to Special Assistant City Solicitor Charles K. Robinson on public utilities work, which position has been filled temporarily by Mrs. A. B. Snively during a leave of absence granted Mr. Toomey, who enlisted February 16, 1918, in the United States Naval Reserve Force, and was honorably discharged from said service February 7, 1919; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to employ D. A. Toomey temporarily as stenographer-clerk in the General Office of the Department of Law for a period of six months, beginning February 17, 1919, at a salary of \$132.50 per month, payable semi-monthly; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$795.00 from Code Account 42, Contingent Fund, to Code Account 1073 (Salaries, Department of Law).

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 269.

No. 126

Whereas, There remains to the credit of Appropriation 1359, Salaries and Wages, Carnegie Free Library, the sum of \$4,323.99, which the Board of Trustees desire carried over to credit of the same item for 1919; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to carry the \$4,323.99 remaining to the credit of Appropriation Item 1359 to the credit of Appropriation Item 1359 for the year 1919.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 270.

No. 127

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 171, Water Improvement and Extension Loan Fund, to Appropriation 171-A, Salaries and Expenses, Bureau of Water, the sum of five thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$5,000), for the purpose of payment of engineering, mechanical and other services performed by employees of, or furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, in the improvement and extension of water sys-

tem, installation of meters, etc., and materials and supplies used in connection with such work.

Passed March 3, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 270.

No. 128

Whereas, The following repair accounts were contracted by the Division of Motor Vehicles without solicitation of competitive bids; and

Whereas, The repairs were performed and the moneys are therefore due the contractors to the amount shown; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the various firms and individuals for the designated amounts and charge same to Code Account No. 1033, Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles.

	Code Amount Account	
H. S. Anderson.....	\$105.96	1033
Banker Windshield Co..	16.30	1033
H. Hunziker	91.00	1033
Iron City Spring Co.....	31.80	1033
Liberty Brazing & Weld- ing Co.	152.75	1033
Penn Storage Battery Company	9.00	1033
Pruyn Company	157.79	1033

Passed March 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 270.

No. 129

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Duquesne Light Co.....	\$ 19.59	1516
Andrew Engel.....	22.50	1516
James A. McKenna.....	268.75	1563
Profit Sharing Laundry Co.	228.00	1568
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	9.72	1568
Allegheny Repair Co.....	16.03	1575
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	9.72	1579

James A. McKenna.....	14.06	1583
Allegheny Garbage Co.....	174.30	1588
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.....	9.73	1588
Allegheny Repair Co.....	57.95	1591
James A. McKenna.....	36.30	1591
Doubleday-Hill Electric Co.	22.00	1622
James A. McKenna.....	371.57	1622
The White Co.....	392.76	1657
Maurice S. Martin.....	88.10	1803
Miss Naomi Brand.....	.60	1807
The Peoples Natural Gas Co.	112.44	187-A
Liberty Flag & Decorating Co.	12.00	Oliver Bath
East End Auto Lamp & Radiator Repair Co.....	14.00	1775
East End Auto Lamp & Radiator Repair Co.....	15.00	1685

Passed March 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 271.

No. 130

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Otis Elevator Co.....	\$ 1.20	1582
Speck-Marshall Co.....	14.00	1526

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Atlantic Refining Co.....	.25	1655
Atlantic Refining Co.....	28.42	1224
Bailey-Farrell Manufactur- ing Co.....	20.84	1175
Baur Bros. Bakery (Ward Baking Co.).....	23.88	1148
Baur Bros. Bakery (Ward Baking Co.).....	21.40	1745
B. B. & B. Trunk Co.....	10.00	1809
Beckert Seed Store.....	1.70	1776
Byrnes & Kiefer.....	3.60	1321
Chatfield & Woods.....	3.75	1663
Colonial Supply Co.....	92.00	1656
Consumers Auto Supply Co.	2.40	1032
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	3.30	1090
Cotton & Co., R. H.....	25.00	1325
Cudahy Packing Co.....	125.64	1224
Dreer, Henry A., Inc.....	1.67	1320
Doubleday-Hill Electric Co.	2.99	1656
DuPont DeNemours & Co., E. I.	255.48	185-A

East End Battery Service Co.	60.60	1164
Elliott Co., B. K.	27.14	1430
Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.	584.10	1165
Front Drive Motor Co., The	1,658.51	1165
Fort Pitt Hardware Co.	14.45	1809
Harbison-Walker Refractories Co.	707.00	1556
Heeren Brothers & Co.	1.10	1175
Hersey Manufacturing Co.	299.89	1664
Hollis & Smith Motion Co.	11.75	1809
Hollis & Smith Motion Co.	23.00	1811
Hopkins Press, The John	5.00	1823
Johnston, William G., Co.	410.00	1016
Johnston, William G., Co.	3.50	1249
Knox Motor Associates	187.70	1165
Ladew Co., Edward R.	4.56	1165
Larkin Manufacturing Co.	240.00	1168
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.	.35	1016
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.	1.15	1570
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.	1.55	1656
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.	.35	1658
McKenna Drug Co.	12.50	1232
Mosby, C. V., Medical Book & Pub. Co.	5.00	1218
Munhall & Co.	38.50	1131
National Municipal Review	5.00	1018
Newell Schneider Co.	4.00	1232
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	3.00	1100
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	.45	1647
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.	8.65	1556
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	.25	1590
Rust Engineering Co.	30.00	1656
Smith Co., Lee S.	27.75	1320
Speck-Marshall Co.	3.00	1618
Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Co.	26.51	185-A
Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Co.	1.56	1809
Standard Underground Cable Co.	15.88	1175
Voorhees Rubber Co.	254.72	1656
Welsbach Co.	11.28	1224
Welsbach Co.	6.24	1808
Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.	31.83	1673
Woodwell Co., Joseph	19.20	1165

Passed March 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 272.

No. 131

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment

of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.	\$ 15.15	1147
I. K. King, M. D.	15.00	1147
W. H. Champ.	43.77	1150
Bunting Stamp Co.	.75	1150
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.	22.67	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co.	4.20	1150
William C. Lauer	16.00	1150
K. Solomon & Co.	3.25	1159-O
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh, Inc.	910.43	1160

Passed March 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 273.

No. 132

Whereas, It became necessary to make certain roof repairs at Brilliant Pumping Station; and

Whereas, Repeated requests for lump sum bids for doing this work brought no bidders, it was decided to ask bids for doing the work on a "cost-plus" basis. Two proposals were received and one—that of George R. Eichenlaub—being satisfactory in all respects, it was submitted by the Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water, to the Director of Public Works for approval.

Approval was made on January 8, 1919, and on January 15, 1919, the above contractor started work, completing same on February 14, 1919. The work now being satisfactorily completed, be it therefore

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of George R. Eichenlaub for the sum of eleven hundred and eight dollars and eighteen cents (\$1,108.18) for all labor and material furnished for and the making of all necessary repairs to roof at the Brilliant Pumping Station, and that the same be charged to Appropriation No. 1657, Bureau of Water, Mechanical Division.

Passed March 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 274.

No. 133

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Robert Martin for one (1) car of bran, in the sum of eight hundred and fifty-eight (\$858.00) dollars, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account St. F., Department of Supplies.

Passed March 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 274.

No. 134

Whereas, John C. Thompson, owner of the property at 1602-04-06 Clark street, Third ward, Pittsburgh, was assessed for water rent for the second quarter of 1918 in the amount of \$60.52, and

Whereas, If he was assessed at the flat rate the amount would be \$7.70 a quarter; and

Whereas, Mr. Thompson believes he should not be compelled to pay more than the flat rate for any quarter; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors be and they are hereby authorized and directed to exonerate the property of John C. Thompson at 1602-04-06 Clark street, Third ward, Pittsburgh, in the sum of \$26.42, being the amount recommended by the Board of Water Assessors.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 274.

No. 135

Whereas, W. H. Heselbarth is the owner of certain property on the South Side on which he complains that the water rents are very excessive; and

Whereas, He was granted a rebate in April of last year; and

Whereas, His plumbing has been inspected and repaired, with positively no leakage; and

Whereas, the Water Assessors will grant no further adjustment of these rates without resolution of Council.

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and they are hereby authorized and directed to exonerate the water rents charged on these premises, at 440 and 440½ South Main street, in the sum of \$36.72, as recommended by the Board of Water Assessors.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 275.

No. 136

Whereas, Mrs. R. D. McQuillen is the owner of four small dwellings on the corner of Quince way and Pride street, which are supplied with water and metered; and

Whereas, The rents derived from such property are not more than sufficient to pay taxes and water rents; and

Whereas, She is dependent on said revenue for a living; and

Whereas, She believes said water rents are exorbitant, the rent for the quarter ending January 2, 1919, amounting to \$83.72; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and are hereby empowered and directed to make an exoneration of said water rates in the sum of \$38.49, as recommended by the Board of Water Assessors.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 275.

No. 137

Whereas, Ella A. Kearney is the owner of certain property at 1212 Colwell street on which she complains that the water rents for the second quarter of 1918 are excessive; and

Whereas, She claims that the plumbing is in good condition; and

Whereas, The Water Assessors will not grant her an adjustment to the amount which she believes she should be exonerated without a resolution of Council; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and they are hereby authorized and directed to adjust the water rates charged on these premises, at 1212 Colwell street, by exonerating her in the sum of \$59.18, as recommended by the Board of Water Assessors.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 276.

No. 138

Resolved, That the Librarian of the Carnegie Free Library of Allegheny be and he is hereby authorized and directed to grant the free use of the Music Hall on Friday evening, April 4th, 1919, for a public demonstration of Boy Scout activities.

Passed March 10, 1919.

Approved March 6, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 276.

No. 139

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Lange Motor Truck Co. \$	1.00	1656
Turner-Fricke Manufacturing Co.	255.22	1582

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Alling & Cory Co.	2.47	1096
American City, The.	3.00	1018
American Medical Association	3.00	1245
Beltz, Charles F.	.80	1647
Brahm Co., A. L.	9.13	1224
Business Furniture Co.	20.00	1018-B
Chandler Boyd Supply Co.	110.73	185-A
Chesterton Co., A. W.	10.26	1655
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	3.30	1249
Doubleday-Hill Electric Co.	45.37	183-Bond
Engineering News Record	5.00	1018
Gasoline Supply Co.	1.15	1426
Kennedy Co., D. J.	13.82	1535
Leggett Co., William T.	572.88	185-A
Liberty Engraving Co.	3.00	1148
McKenna Brass & Manufacturing Co.	46.00	1648
McKnight Hardware Co., Samuel	21.72	1590
Maloney & Son, T. D.	13.00	1663
Matthews & Co., Jas. H.	3.85	1572
Murphy Iron Works.	675.00	1656
Orton & Steinbrenner Co.	4.36	1556
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.	123.25	185-A
Point Motor Co.	15.88	1032

Point Motor Co.	2.90	1809
Smolevitz, M.	6.00	1572
Somers, Fidler & Todd Co.	10.00	1032
Strain, James D.	2.40	1555
Treat & Co., E. B.	4.00	1245
Taylor-Wilson Manufacturing Co.	717.40	1556
United Oil Co.	55.46	1655

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 276.

No. 140

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Public Safety in 1918 acting, as he supposed, under an Act of Assembly approved July 18, 1917, authorizing the Governor to appoint a Volunteer Home Police during the continuance of the war with Germany, organized a force of Home Defense League, in which were enrolled membership of over eight thousand citizens; and

Whereas, In forming said Defense League no attention was given to the requirements of said Act, and therefore the State Council of National Defense have refused for that reason to pay the expenses incurred or any part thereof; and

Whereas, There remains outstanding and unpaid bills amounting in the aggregate to \$505.00, the remainder having been paid by private subscription.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and charge the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund :

Army and Navy Store Co.	\$ 40.00
Gasoline Supply Co.	30.00
Kaufmann Department Stores.	100.00
W. Stokes Kirk.	150.00
Penn Motor Supply Co.	60.00
Rosenbaum Co.	125.00

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 277.

No. 141

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts

to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 5.35	1130
Keystone Laundry Co.....	84.67	1147
St. Joseph's Hospital.....	17.00	1147
W. S. Brown.....	62.00	1150
Bunting Stamp Co.....	1.50	1150
American Typewriter Inspection Co.	2.00	1150

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 278.

No. 142

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	\$67.08	1417
Duquesne Tool Mfg. Co.....	4.85	1516
Andrew Engel	59.95	1516
B. H. Frazier.....	35.50	1516
Hacker Bros.	6.90	1516
H. Hunziker	74.00	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.....	67.10	1516
George Purdy	28.45	1516
C. G. Ruhland Wagon Works	65.50	1516
Zahn-Larkin	21.00	1520
H. Hunziker	1.50	1525
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	29.39	1557
Andrew Amrhein & Bro.....	3.20	1665

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 273.

No. 143

Whereas, The following accounts were contracted by the Department of the City Treasurer for advertising and for repairs, without solicitation of competitive bids, and the work being done the moneys are due; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following in payment of the several claims as scheduled below, and charge the amounts

to the respective appropriations as shown:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
The Pittsburgh Sun.....	\$ 12.16	1062
Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph	100.80	1062
The Pittsburgh Post.....	21.01	1062
Pittsburgh Gazette Times..	56.00	1062
Press Publishing Co.....	81.00	1062
Dispatch Publishing Co.....	75.60	1062
Neeb - Hirsch Publishing Co.	25.00	1062
M. E. Cunningham Co.....	4.00	1065

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 279.

No. 144

Whereas, Contracts for the removal and disposal of garbage and rubbish within the City of Pittsburgh for the year ending December 31st, 1919, have not been awarded; and

Whereas, The contractors who held such contracts for eleven months ending December 31st, 1918, have removed and disposed of the garbage and rubbish during the month of February, 1919; and

Whereas, Accurate record has been kept of the amounts so removed; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$34,200.95 for the removal of 3,665.82 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 3,885.56 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$8,365.63 for the removal of 1,395.45 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 633.01 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health, the tonnage rates set forth in this resolution being the rates as established by the contractors for this period ending December 31st, 1918.

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 279.

No. 145

Whereas, By reason of there not having been sufficient funds appropriated in the Appropriation Ordinance for 1918 to

meet the charges for the removal of rubbish and garbage in accordance with their contract; and

Whereas, Council made ample provision to pay said bills in Item 1259, Appropriation Ordinance for 1919.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Allegheny Garbage Company in the sum of \$26,-674.49, in full for the amount due it for the removal of garbage and rubbish up until December 31st, 1918, and charge same to Appropriation No. 1259.

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 280.

No. 146

Whereas, Mrs. Mary Coll, while walking on the north side of Penn avenue between Fairmount and Roup streets, on the 29th day of April, 1918, was run down by a hook and ladder company belonging to the City and was seriously and severely injured, as shown by the accompanying petition; and

Whereas, Said truck was neither going to nor returning from a fire, and at the time was running at great speed.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mrs. Mary Coll in the amount of \$1,000.00 in full payment for damages caused by the accident as above recited, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 280.

No. 147

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Robert Dickey & Company in the sum of five hundred and five dollars and sixty-two cents (\$505.62), or so much of the same as may be necessary, for broom corn for use at the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, at Mayview, Pennsylvania, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1320, Department of Charities.

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 281.

No. 148

Whereas, It was found that the lateral connections which had been extended to the curb line of Benton avenue were found to be such that they had to be lowered in front of Nos. 921-923; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Gordon & Wehling for the sum of fifteen dollars and seventy cents (\$15.70) for lowering lateral connections, and charge same to Code Account No. 42-M, Contingent Fund.

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 281.

No. 149

Whereas, Certain necessary expenses were incurred by M. H. Gottschall, Mayor's Secretary, in connection with the renewal of his commission as Notary Public for service of the City in transaction of official business through the office of the Mayor; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of M. H. Gottschall for the sum of forty-two dollars and fifty cents (\$42.50), which sum was expended by him, and charge the same to Code Account No. 1015, Miscellaneous Services, Mayor's Office.

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 281.

No. 150

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Mallometer Sales Co. in the sum of \$585.00 for the purchase of a mailometer for the Department of City Treasurer, and charge

the same to Appropriation No. 42-H, Contingent Fund, Filing Equipment.

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 282.

No. 151

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Murphy Iron Works in the sum of eight hundred and fifty-six dollars and forty cents (\$856.40) or so much of the same as may be necessary, for furnace parts to be used at Ross Pumping Station, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1588, Bureau of Water.

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 282.

No. 152

Whereas, In moving the various City departments into the new City-County Building during the years 1917 and 1918, before the building was completed; and,

Whereas, It was necessary to use the hoist operated by the James L. Stuart Company in lifting the furniture, filing cases and records to the various floors which hoist was operated by them at a charge of \$2.00 per hour; and,

Whereas, They have now rendered a complete bill for the services rendered; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of James L. Stuart in the amount of two thousand eighty-four dollars and thirty cents (\$2,084.30), in payment for the service rendered, and charge same to Code Account 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 282.

No. 153

Whereas, It is deemed proper and right to insure the boilers in the Public Safety Building on Sixth avenue; and,

Whereas, No provision is made in the Ordinance authorizing the insurance of public buildings, etc.; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of W. J. Tener & Company in the sum of \$92.64 for insurance on boilers in the Public Safety Building and charge same to Miscellaneous Services, Item B-1130.

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 283.

No. 154

Whereas, J. P. Zimmerman, a clerk in the City Treasurer's Office, took in a \$1.00 Federal Reserve note raised to a \$20.00 note; and

Whereas, The note passed through the hands of the cashier and was finally detected by a teller in the First National Bank and turned over to the Treasury Department of the United States Government; and,

Whereas, The Treasurer has deducted \$20.00 from the wages of the said clerk, J. P. Zimmerman; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of J. P. Zimmerman in the sum of \$20.00, refunding the amount deducted from his wages, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed March 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 283.

No. 155

Whereas, The Board of Water Assessors has exonerated Walter Coleman, 4902 Yew street, Eighth ward, from the payment of water rent assessed against his property for the years 1916, 1917 and 1918, but under the law is only permitted to grant an exoneration for one year, namely, 1918; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors be and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to Walter Coleman in the sum of \$46.00 for water rent on his property at 4902 Yew street, for the years 1916 and 1917.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 283.

No. 156

Whereas, In an agreement made for the Phipps Playground, in the Twenty-second ward, on the North Side, it was agreed among other things that the City should exonerate the taxes assessed against said property during its use as a playground; and,

Whereas, The taxes assessed against said property in the name of Lawrence Albert DeRoy for the year 1919 amounts to \$1,295.67.

Resolved, That the Department of Assessors shall be and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration in favor of Lawrence A. DeRoy for property in the Twenty-second ward, North Side, used by the City of Pittsburgh as a playground, for city taxes in the sum of \$1,295.67 for the year 1919.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 284.

No. 157

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh has authorized the Department of Public Works to construct a flight of steps or stairs known as the Bluff Street Steps on the site of the old Fort Pitt Incline Plane, on the hillside between Second avenue and Bluff street, and said Department is now ready to proceed with said work; and,

Whereas, Pittsburgh & Connellsville Railroad Company, now the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, from which the said Fort Pitt Incline Plane Company originally obtained its right of way for its location on said hillside without obtaining any legal decree of dissolution, has been abandoned for many years and left unpaid certain tax liens entered against it as follows:

Lien at No. 63 December Term,	
1899	\$396.66
Lien at No. 34 December Term,	
1900	207.86
Lien at No. 38 March Term,	
1902	220.50

and,

Whereas, Said Pittsburgh & Connellsville Railroad Company, now the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, requires that said liens of record against the said Fort Pitt Incline Plane Company be satisfied and cleared up before it will grant the necessary right of way or consent for the City to proceed with the construction and erection of said Bluff Street Steps on said site; and,

Whereas, Said liens by reason of the fact that said Incline Plane Company has practically gone out of existence and

been wholly abandoned, said liens are entirely worthless; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be authorized to satisfy all of the aforesaid liens or any others that may be found to exist against the said Fort Pitt Incline Plane Company, and charge the costs thereof to the City.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 284.

No. 158

Whereas, The Congregation of Tiphereth Israel is the owner of property at the corner of Fullerton and Clark streets, Third ward, Pittsburgh, which property was assessed unreasonable water rents for the years 1912 to 1916, both inclusive, and pending an adjustment of the matter, the rents were allowed to go delinquent and liens were filed for the years 1912 to 1915, both inclusive, as follows:

No. 4, January Term, 1916;

No. 93, April Term, 1916;

No. 102, April Term, 1917;

No. 130, April Term, 1918; and

Whereas, The Board of Water Assessors, after due investigation, has agreed that the sum of \$40.90 would be a just and equitable water rate on this property for each year; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Collector of Delinquent Taxes be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have said liens, filed as aforesaid, satisfied of record upon the payment by the Said Congregation of Tiphereth Israel of the sum of \$163.60, with interest to date (being at the rate of \$40.90 per annum, as agreed upon); and, be it further

Resolved, That the said Delinquent Tax Collector be and he is hereby authorized and directed to accept the sum of \$40.90, with interest to date, as payment in full for water rent for the year 1916 assessed against property of said Congregation of Tiphereth Israel; the costs in each of the above cases to be charged to the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 285.

No. 159

Whereas, J. J. Wadle is the lessee of property at 921 East street, North Side, Pittsburgh, which is owned by Joseph Standfest; and

Whereas, Mr. Wadle pays the water rent assessed against the property, and in 1917 paid an approximate rental of \$45.00 and in 1918 was assessed the sum of \$139.71, and believes this amount excessive; therefore, be it

Whereas, He has already received an exoneration in the sum of \$55.11 for 1918, but still believes the amount excessive; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors be and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to J. J. Wadle in the sum of \$39.60 for water rent for the year 1918.

Passed March 17, 1919.

Approved March 19, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 285.

No. 160

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Douds Coal Co.....	\$ 6.00	1164
Gilchrist's Sons Co., J. M.....	28.74	1164
Horne Co., Joseph.....	6.00	1066
Houston Brothers Co.....	18.00	1533
Pittsburgh Piping & Equipment Co.....	64.35	1656
Seagrave Co., The.....	826.41	1165
Speck-Marshall Co.....	9.00	1526
Turner Co., C. A.....	17.62	1664
Youghiogheny Coal Co.....	140.55	1164

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Allis-Chalmers Co.....	1,292.07	1656
American Architect, The.....	10.00	1117
Atlantic Refining Co.....	.63	1655
Baur Brothers Co.....	121.75	1232
B. B. & B. Trunk Co.....	9.00	1700
Bearings Service Co.....	1.44	1032
Beckert Seed Store.....	11.40	1745
Donnelly, James.....	21.66	1232
Dyke Motor Supply Co.....	1.15	1032
Elliott-Fischer Co.....	.90	1063
Garlock Packing Co.....	61.97	1655
Gilchrist's Sons Co., J. M.....	82.08	1655
Gray, Alexander.....	4.45	1673
Jarecki Manufacturing Co.....	2.00	1648
Keystone Brass Foundry Co.....	5.70	1165
Kinney & Levan Co.....	170.00	1323
Knox Motor Associates.....	24.90	1165
Machinist Supply Co.....	8.00	1804

Michel & Co., C. A.....	25.38	1165
Point Motor Co.....	5.22	1032
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	3.00	1683
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	3.30	1808
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	3.30	1556
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	2.95	1569
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.....	8.67	185-A
Rising & Radcliffe.....	25.00	1808
Reick Co., Edward E.....	250.30	1232
Scientific Materials Co.....	3.51	1647
Seven Baker Brothers.....	138.13	1224
Singer Pen & Gift Shop.....	1.25	1016
Turner, Inc., C. A.....	18.00	1323
Valley Camp Coal Co.....	25.63	1320
Winton Co., The.....	3.00	1165

Passed March 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 286.

No. 161

Whereas, Robert W. Ardary, owner of property in the Sixth ward, overpaid his city taxes to the amount of \$58.00 for the year 1918, and is entitled to a refund; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Robert W. Ardary for the sum of \$58.00, refunding amount overpaid for city taxes for the year 1918 on his property in the Sixth ward, and charge same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding City Taxes.

Passed March 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 287.

No. 162

Whereas, Amelia Reefer, of 27 Bascom street, Pittsburgh, has been assessed the sum of \$150.00 for the construction of a sewer on said Bascom street; and,

Whereas, It is impossible to drain her property into said sewer, as the sewer is 4 feet higher than her basement, and the sewer is, therefore, of no benefit to her and she should not be assessed for the same; therefore, be it

Resolved, That on the payment of the sum of sixty dollars into the Treasury by Amelia Reefer on account of an assessment for the construction of a sewer on Bascom street, the City Solicitor shall be and he is hereby authorized and

directed to issue a receipt to Amelia Reever in full of said assessment and charge the remainder to the City.

Passed March 24, 1919.

Approved April 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 287.

No. 163

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 171-C, "Refund for Water Meters Installed by Private Parties," to Appropriation No. 171-A, "Salaries and Expenses," Bureau of Water, the sum of four thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$4,000.00), for the purpose of payment of engineering, mechanical and other services performed by employees of, or furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, in the improvement and extension of water system, installation of meters, etc., and materials and supplies in connection with such work.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 7, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 288.

No. 164

Whereas, House Bill No. 923, session of 1919, proposes to further amend the Act of June 7, 1879, and its amendments, which Act with its amendments now provides that three-fourths of the net amount of tax on the return of property subject to taxation for State purposes shall be returned by the State Treasurer to the county paying such tax, so that the amended Act shall provide for the return of only one-half of such tax to the County; and,

Whereas, The passage of said amended Act will deprive the Counties of the State, more particularly the County of Allegheny, of a large proportion of their revenues; and

Whereas, It is the belief of this Council that the diverting of such tax from the Counties will necessitate the placing of an additional tax upon real estate and thereby injuriously affect the interests of the citizens of Pittsburgh; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor and the Council of the City of Pittsburgh hereby protest against the passage of said House Bill No. 923, and that copies of this resolution be sent to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the members of the Senate and House for Allegheny County and to the said

County Commissioners of Allegheny County.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 288.

No. 165

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Andrew Armheim Bros.....	\$ 7.65	1516
East End Stair Co.....	36.00	1557
I. J. Glatch.....	2.00	1525
H. Hunziker	20.00	1462
H. Hunziker	4.80	1516
Independent Towel Supply Co.....	2.75	1554
Keystone Wagon Co.....	30.00	1525
Laurel Land Co.....	105.35	1528
Lincoln Laundry Co.....	1.49	1807
L. K. Mearkle & Bros.....	206.80	1513
C. C. Mellor Co.....	16.00	1807
Miller & Woodward, Inc.....	5.50	1810
McQuillan Brothers	2.00	1657
National Gear Wheel Foundry	82.20	1557
Sigmund Paulat.....	9.40	1767
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	1.90	1404
Henry Rectanus.....	10.25	1665
Joseph Schiller.....	16.35	1516
The S. Hamilton Co.....	119.25	1810
The Humboldt Fire Insurance Co.....	34.06	1513
The Empire Laundry Co.....	3.40	1807
Wappet Gear Works.....	57.42	1557

Passed March 31, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 288.

No. 166

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Colonial Art Furniture Co. \$18.00	18.00	1066
Pittsburgh Carbon Brush Co.	18.00	1620
Phillips, J. & H.	11.50	1535
Solomon, I.	119.56	1321

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Atlantic Refining Co.	21.33	1320
American Type Founders Co.	17.60	1321
Baur Brothers Co.	20.66	1745
Bunting Stamp Co.	1.85	1099
Business Furniture Co.	17.00	1026
Coon, Mrs. J. W.	3.30	1048
Derrick Publishing Co.	48.33	1063
Dyke Motor Supply Co.	17.08	1032
Edlis Co.	38.25	1811
Erie City Iron Works.	7.50	1321
Fallert, Paul	10.00	1811
Frick & Lindsay Co.	92.40	185-A
Garlock Packing Co.	65.32	1320
Garlock Packing Co.	17.66	1569
Hill, E. M.	166.55	1541
Houston Bros. Co.	2.59	1533
Knox Motor Associates.	181.27	1165
McCloskey, J. R.	5.00	1811
Manufacturers Light & Heat Co.	554.28	1320
National Process Co., Inc..	48.75	1415
Nuttall Co., R. D.	10.75	1656
Painter-Dunn Co.	33.50	1032
Penn Storage Co.	1.05	1032
Point Motor Co.	75.27	1032
Pittsburgh Insect Exterminating Co.	8.40	S.T.F.
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.	11.10	1656
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	1.25	1016
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	.45	1025
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	4.15	1174
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.	57.50	1321
Pyrene Manufacturing Co..	36.00	1555
Reed & Witting.	15.00	1048
Rieck Co., Edward E.	497.44	1224
Rieck Co., Edward E.	65.80	1745
Rising & Radcliffe.	5.00	1808
Seven Baker Brothers.	154.63	1224
Sauter Co., John.	163.50	1331
Shipley Massingham Co.	7.50	1243
Underwood Typewriter Co..	1.00	1331
Woodwell Co., Joseph.	32.00	1165

Passed March 31, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 289.

No. 167

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.	\$175.72	1163
Mercy Hospital.	19.43	1163
Passavant Hospital.	8.25	1163
Duquesne Light Co.	3.00	1163
Dayton Rubber Mfg. Co.	4.27	1163
Iron City Spring Co.	51.00	1166
Terheyden Co.	9.00	1166
A. H. Johnson.	29.80	1166
Bertram G. Case.	73.08	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co..	11.25	1166
James Rees & Sons Co.	7.60	1166
H. W. Johns-Manville Co..	2.20	1166
A. H. Johnson.	5.75	1176
Allegheny General Hospital.	201.00	1163

Passed March 31, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 9 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 291.

No. 168

Whereas, Mrs. A. R. Cobaugh, 5456 Penn avenue, City of Pittsburgh, was a pedestrian on Collins avenue at the intersection of Penn avenue, highways of the City of Pittsburgh, on February 1st, 1919, between the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock P. M.; and,

Whereas, By reason of a defective condition of Collins avenue she fell, sustaining injuries to her foot and breaking her eye glasses and ear trumpet; and

Whereas, She has filed her claim against the City of Pittsburgh asking to be paid the sum of \$100.00 for the loss of personal property and personal injuries; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mrs. A. R. Cobaugh in the sum of \$100.00 for the loss of personal property and personal injuries, and charge the same to Contingent Fund No. 42.

Passed March 31, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 291.

No. 169

Whereas, Warrant No. 13887, dated June 26th, 1916, for \$19.56, in favor of the Eagle Lubricating Oil Company in payment of Eagle Lubricant delivered to Brilliant Pumping Station, was either lost or mislaid; and,

Whereas, Payment was stopped at the time on said warrant and it has never been presented for payment.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a duplicate warrant in favor of the Eagle Lubricating Company for \$19.56 in place of warrant lost, and charge same to Appropriation No. 1655.

Passed March 31, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 292.

No. 170

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the following person in payment of claim contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Appropriation No.
Joseph H. Dye.....	\$27.50 1158 A.M.

Passed March 31, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 292.

No. 171

Whereas, The elevators in the Diamond Market were badly in need of repair and in order to comply with the law it was necessary to have same made; and,

Whereas, This office was unable to secure bids to have the work done by contract and we were therefore compelled to give the work to the Elevator Equipment and Repair Company, who were the lowest bidders on a time and material basis; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Elevator Equipment and Repair Company in the amount of \$809.96 for repairs to elevators at the Diamond Market, same to be paid from Appropriation No. 1583, Repairs, Diamond Mar-

ket, Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works.

Passed March 31, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 292.

No. 172

Whereas, The Republic Rubber Company were awarded a contract for furnishing filtration hose for the Bureau of Water; and,

Whereas, The hose furnished by them was not according to specifications; and,

Whereas, The demand for the hose for immediate use was urgent and the company offered to furnish the hose delivered at a rate of fifty per cent discount; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Republic Rubber Company in the sum of \$343.75, chargeable to Appropriation No 1650.

Passed March 31, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 293.

No. 173

Whereas, The Women's Employment Committee of the Council of National Defense is engaged upon the work of finding employment for the citizens and inhabitants of the City of Pittsburgh; and,

Whereas, By reason of the failure of Congress to pass the appropriation bills said committee is without funds to carry on its work; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, warrants not to exceed in the aggregate sum of \$6,000.00 for the purpose of defraying the operating expenses of the Women's Employment Committee of the Council of National Defense, which shall be disbursed upon vouchers and payrolls to be approved and certified by the Mayor, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, until such time as Congress shall appropriate the necessary funds to defray the expenses of said committee.

Passed March 31, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 293.

No. 174

Whereas, The property located at Western avenue and Chateau street, in the Twenty-first ward, is being used by the North Side Board of Trade as an athletic field and playgrounds; and,

Whereas, Said Board of Trade has entered into a lease for this property for the year 1919, on condition that the City exonerate the taxes; and,

Whereas, The taxes assessed against said property in the name of Stewart H. Clapp and Walter H. Hawkins for the year 1919 amounts to \$693.00.

Resolved, That the Department of Assessors shall be and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration in favor of Stewart H. Clapp and Walter H. Hawkins for property in the Twenty-first ward used by the North Side Board of Trade as an athletic field and playground in the sum of \$693.00 for the year 1919.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Approved April 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 294.

No. 175

Whereas, House Bill No. 117 is now pending in the Legislature, which bill is intended so to amend Section 4 of the Act of 1913, creating the Public Service Commission as to confer discretionary power on the Commission in the matter of suspending increased rates by public service companies upon hearing, etc.; and,

Whereas, We deem this amendment to the existing law as of vital importance to the people of this community. Ever since the enactment of our Public Service Commission law there has been arbitrary and abusive action upon the part of the Pittsburgh Railways Company in the matter of increased fares, and the rebate system adopted and put into effect by said company is troublesome and burdensome and results in a considerable injustice to the public, from whom unreasonable exactions have been made; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Council and the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh do earnestly endorse and recommend the passage of said amending act by the honorable, the House and Senate of Pennsylvania.

Passed April 7, 1919.

Approved April 16, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 294.

No. 176

Whereas, James T. Aston, an inspector in the Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, was absent from duty on account of a severe illness, from February 25th to March 8th, 1919, inclusive, which equals twelve working days at \$4.85 per day, amounting to \$58.20; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of James T. Aston for the sum of fifty-eight dollars and twenty cents (\$58.20) for time lost during his illness, and charge same to Code Account No. 1449, A-4, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering.

Passed April 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 16, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 294.

No. 177

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
A. B. C. Engineering Co.....	\$ 52.50	1557
Allegheny Garbage Co.....	160.23	1588
P. F. Bartley.....	34.50	1583
W. S. Brown.....	1.25	1665
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.	6.10	1525
Business Office Furniture Co.	4.75	1640
R. W. Deisroth.....	6.00	1722
B. H. Frazier.....	1.00	1665
James T. Fox.....	1.50	1725
John Gehb Co.....	10.00	1599
John Gehb Co.....	356.35	1602
P. J. Guina.....	2.50	1665
Hacker Brothers	3.00	1665
Independent Towel Supply Co.	1.75	1508
A. E. Jones Co.....	81.30	1568
H. W. Johns-Manville Co..	2.00	1525
M. M. Kidney Elevator Co.	11.00	1583
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	.63	1417
James E. Mercer.....	30.75	1520
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	30.65	1557
Packard Motor Co.....	1.50	1557
Pennsylvania Electrical Repair Co.....	13.00	1583
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.....	1.70	1425

Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.	1.40	1487
Remington Typewriter Co.	2.00	1657
John Sauter Co.	3.65	1583
Speck Marshall Co.	8.10	1571
H. W. Swishholm.	81.00	1516
Underwood Typewriter Co.	.75	1665
United Exterminating & Chemical Co.	29.17	1579
Wappat Gear Works.	3.25	1520
Home Defense Band.	132.00	1783

Passed April 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 16, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 295.

No. 178

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Axwell Equipment Co.	\$ 5.04	1165
Axwell Equipment Co.	10.00	1168
Atlantic Refining Co.	5.11	1320
Atlantic Refining Co.	18.11	1523
Atlantic Refining Co.	2.28	1555
Alexander Bros. Co., Inc.	19.80	1148
Bockstoce, E. Wolz.	7.50	1215
Bursner, J. M.	80.00	1165
Bunting Stamp Co.	11.50	1550
Bunting Stamp Co.	1.50	1016
Brahm Co., A. L.	97.94	1224
Brahm Co., A. L.	215.64	1232
Bearings Service Co.	3.91	1032
Baur Bros. Bakery (Ward Baking Co.)	32.32	1148
Cunningham, M. E.	.75	1331
Crosby Steam Gage & Valve Co.	8.14	1655
Colvin-Atwell Co.	3.25	1320
Chain Belt Co.	45.33	1556
Dayton Tire & Rubber Co.	404.57	1165
Dayton Tire & Rubber Co.	404.57	1165
Equitable Gas Co.	2.40	1519
Elliott Co., B. K.	5.00	1148
Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.	315.05	1165
Feick Bros. Co.	4.50	1218
Feick Bros. Co.	48.85	1236
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.	2.67	1016
Houston Bros.	33.36	1533
Heeren Bros. & Co.	5.00	1156
Iron City Electric Co.	20.54	1031

Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.	10.97	1570
Knapp Bros. Co.	1.85	1320
Knock, Henry	41.34	1320
Kaufmann's "The Big Store"	8.98	1811
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.	96.00	185-A
Ludebuehl & Son, P.	390.00	1320
Pittsburgh Printing Co.	5.65	1506
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	23.00	183
Pittsburgh Paint Co.	56.75	1165
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	19.75	1433
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.	1.08	1415
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.	9.55	1656
Pittsburgh Foundry & Machine Co.	125.54	1664
Pittsburgh Electrical & Machine Works	1.25	1663
Pittsburgh Desk & Chair Co.	66.67	1022
Pittsburgh Block & Mfg. Co.	24.75	1664
Polk & Co., R. L.	12.00	1086
Phillips, J. & H.	.60	1655
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.	18.35	1656
Reed & Witting.	4.00	1048
Robbins Electric Co.	27.34	1164
Stewart Speedometer Service Station	10.50	1032
Sterling Equipment & Supply Co.	146.96	1320
Standard Scale & Supply Co.	1.35	1331
Standard Motor Car Co.	16.50	1032
Spitzer Printing Co.	19.00	1148
Spalding & Brother, A. G.	60.21	1811
Smith & Co., Elmer D.	27.65	1707
Slentz Manufacturing Co.	19.50	1321
Slentz Manufacturing Co.	2.25	1331
Shore, William, Jr.	2.07	1550
Service Co., The.	2.25	1031
Service Co., The.	2.25	1655
Scott Co., I. W.	22.40	1320
Woodwell Co., Joseph.	6.50	1330
Williams Art Shop, C. L.	30.00	1611
Weldin Co., J. R.	1.50	1048

Passed April 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 16, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 296.

No. 179

Whereas, The following accounts were contracted without solicitation of competitive bids by the Division of Motor Vehicles as shown below; and

Whereas, The repairs were performed and the moneys therefore are honestly due the creditor to the amount shown; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of

the following named firms for the respective amounts hereinafter named, to-wit:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Electric Motor Repairs Co.	\$ 33.53	1033
Iron City Spring Co.	69.95	1033
Liberty Brazing & Welding Co.	209.00	1033
Otis Elevator Co.	174.75	1033
The Pruyn Co.	82.75	1033
The Security Co.	156.15	1033
C. L. Sullivan Co.	65.00	1033
Total	\$791.13	

Passed April 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 16, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 298.

No. 180

Whereas, The following bills for material and repairs were contracted by the Department of Public Health without competitive bidders and consequently can be paid only by authority of a resolution passed by Council, in conformity with the Act of 1874; and

Whereas, Said material and repairs were furnished, accepted and used by the City; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of firms and persons in payment of claims listed below, and charge amounts to the appropriation items as shown in said list:

Name.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Keystone Typewriter Service Co., repairs	\$ 5.50	1197
Scientific Materials Company, repairs	3.50	1217
A. H. Johnson, repairs	4.95	1217
William McNabb, repairs	35.00	1217
Bernard Gloekler Company, repairs	3.75	1226
Bernard Gloekler Company, repairs	13.08	1235
The Mayer Wagon Company, repairs	10.00	1226

Passed April 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 16, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 298.

No. 181

Whereas, In carrying out the contract for making certain repairs to the roadway of the California Avenue Bridge it was found necessary to have the contractor straighten out thirty expansion plates in the two expansion joints on this bridge; and

Whereas, Unit prices covering the cost thereof not being included in the contract as entered into, it was decided to pay for the cost thereof as extra work; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mannella Construction Co. for the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) for extra work done on the contract for making certain repairs to the roadway of the California Avenue Bridge, and charge same to Appropriation No. 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, 1918.

Passed April 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 16, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 299.

No. 182

Whereas, The Board of Water Assessors has exonerated Patrick McInerney from the payment of certain water rents on his property at 231 and 318 Soho street Fifth ward; and

Whereas, Under the law the Board of Water Assessors is only allowed to grant one exoneration for one year; and

Whereas, Mr. McInerney thinks he should be allowed a further exoneration on this property, as the water assessment by meter is excessive; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors be and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to Patrick McInerney as follows: That \$61.64 be allowed for charge of year 1916, that \$73.14 be allowed for year 1917, that \$34.74 be allowed for charge of first quarter of 1918, this being 50% of charge made for these periods.

Passed April 7, 1919.

Approved April 16, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 299.

No. 183

Whereas, E. L. Kirby offers the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$200.00 for lot No. 58, located on Warren street,

Twenty-fifth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on east side of Warren street at the corner of lot No. 59, in Robert Henderson Heirs' Plan; thence extending northwardly 20 feet to lot No. 57, in said plan; thence eastwardly 100 feet to a pin; thence southwardly 20 feet to lot No. 59, in said plan; thence westwardly 100 feet to Warren street, the place of beginning, being lot No. 58; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to E. L. Kirby upon the payment to the City of Pittsburgh of the sum of \$200.00.

Passed April 7, 1919.

Approved April 16, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 299.

No. 184

Whereas, the Twenty-third ward of the City of Pittsburgh is one of the most densely populated wards of the City and has no playground; the children being compelled to play on the streets, thus endangering their lives by reason of the excessive automobile and vehicle traffic on these streets; and

Whereas, If given permission to play in the East Park, the danger from accidents would be greatly lessened; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to allow the children the use of the entire East Park, east of Federal street, for playground purposes; and, be it further

Resolved, That the said Director be authorized and directed to allow the children of the City of Pittsburgh the use of all public parks in said City for playground purposes, provided it shall not endanger other park patrons.

Passed March 31, 1919.

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

April 14 1919.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, which has been disapproved by the Mayor and returned with his objections to the Council, was passed by a two-thirds vote of said Council, this 14th day of April, A. D., 1919

E. J. MARTIN,
Clerk of Council.

Resolution Book 4, Page 300.

No. 185

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller

to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Allegheny Repair Co.....	\$ 93.56	1563
Allegheny Repair Co.....	52.65	1575
Allegheny Repair Co.....	116.18	1591
John F. Brunner Co.....	3.48	1591
R. Doyle	18.50	1516
Jas. T. Fox	3.65	1725
D. Hastings	3.00	1775
Independent Towel Supply Co.	2.50	1508
Keystone Laundry Co.....	2.72	1800
M. M. Kidney Elevator Co.	6.85	1583
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	1.50	1417
William Morath	8.50	1516
James A. McKenna.....	161.46	1583
James A. McKenna.....	12.95	1591
James A. McKenna.....	22.35	1599
James A. McKenna.....	277.42	1622
Otis Elevator Co.....	12.00	1583
Penn Storage & Battery Co.	23.35	1557
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.....	1.50	1425
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing & Machine Co....	146.20	1525
Rising & Radcliffe.....	13.00	1432
Profit Sharing Laundry Co.	114.00	1568
Ross Valve Manufacturing Co.	3.90	1665
Royal Typewriter Co.....	1.10	1406
Royal Typewriter Co.....	1.10	1425
Special Electric Service Co.	24.15	1520
H. W. Swisshelm.....	194.00	1516
The Erickson Co.....	.35	1404
Union Transfer Co.....	4.50	1772

Passed April 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 300.

No. 186

Whereas, Contracts for the removal and disposal of garbage and rubbish within the City of Pittsburgh for the year ending December 31st, 1919, have not yet been awarded; and

Whereas, The contractors who held such contracts for eleven months ending December 31st, 1918, have removed and disposed of the garbage and rubbish during the month of March, 1919; and

Whereas, Accurate record has been kept of the amounts so removed; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the American

Reduction Company for \$41,175.32 for the removal of 4,186.57 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 4,822.24 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$9,628.18 for the removal of 1,470.40 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 814.87 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health, the tonnage rates set forth in this resolution being the rates as established by the contractors for the period ending December 31st, 1918.

Passed April 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 301.

No. 187

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of John F. Casey Company for two thousand five hundred five and 59/100 (\$2,505.59) dollars for labor furnished the Bureau of Water, at Pumping Stations, during the months of February and March, 1919, and charge same to Account No. 1653, "Wages Temporary," Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water.

Passed April 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 302.

No. 188

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Fuller Co., R. I.....	\$ 8.50	1406-B
Houston Brothers Co.....	2.80	1533
Kennedy Co., D. J.....	28.23	1533
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.	22.00	1656

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Business Furniture Co....	26.00	1026
Cole Co., R. C.....	7.00	1084

Continental Motors Corporation	137.17	1556
Dravo-Doyle Co., The.....	724.00	187-A
Elliott Co., B. K.....	22.40	1412
Everready Flower Pot Cover Co.....	42.75	1716
Follansbee Brothers Co..	1.50	1655
Hall Mammoth Incubator Co., The.....	571.00	1323
Hyde & Co.....	576.00	185-A
Kaufmann's "The Big Store"	10.98	1305
Lange Motor Truck Co....	2.29	1656
Mulford Co., H. K.....	22.65	1206
Mott Iron Works, J. L....	4.20	1132
Morrow, David L.....	5.50	1504
National Valve & Manufacturing Co.....	97.75	1656
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co.	116.00	1165
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.	7.80	1664
Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Co.....	34.75	1168
Phillips, J. & H.....	3.00	1656
Penn Storage Battery Co.	37.38	1164
Remington Typewriter Co.	121.50	1026
Stewart Produce Service Co.	8.50	1656
Smith & Co., Elmer D....	16.35	1716
Scientific Materials Co..	3.90	1648
Taylor Instrument Co....	14.96	1655
United Presbyterian Board of Publication....	8.64	1808
Underwood Typewriter Co.	126.06	1134
United States Rubber Co.	46.43	1655
Volkwein Bros.	15	1811Woo
Woodwell Co., Joseph.....	2.50	1165

Passed April 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 302.

No. 189

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$ 5.37	1130
Keystone Laundry Co.....	76.45	1147
Dr. N. J. Weill.....	25.00	1147
Dr. C. E. Poellot.....	5.00	1147
Consolidated Ice Co.....	50.00	1150
The Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.....	35.45	1150

L. C. Smith & Bros. Type-		
writer Co.....	14.22	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros. Type-		
writer Co.....	19.80	1150
Animal Rescue League.....	888.53	1160
Western Union Telegraph		
Co.	6.00	1173

Passed April 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 303.

No. 190

Whereas, Mrs. A. H. West was injured by unavoidably falling into a hole at Shakespeare street and Shady avenue, injuring herself severely; and

Whereas, She is anxious to settle the claim, and agrees to accept \$200.00 in full for the injuries received, including the cost of operation, etc.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mrs. A. H. West for \$200.00, in payment of all damages on account of injuries received, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed April 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 304.

No. 191

Whereas, It was necessary that our "soldier boys" last year pitch camp on the Schenley Park Oval; and

Whereas, It was necessary to have the proper lighting equipment installed; and

Whereas, The Duquesne Light Company installed a single phase 2000-volt lighting circuit at Schenley Oval camp, for which no provision was made for payment of same; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in the amount of three hundred eighty-six and 80/100 (\$386.80) dollars in favor of the Duquesne Light Company and charge same to Contingent Fund Code Account No. 42.

Passed April 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 304.

No. 192

Whereas, The local board of Zone No. 8 of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of sending out selective men into the service of the United States, on July 22nd, 1918, on July 31st, 1918, and on August 29th, 1918, employed the Westinghouse Air Brake Company Band for duty; and

Whereas, This employment was not in the manner provided by the rules of the special committee of Council appointed for this purpose; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the Westinghouse Air Brake Company Band of Wilmerding, as listed below, and charge to Appropriation No. 42, in accordance with the bills attached hereto:

For services on July 22nd, 1918..	\$110.50
For services on July 31st, 1918..	119.00
For services on August 29th,	
1918	119.00

\$348.50

Passed April 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 304.

No. 193

Whereas, A certain lease for property situate on the west side of Tunnel street and owned by the Peoples Savings & Trust Company of Pittsburgh, attorney-in-fact for Elizabeth Louise McLeod Mitchell, used and occupied by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers as part of headquarters and for stable purposes, expired on April 1st, 1919, and there has been submitted for the approval of the Council a certain lease from the said Peoples Savings & Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Attorney-in-fact for Elizabeth Louise McLeod Mitchell, renewing the covenants embodied in the lease in force and effect prior to April 1st, 1919.

Resolved, By the Council of the City of Pittsburgh that the lease for the property on the west side of Tunnel street, having a frontage of 64.17 feet more or less on Tunnel street from a point on the west side of Tunnel street at the distance of 114.4 feet from the corner of Fifth avenue, submitted by the Peoples Savings & Trust Company of Pittsburgh, a corporation, Attorney-in-fact for Elizabeth Louise McLeod Mitchell, to the City of Pittsburgh for a term of one (1) year beginning April 1st, 1919, at a total rental of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200.00), payable monthly at the rate of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per month, shall be and the same is hereby

approved, payment of said rental to be made from Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Service, Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Passed April 14, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 305.

No. 194

Whereas, A certain lease for property situate on the west side of Tunnel street and owned by the Peoples Savings & Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Attorney-in-fact for Elizabeth Louise McLeod Mitchell, used and occupied by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers as part of headquarters and for stable purposes, expired on April 1st, 1919, and there has been submitted for the approval of the Council a certain lease from the said Peoples Savings and Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Attorney-in-fact for Elizabeth Louise McLeod Mitchell, renewing the covenants embodied in the lease in force and effect prior to April 1st, 1919.

Resolved, By the Council of Pittsburgh that a lease for a certain yard, together with the buildings thereon, situate on the west side of Tunnel street, having a frontage of 48.18 feet more or less from a point 160.85 feet south of Wylie avenue, submitted by the Peoples Savings & Trust Company, a corporation, Attorney-in-fact for Elizabeth Louise McLeod Mitchell, to the City of Pittsburgh for a term of one (1) year beginning April 1st, 1919, at a total rental of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200.00), payable monthly at the rate of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per month, shall be and the same is hereby approved, payment of said rental to be made from Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Service, Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Passed April 14th, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 306.

No. 195

Whereas, During the year 1917 a meter was installed on the premises at 3300 and 3302 Cargill street, and the assessments for the first quarter of 1918 amounted to \$118.90, and the second quarter \$116.23; and

Whereas, The owner believes these assessments are excessive, and thinks an assessment of \$15.00 for each of the quarters would be fair and equitable; and

Whereas, The Board of Water Assessors recommend a rebate of \$146.46; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration of water rent on property of J. H. Conner, 3300 and 3302 Cargill street, Sixth ward, for the year 1918, in the sum of \$146.46.

Passed April 14, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 306.

No. 196

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh filed a lien at D. T. D. No. 1046, March Term, 1907, for taxes against James B. Rodgers and David J. Davies for a lot in the Fifteenth ward, 25 by 100 feet on Lydia street between Gertrude and Alma streets, being lot No. 46 in Schenley Park Land Company Plan, fronting 25 feet on the westerly side of Lydia street 109.77 feet south from Gertrude street, and extending back of equal width 100 feet to Moose alley. Sci. Fa. was issued on the lien, judgment obtained and a Lev. Fa. issued; and

Whereas, At the sale on said Lev. Fa. the City bought in said property; and

Whereas, Ann Davies, widow of David J. Davies, desires to redeem said property; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a deed be executed and delivered to the said Ann Davies on payment by her to the City of the debt, interest and cost, and any taxes that may be unpaid against said property.

Passed April 14, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 306.

No. 197

Whereas, The Asphalt Plant of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers will resurface the roadways in the various parks of the Bureau of Parks; and

Whereas, There is a balance of sixty-three thousand seven hundred forty-nine and 16/100 dollars (\$63,749.16) in Code Account 1784-E, "Road Resurfacing" (Park Highways); now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of sixty-three thousand seven hundred forty-nine and 16/100 dollars (\$63,749.16) from Code Ac-

count 1784-E, "Road Resurfacing," Bureau of Parks, to several code accounts in the Asphalt Plant, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, to-wit:

Appropriation 1553, Wages	
Temporary	\$25,200.00
Appropriation 1554, Miscellaneous Services.....	6,300.00
Appropriation 1555, Supplies.....	1,000.00
Appropriation 1556, Materials.....	31,249.16
	\$63,749.16

Passed April 14, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 307.

No. 198

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 1144 Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Appropriation No. 1156 Item F, Equipment and Machinery, Bureau of Police, the sum of three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars for the purpose of payment of one auto patrol wagon for the Bureau of Police.

Passed April 14, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 307.

No. 199

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Appropriation No. 1150 Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police, the sum of four thousand (\$4,000.00) dollars for the purpose of payment for repairs at the Center Avenue Police Station, corner Center avenue and Devillers street.

Passed April 14, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4 Page 308.

No. 200

Whereas, the Finance Committee set up in the Appropriation Ordinance \$100,000.00 for the purpose of equalizing the cost of water in the district furnished by the South Pittsburgh Water Company, and

Whereas, This amount was set up in the Bureau of Water and should have

been set up in the Department of Water Assessors; Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 1662-B, Miscellaneous Service Bureau of Water, the balance in said Fund, viz: \$57,155.56 to Appropriation No. 1342 B, Miscellaneous Service Board of Water Assessors.

Passed April 14, 1919.

Approved April 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 308.

No. 201

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Andrew Arnheim Brother..	\$ 34.90	1516
Henry Rosau	1.00	1725
Callus Electric Co.....	1.50	1810
Andrew Engel	59.15	1516
Dr. A. B. Ferguson.....	7.55	1810
B. H. Frazier.....	37.05	1516
B. H. Frazier.....	2.00	1525
John F. Friend Co.....	4.50	1810
A. Gradner	5.00	1810
Hacker Bros.	14.80	1516
Hiland Automobile Co.....	138.90	1810
H. Hunziker	111.00	1525
H. Hunziker	96.00	1516
Kuhn Mutchler Co.....	5.55	1810
Laurel Land Co.....	135.45	1528
Mayer Wagon Co.....	30.50	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.....	34.75	1525
C. C. Mellor Co.....	16.00	1807
Moore Bros.	4.50	1701
Mutual Laundry Co.....	5.13	1807
Painter Dunn Co.....	2.00	1657
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	104.50	1557
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.	3.00	1487
George Purdy	13.45	1516
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.	169.01	1657
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	19.75	1516
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	2.50	1525
A. L. Slack.....	10.00	1807
The Empire Laundry Co.....	6.63	1807
Underwood Typewriter Co.	6.00	1406-A

Passed April 21, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Resolution Book 4. Page 308.

No. 202

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Atlantic Refining Co.....	\$ 24.48	1320
Bailey-Farrell Mfg. Co.....	14.75	1558
Chain Belt Co.....	226.00	1556
Chatfield & Woods Co.....	7.79	1056
Chatfield & Woods Co.....	1.72	1201
Childs & Co., H. L.....	165.00	1655
Coon, Mrs. J. W.....	1.10	1403
Cunningham Co., M. E.....	.77	1418
Eimer & Amend.....	10.00	1804
Elliott & Co., B. K.....	1.10	1423
Fairbanks Co., The.....	8.75	1139
Feick Bros. Co.....	8.00	1236
Gulf Refining Co.....	1.25	1164
Hill Top Lumber Co.....	152.71	1037
Hukill-Hunter Co.....	5.50	1684
Johnston & Co., Wm. G.....	1.20	1100-M
Johns-Manville Co., H. W.	5.77	1165
Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.....	14.52	1570
Kurtz, Langbein & Swartz.....	1.20	1451
Motor Tire Repair & Supply Co.....	7.40	1236
Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co.....	103.40	1647
Pittsburgh Auto Equipment Co.....	24.00	1165
Pittsburgh Gauge & Supply Co.....	46.59	185-A
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	2.25	1224
Point Motor Co.....	14.90	1032
Robbins Electric Co.....	14.55	1165
Speck-Marshall Co.....	45.50	1600
Standard Sanitary Mfg. Co.....	36.00	1149
Standard Sanitary Mfg. Co.....	6.13	1165
Walters, Charles W.....	52.00	1746
Weaver Specialty Co.....	4.80	1164
West Co., The.....	28.00	1256
Winton Co.....	.91	1165
Workmaster, E. L.....	1.00	1647

Passed April 21, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Resolution Book Vol 4, Page 309.

No. 203

Whereas, The City Treasurer, in order to prepare and properly and rapidly handle the work of the collection of taxes for the year 1919, found it expedient and necessary to employ certain clerks and employees in the Department of the City Treasurer to perform extra service to the extent of one hundred and thirty-eight (138) hours after the hours of their regular employment as established by Ordinance; Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the appointment of such certain clerks and employees in the Department of the City Treasurer to perform such additional service be and the same is hereby ratified, and be it further

Resolved, That the wages or salary of such clerks and employees be and is hereby fixed at the rate of 62c for each and every hour they have been employed beyond the hours as prescribed by ordinance, and the Mayor be and he is authorized to issue and the Controller to countersign warrants in payment of the wages or salary of such clerks and employees in accordance with the provisions of this resolution and charge the same to Code Account No. 1061, A-2, Salaries, Temporary Employees.

Passed April 21, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 310.

No. 204

Whereas, the old City of Allegheny, now a part of the City of Pittsburgh, by deed dated October 15, 1872, recorded in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County, Deed Book, Vol. 300, Page 595, and by deed dated October 23, 1888, recorded in Deed Book Vol. 614, Page 346, granted and conveyed, or intended to grant and convey unto Thomas Kitchen all its right, title, interest, claim or demand to those two (2) certain lots or pieces of ground situate in the Borough of Millvale, Allegheny county Pennsylvania, being lots numbered 37 and 38 in Block No. 11, plan of lots laid out by the Directors of the Poor of Allegheny City, recorded in Plan Book Vol 5, pages 150 and 151; and

Whereas, the description of said lots in said recited deeds was inaccurate and misleading and requires correction; now therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor is hereby directed to execute and deliver to Mary Ann Kitchen and Sarah Jane Kitchen of the Borough of Millvale, a deed in proper form to be approved by the City

Solicitor, releasing and quit-claiming unto said parties, daughters and successors in title to said Thomas Kitchen, their heirs and assigns, any interest the City of Pittsburgh has as successor to the City of Allegheny in the aforementioned lots herein described as follows:

Beginning at a corner formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Sedgwick street, northwardly, a distance of forty-eight (48) feet to the dividing line between lots Nos. 36 and 37 in said block and plan; thence extending along said dividing line westwardly a distance of one hundred thirty (130) feet to the easterly side of Fornoff Alley; thence extending along said side of said alley southwardly, a distance of forty-eight (48) feet to the northerly side of Farragut street, aforesaid; thence along said side of said Farragut street eastwardly a distance of one hundred thirty (130) feet to the westerly side of Sedgwick street, the place of beginning.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 311.

No. 205

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver to J. Grupp a deed for property belonging to the City of Pittsburgh at the corner of Pacific avenue and Dearborn street, known as the "Garfield Pumping Station property," upon the payment by the said J. Grupp into the City Treasury of the sum of \$5,025.00.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 311.

No. 206

Whereas, The property located at Western avenue and Chateau street in the Twenty-first ward, is being used by the North Side Board of Trade as an athletic field and playground; and

Whereas, The said Board of Trade has had a lease on the property since 1914, and in some way the exoneration of taxes for the year 1916 has been overlooked; and

Whereas, The taxes assessed against said property in the name of Stewart H. Clapp and Walter H. Hawkins for the year 1916 amounts to \$557.55.

Resolved, That the Department of Assessors shall be and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration in favor of Stewart H. Clapp

and Walter H. Hawkins for property in the Twenty-first ward used by the North Side Board of Trade as an athletic field and playground in the sum of \$557.55 for the year 1916.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 312.

No. 207

Whereas, The Armory Building located at 6357 Penn avenue was occupied by the American Red Cross every Thursday afternoon for a period of about six months for the purpose of sewing for our soldiers, otherwise was unoccupied, the water rent on the building was a flat rate, and

Whereas, The Emerson Armory was also vacant the most of the year, this Armory was on the Army Motor Truck route and known as Central No. 25. The truck trains stopped at this place, and the water used there was for the trucks and their crews, and is charged by meter.

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration in favor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the water used at the Armory located at 6357 Penn avenue in the sum of \$160.26, and at the armory located at Emerson street in the sum of \$209.48 for the year 1918.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 312.

No. 208

Whereas, an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance amending an Ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract for repairing heating system at Penn Avenue Police Station, Bureau of Police,' approved October 3, 1918, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol 30, Page 12," approved January 9, 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 30, Page 101, sets apart and provides the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) for repairing such heating system; and

Whereas, the latest bids received for the contract, in accordance with the foregoing Ordinance, show that there will be an excess of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) to meet the requirements of said contract; and

Whereas, An Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance providing for the letting of a contract or contracts for concrete floor and other repairs at the Mt. Washing-

ton Police Station, corner of Virginia avenue and Shiloh street," approved March 19, A. D., 1919, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Volume 30, Page 234, provides the sum of sixteen hundred dollars (\$1,600.00) for making such repairs, at said Mt. Washington Police Station, which amount is insufficient to meet the requirements as shown by bids received therefor, and an additional sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) is needed to complete said work; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to transfer the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00), from Code Account No. 1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1153, Item E, Repairs, Mt. Washington Police Station, Bureau of Police.

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 313.

No. 209

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer certain sums, amounting in the aggregate to \$25,040.00, from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, and to credit same to other code accounts in the Bureau of Engineering, to-wit:

To

Code Account No. 1420, A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Surveys.....	\$ 3,120.00
Code Account No. 1428, A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Design.....	2,360.00
Code Account No. 1444, A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Parks and Playgrounds.....	5,600.00
Code Account No. 1449, A-4, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Bridges.....	850.00
Code Account No. 1470, A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Sewers.....	2,340.00
Code Account No. 1471, A-4, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Sewers.....	3,400.00
Code Account No. 1482, A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Streets.....	3,120.00
Code Account No. 1483, A-4, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Streets.....	4,250.00
Total.....	\$25,040.00

Passed April 21, 1919.

Approved April 24, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 313.

No. 210

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Armour & Co.....	\$ 3.86	1224
Burkhart, Helen A.....	6.25	1811
Elliott & Co., B. K.....	14.45	1307
Hill, Edwin M.....	303.02	1541
Hill, Edwin M.....	1,157.95	1541

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

American Atmos Co.....	2.00	1307
Baur Bros. (Ward Baking Co.).....	34.44	1148
Bolster, Louis.....	1.72	1148
Brown, W. S.....	18.00	1149
Childs & Co., H. L.....	31.47	1655
Campbell Neidringhaus Co.....	157.28	1656
Donnelly, James.....	3.42	1232
Gulf Refining Co., The.....	25.00	1031
General Contractors Assn.....	2.00	1550
Gailbraith, James R.....	50.00	1169
Hill, Edwin M.....	347.64	1541
Johanssen, F.....	71.50	1236
McKenna Drug Co.....	16.80	1232
Mueller Bros.....	36.98	1165
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	6.05	1236
Pittsburgh Meter Co.....	1514.76	1664
Pittsburgh Office Equipment Co.....	2.88	1232
Pittsburgh Foundry & Machine Co.....	175.00	1648
Pittsburgh Foundry & Machine Co.....	10.20	1656
Pittsburgh Coal Co.....	111.27	1655
Painter Dunn Co.....	9.25	1165
Scientific Materials Co.....	115.03	1218
Seven Baker Brothers.....	172.38	1224
Smith Brothers Co.....	.80	1683
Ward Baking Co.....	152.00	1232

Passed April 28, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 314.

No. 211

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in

payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Campbell Niedringhaus		
Tire Service Co.....	\$ 4.99	1417
B. H. Frazier.....	31.75	1865
A. Gapen.....	149.55	1563
Gillespie Machine Co.....	2.50	1665
Iron City Harness Co.....	2.50	1516
Kilgore Auto Repair Co.....	4.50	1516
Mayer Wagon Co.....	55.25	1665
C. E. McKnight.....	14.00	1516
Pittsburgh Instrument & Machine Co.....	1.00	1425
The Carter Electric Co.....	65.00	1583
Samuel Ward.....	4.15	1525
Samuel Ward.....	136.75	1511

Passed April 28, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 315.

No. 212

Whereas, Hering Brothers House Moving Company made investigation of the conditions of buildings abutting upon the lines of Chestnut street, between South Canal street and the Allegheny river for the purpose of preparing estimates of the cost of raising the buildings to the proposed grade to meet the new Sixteenth Street Bridge, and

Whereas, They have furnished the Department of Public Works with estimates of damages to the abutting properties and cost of raising and rearranging the buildings to conform with the proposed grades, now therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Hering Brothers House Moving Company for \$225.00 for services rendered in investigation of and preparation of the estimates, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed April 28, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 315.

No. 213

Whereas, A permit was issued to Firlie and Easley, plumbers, during May, 1918, in order to repair a lateral sewer at 7213 Race street, property of H. F. Krear, where the sewer was clogged,

when opening was made in the street, it was found that one length of pipe in the main sewer was shattered causing two lateral sewers, one on each side of main, to be disconnected resulting in clogged condition. The Bureau of Highways and Sewers then took hold of the job, put in new Y branch and connected two broken laterals, and

Whereas, The plumbing firm of Firlie and Easley charged Mr. Krear \$68.50 for their work; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in the amount of \$68.50 in favor of H. F. Krear, and charge the same to Code Account No. 42 Contingent Fund.

Passed April 28, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4 Page 315.

No. 214

Whereas, An Ordinance has been passed authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to make and execute a lease with Jennie P. A. Sullivan for playground purposes for a certain tract of land on Frazier street, Fourth ward, containing three acres more or less, for a term of two years, the consideration being the exoneration of the taxes on said property.

Whereas, Mrs. Sullivan has paid the taxes for the year 1919 amounting to \$397.00, which should be refunded; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Jennie P. A. Sullivan, in the sum of \$397.00 and charge the same to appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes.

Passed April 28, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 316.

No. 215

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Peter P. Walsh, Commissioner in the Bureau of Police, for the sum of \$30.05 covering expenses incurred by him in obtaining evidence against disorderly houses and gambling houses, and charge the same to Code Ac-

count No. 1158, Item M, Local Secret Service Fund, Bureau of Police.

Passed April 28, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 316.

No. 216

Resolved, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works be and they are hereby authorized and directed to enter into a lease with Sawders & Fulton, Inc., for the use of a certain piece of property belonging to the City of Pittsburgh, being 60x117 feet, fronting on the West Penn Division of the Pennsylvania railroad, adjacent to the 60-inch Montrose Rising Main in Sharpsburg, and bounded by Properties now or late of Charles H. Walters, Boggs, Jones Co., Ltd., and Christopher Lang, for the term of one year at the rental of \$60.00 annually, together with the option of re-leasing same for a period of three years.

Passed April 28, 1919.

Approved May 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 317.

No. 217

Whereas, The property of Mrs. Marie Mendel, located on the South Side of Romanhoff street about 300 feet west of Rockledge street, was damaged by the improvement of said Romanhoff street to such extent that it will be necessary in order to protect her house from sliding into the street, to build a retaining wall across the entire front of the lot and to the full height of the cut, to construct steps for ingress and egress to the property and for hand rail and plastering certain portions of the building.

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to make such improvements to this property as he deems necessary not to exceed \$500.00 and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed April 28, 1919.

Approved May 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 317.

No. 218

Whereas, the sum of \$29,000.00 was appropriated and set aside from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving,

Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, for the purpose of paying the cost of repaving Howard street, from North avenue to Elmira street; and

Whereas, it was found necessary to provide additional funds to pay the cost of entirely completing this work, and Resolution No. 18, approved January 8, 1919, set aside an additional \$1,000.00 for the payment of the cost of this work; and

Whereas, the work has been entirely completed, and it is found that the additional sum of \$256.50 will be required to pay the cost of the final estimate for this repaving work; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of two hundred fifty-six dollars and fifty cents (\$256.50) from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to Contract No. 766, Howard Street Repaving.

Passed April 28, 1919.

Approved May 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 317.

No. 219

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Allegheny Repair Co.....	\$112.84	1563
Allegheny Repair Co.....	36.10	1591
P. F. Bartley.....	28.50	1583
Darlington Estate.....	21.00	1528
Douglass Storage Co.....	36.00	1530
B. H. Frazier.....	87.00	1516
B. H. Frazier.....	5.00	1665
P. J. Guina.....	.75	1665
Iron City Spring Co.....	1.50	1557
Maurice S. Martin.....	47.20	1810
James A. McKenna.....	158.25	1622
James A. McKenna.....	19.50	1583
James A. McKenna.....	122.42	1563
George Purdy.....	2.85	1665
Samuel Ward.....	.50	1775
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	3.00	1640

Passed May 5, 1919.

Approved May 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4 Page 318.

No. 220

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
American Spiral Spring & Manufacturing Co.....	\$ 6.00	1809
Anchor Packing Co.....	42.50	1655
Arbuthnot Stephenson Co..	6.00	1148
Atlantic Refining Co.....	.60	1808
Bailey Farrell Manufac-turing Co.....	5.58	1165
Beckert Seed Store.....	6.20	1774
Bronze Age Metal Co.....	45.43	1165
Campbell Neidringhaus Co.	98.88	1664
Fairall Wall Paper Co.....	14.21	1570
Feick Brothers Co.....	3.60	1307
Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.....	353.40	1165
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.....	7.15	1808
Greenwood Construction Co.....	28.50	1582
Hilltop Lumber Co.....	373.14	1037
Houston Brothers Co.....	.70	1533
Kaufmann-Baer Co.....	7.50	1811
Kennedy, D. J.....	28.23	1533
Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.....	3.76	1570
Lechner & Schoenberger Co.....	7.60	1811
Lederle Antitoxin Labora-tories Co.....	105.00	1206
C. C. Mellor Co.....	1.00	1811
Point Motor Co.....	5.70	1673
Pittsburgh Office Equip-ment Co.....	16.20	1329
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	1.94	1467
Robbins Electric Co.....	2.40	1165
Scott & Co., I. W.....	110.55	1323
Standard Underground Cable Co.....	313.44	1175
Woodwell & Co., Joseph....	9.90	1556

Passed May 5, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 318.

No. 221

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of David Braun for soap furnished the Pitts-burgh City Home and Hospitals, in the

sum of two thousand, eighty and 72/100 (\$2080.72) dollars, or so much of the same as may be necessary; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1320.

Passed May 5, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 7, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 319.

No. 222

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Homer E. Crooks, City Detective, for \$320.00, for expenses incurred by reason of injuries received while on duty and charge same to Appropriation No. 1147.

Passed May 5, 1919 by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 320.

No. 223

Whereas, on March 15, 1919, Mrs. Laura McClure, residing at No. 216 Green street, Wilkinsburg, while on her way home from market about 5:00 P. M., walking upon a boardwalk on Savannah street, within the City of Pittsburgh, stepped on some boards over a gutter leading to the street, which tilted, precipitating her to the ground, and

Whereas, the said Mrs. Laura McClure had her left wrist sprained, right limb above the knee bruised, right arm bruised, and as a result of which she incurred a doctor's bill, wages for the employment of another to do her house-work and endured pain and suffering, and

Whereas, the silk dress and coat worn on said day were torn and stained, greatly depreciating the value of the same; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in favor of Mrs. Laura McClure in the sum of \$60.00, the same being in full settlement of all claims for damages against the City of Pittsburgh for injuries sustained as aforesaid, and charge the same to Code Account, Contingent Fund No. 42.

Passed May 5, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 320.

No. 224

Whereas, a sewer has been constructed on Glen way in the rear of Maripoe street from May way to sewer on Glen way for which the properties fronting on the north side of Glen way have been assessed for said improvement, and

Whereas, they have been assessed and paid for a sewer on Maripoe street which affords sufficient drainage for their properties; therefore, be it,

Resolved, That the City Solicitor shall be and is hereby empowered and directed to make an adjustment of the assessments made on the properties on the south side of Maripoe street on the basis of \$1.25 per foot front charging all deduction to the City.

Passed May 5, 1919.

Approved May 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 320.

No. 225

Whereas, Robert G. Blackham has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$1,500.00 for lots Nos. 248-249 at the corner of Alger and Winterburn streets, Fifteenth ward, city, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the south side of Alger street at the corner of Winterburn street; thence extending westwardly 63.52 feet to lot No. 247 in William Flinn's Greenfield Avenue plan; thence southwardly 90 feet to a pin; thence eastwardly 33.91 feet to Winterburn street; thence northwardly 94.66 feet to the corner of Alger and Winterburn streets, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Robert G. Blackham, upon the payment of the sum of \$1,500.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed May 5, 1919.

Approved May 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 321.

No. 226

Whereas, Catherine W. Webbe (or Webb), is the owner of certain real estate situate in the Tenth ward Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, being lot number seventy-eight (78), fronting on Fifty-seventh (57th) street in Charles I. Travelli's Plan, and lots numbers one hundred sixty-six (166) and one hundred sixty-seven (167) fronting on Duncan street in Jane Holmes' Plan, and

Whereas, Lot number seventy-eight (78) was erroneously assessed in the City Treasurer's Office in the name of Catherine Weble for the year 1909, although her deed was registered on September 12, 1908, wherein the grantee's name is Catherine Webbe, recorded in Deed Book Volume 1601, Page 364, and

Whereas, On October 26, 1909, she called at the City Treasurer's Office to pay the second installment of her taxes against the aforesaid three (3) lots and she was informed that her taxes were \$4.51 which she paid; the number of the receipt being 6418, and

Whereas, the Clerk in the City Treasurer's office failed to inform her of the taxes as to lot number seventy-eight (78), aforesaid, as her name was erroneously entered on the books; Catherine Weble, instead of Catherine Webbe, and

Whereas, a lien was filed at D. T. D. No. 753, September Term, 1911, against Catherine Weble, (or Catherine Webbe), for \$4.10, (being \$1.10 the second installment of taxes for year 1909 on aforesaid lot number seventy-eight (78) and \$3.00 for advertisement), the costs, however, amounting to \$34.25, and

Whereas, on April 19, 1916, a sci fa was issued with notice to Catherine Webb, which on July 1, 1916, was returned "Unserved" by the Sheriff, although Catherine Webb and her husband live on the adjoining lot, and

Whereas, Catherine Webb only recently learned of said lien, as she sold the lot and said lien was discovered upon examination of the title; now, therefore,

Resolved, That the City Solicitor, be and is hereby directed to satisfy the lien at D. T. D. No. 753, September Term, 1911, and have the costs of record paid by the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed May 5, 1919.

Approved May 9 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 321.

No. 227

Whereas, the City of Pittsburgh by Ordinance No. 532, approved by the Mayor, February 16, 1911, vacated sections of Federal street, as laid out by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, between Lafayette avenue and Perrysville avenue, in the City of Pittsburgh, and

Whereas, by the Viewers' report upon the said vacation at No. 1203 April Term, 1918, Docket "C," confirmed absolutely December 24, 1918, the findings of fact therein show that R. A. Phillips, Clara A. Bubbs, widow, George S. Bubbs, William C. Bubbs, Sarah B. Schaefer, Charles K. Brown, guardian of Edward J. Bubbs, III., Mildred Bubbs and George

Bubb, minors, and The People's Savings and Trust Co., formerly Safe Deposit and Trust Co. of Pittsburgh, Trustee of the estate of Margaret Louise Bubb under the will of Edward J. Bubb, Sr., are the owners of the property situated at the corner of Federal street (now St. Luke's Square) and Perrysville avenue bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of St. Luke's Square with the southerly line of Perrysville avenue; thence extending in a southerly direction along the said St. Luke's Square a distance of 66.60 feet to a point; thence extending due west along a line for a distance of 30 feet to a point in the center of old Federal street, as laid out by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; thence along the center line of said Federal street, as laid out by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, due north a distance of 44 feet to the southerly line of Perrysville avenue and thence eastwardly along Perrysville avenue 57.69 feet to the place of beginning, and

Whereas, by operation of law the said above described property in fee is now in the said owners; and

Whereas, the City of Pittsburgh has so recognized the same by proceedings at No. 2902 January Term, 1913, and has assessed the said owners for 66.60 feet frontage for the grading, paving and curbing of the said Federal street (or St. Luke's Square), from Perrysville avenue to Lafayette street, in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, and

Whereas, the said owners of the above described tract are about to sell the same and are desirous on their part, in order that the question of title may be forever quieted, that a quit-claim deed be procured from the City of Pittsburgh releasing any right, title, interest, claim or demand that the City may have in the above described property; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh be authorized and he is hereby directed to execute and deliver a quit claim deed to the above named R. A. Phillips, Clara A. Bubb, widow, George S. Bubb, William C. Bubb, Sarah B. Schaefer, Charles K. Brown guardian of Edward J. Bubb, III, Mildred Bubb and George Bubb, minors, and the People's Savings and Trust Co. formerly Safe Deposit and Trust Co. of Pittsburgh, Trustee of the estate of Margaret Louise Bubb under the will of Edward J. Bubb, Sr., releasing any and all right, title, interest, claim or demand that the City of Pittsburgh may have in or to the said above described piece of property.

Passed May 5, 1919.

Approved May 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 322.

No. 228

Whereas, At a meeting of the Council on May 22, 1915, Bill No. 3260, resolution requesting the Director of the Department of Public Works to place signs on properties taken over by the City for non-payment of taxes or municipal claims for which the City is desirous of securing purchasers; and

Whereas, There are no funds available in the appropriation pertaining to the Bureau of City Property for the fiscal year of 1919 to purchase these signs; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$600.00 from the Contingent Fund to the Bureau of City Property to pay for the furnishing of these signs and other advertising.

FROM

Contingent Fund, Appropriation
No. 42\$600.00

TO

Code Acct. 1561, Miscellaneous
Services\$600.00

Passed May 5, 1919.

Approved May 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 323.

No. 229

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer one hundred and 00/100 (\$100.00) dollars from Code Account 1402, "Miscellaneous Services," and two hundred and 00/100 (\$200.00) dollars from Code Account 1406-B, "Supplies," General Office, Department of Public Works, to Code Account 1405, "Equipment," General Office, Department of Public Works.

Passed May 5, 1919.

Approved May 9, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 323.

No. 230

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to Appropriation No. 1386, Veterans of Foreign Wars, the sum of \$300.00.

Passed May 5, 1919.
Approved May 9, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 324.

No. 231

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
The Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.	\$ 2.95	1147
Bunting Stamp Co.	1.50	1147
The Pittsburgh Hospital....	6.00	1147
The Thomas Lane Co.	25.00	1150
American Typewriter Inspection Co.	1.00	1150
L. C. Smith & Bros.	17.66	1150
Kaufmann Department Stores	10.00	1159-O
Animal Rescue League....	866.03	1160
Drs. Goldsmith & Gorfinkel	20.00	1163
Keystone Laundry Co.	187.68	1163
W. H. Champ.	19.35	1166
Bertram G. Case.	116.44	1166
American Atmos Corporation	55.00	1166
Robbins Electric Co.	.75	1166
H. W. Johns-Manville Co.	2.30	1166
Doubleday - Hill Electric Co.	9.02	1166
Walter E. Hague & Son....	2.00	1166
A. H. Johnson.	3.30	1166
J. G. Weir & Son.	425.00	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.	27.70	1166
Terheyden Co.	5.00	1166
August Loch	3.00	1166

Passed May 12, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 14, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 324.

No. 232

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Abdou Printing Co.	\$ 27.25	1048
Atlantic Refining Co.	23.14	1773
B. B. Specialty Co.	23.10	1658
Dayton Airless Tire Co.	804.70	1165
Felck Brothers Co.	7.30	1236
Heeren Brothers Co.	3.83	1175
Lewis Co. R. T.	7.50	1048
McKenna Brass & Mfg. Co.	3.99	1556
Manufacturers Light & Heat Co.	509.07	1320
Packard Motor Co.	2.37	1032
Packard Motor Co.	12.63	1556
Pearson Manufacturing Co.	19.00	1746
Pittsburgh Provision Co.	1.45	1663
The Presto-Lite Co.	1.00	1164
Robbins Electric Co.	1.00	1164
Robbins Electric Co.	11.78	1321
Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co.	750.00	1656
Scobie & Parker Co.	2.00	1224
Scientific Materials Co.	5.50	1655
Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Co.	13.00	1656
Woodwell Co., Joseph.	3.90	1556

Passed May 12, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 14, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 325.

No. 233

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer various sums of money from certain code accounts of the Bureau of Light, Department of Public Works, amounting to \$1,500.00, to certain code account in the Bureau of Light, Department of Public Works, to-wit:

\$1,500.00 from Code Account 1673, Materials, to Code Account 1675, Equipment and Machinery.

The above amount of transfer is to be used in addition to the amount of \$2,000.00 appropriated for the purchase of a new two (2) ton auto truck to be purchased for the Bureau of Light, Department of Public Works.

Passed May 12, 1919.
Approved May 14, 1919.
Resolution Book 4 Page 325.

No. 234

Whereas, In the installation of new meat stalls at the South Side Market it was necessary to perform certain extra work not included in the contract; and

Whereas, Said extra work exceeded the estimated cost of this contract; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the balance of \$600.00 in the contract authorization of Code Account 1599 to Contract No. 795, Code Account 1599, to pay for said extra work.

Passed May 12, 1919.

Approved May 14, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 326.

No. 235

Whereas, In the installation of new meat stalls at the South Side Market it was necessary to perform certain extra work not included in the contract; and

Whereas, Said extra work exceeded the amount of money set up for this contract in the amount of \$453.50; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the amount of \$353.50 from Code Account No. 1601-G, Structural and Non-Structural Improvements at the South Side Market, to Contract No. 795, Code Account 1599, for installing of new meat stalls at the South Side Market.

Passed May 12, 1919.

Approved May 14 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 326.

No. 236

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 182, Water Improvement and Extension Loan Fund, to Appropriation No. 182-A, Salaries and Expenses, Bureau of Water, the sum of one thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$1,000.00), for the purpose of payment of engineering, mechanical and other services performed by employees of, or furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, in the improvement and extension of water system, installation of, meters, etc., and materials and supplies used in connection with such work.

Passed May 12, 1919.

Approved May 14, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 326.

No. 237

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller

to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriator No.
Allegheny Repair Co.....	\$ 13.00	1591
Allegheny Repair Co.....	13.69	1622
Auto Specialties Co.....	31.00	1657
Campbell Niedringhaus		
Tire Service Co.....	3.50	1665
The Central Press Bureau	10.00	1414
The Central Press Bureau	1.35	1807
M. E. Cunningham Co.....	2.35	1404
Darlington Estate.....	19.50	1528
Duff Manufacturing Co.....	3.25	1557
Empire Laundry Co., The..	6.40	1807
Andrew Engel	36.45	1516
J. Fortenbacher & Son.....	3.65	1718
Dr. Agnes Burns Ferguson	16.25	1810
B. H. Frazier.....	7.25	1525
B. H. Frazier.....	59.40	1516
Hacker Brothers	8.00	1516
D. Hastings	29.25	1775
William A. Hoff.....	744.00	1554
Edw. M. Horen.....	183.75	1554
H. Hunziker	48.00	1525
Iron City Harness Supply		
Co.	12.50	1516
J. I. Malroye.....	255.50	1554
Mayer Wagon Co.....	3.50	1516
J. & J. B. Milholland Co....	10.00	1525
Moore Brothers	5.00	1701
H. D. Moorhead & Co.....	70.00	1554
James McBurney	105.88	1662
James A. McKenna	44.25	1563
James A. McKenna	19.35	1622
McQuillan Brothers	4.50	1657
Nelson & Smeltz.....	122.50	1554
Pannier Bros. Stamp Co....	4.40	1475
Pearson Manufacturing Co....	170.04	1557
Pittsburgh Reinforced		
Brazing & Machine Co....	5.00	1557
Pittsburgh Reinforced		
Brazing & Machine Co....	9.50	1657
Pittsburgh Water Heater		
Co.	5.45	1685
Profit Sharing Laundry		
Co.	142.50	1568
George Purdy	26.25	1516
Henry Rectanus	13.75	1516
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	40.55	1516
C. G. Ruhlandt.....	4.50	1525
Underwood Typewriter Co....	6.00	1406-A
Union Transfer & Storage		
Co.	114.75	1772
United Exterminating &		
Chemical Co.....	9.72	1568
United Exterminating &		
Chemical Co.....	9.72	1579
United Exterminating &		
Chemical Co.....	9.73	1588
Samuel Ward	6.00	1665
S. Ward	8.50	1775
Westinghouse Electric &		
Manufacturing Co.....	102.85	1657
Wappat Gear Works.....	86.38	1557

Passed May 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 327.

No. 238

Whereas, Contracts for the removal and disposal of garbage and rubbish within the City of Pittsburgh for the year ending December 31st, 1919, have not been awarded; and

Whereas, The contractors who held such contracts for eleven months ending December 31st, 1918, have removed and disposed of the garbage and rubbish during the month of April, 1919; and

Whereas, Accurate record has been kept of the amounts so removed; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$45,145.25 for the removal of 4,270.07 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 5,490.91 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$10,836.31 for the removal of 1,450.35 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton and 1,047.29 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health, the tonnage rates set forth in this resolution being the rates as established by the contractors for the period ending December 31st, 1918.

Passed May 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 328.

No. 239

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.		
Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Bircher Co., Inc.....	\$175.00	1066
Duncan & Porter Co.....	8.78	1533
Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co.....	2.40	1175

Link Belt Co., The..... 138.26 187-A

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Buchanan, W. P.....	22.20	1168
Gulf Refining Co.....	25.00	1031
Gilmore Drug Co., W. J.....	10.30	1320
Hamilton's Piano Store.....	3.25	1811
Iron City Electric Co.....	186.90	1673
Johnson Music Co.....	115.00	1323
Pittsburgh Speedometer Service Station.....	12.25	1032
Passavant Hospital.....	18.75	1215
Robbins Electric Co.....	10.14	1032
Robbins Electric Co.....	168.10	1164
Shipley Massingham Co.....	59.62	1232
Wheeler Condenser & Engineering Co.....	71.75	1656
Wolfe Brush Co.....	2.07	1723

Passed May 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 329.

No. 240

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the Keystone Typewriter Service Company for repairs to typewriters as follows:

To repairing and overhauling Underwood Typewriter No. 3, 23669.	
26" pica type.....	\$18.50
(Charge to Code Account No. 1074.)	
To repairing Underwood Typewriter No. 5, 862744.....	1.00
(Charge to Code Account No. 1089.)	
To thorough cleaning and overhauling of Underwood Typewriter No. 3, WX21154.....	15.00
(Charge to Code Account No. 1089.)	
and be it further	

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Baker Office Furniture Company in the sum of \$3.75 for repairs to chairs in the Department of Law, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1074.

Passed May 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 329.

No. 241

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment

of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Chester A. Warburton.....	\$ 16.00	1147
Keystone Laundry Co.....	101.32	1147
Kaufmann Department Store	22.00	11-59-O
Keystone Laundry Co.....	6.96	Engine Room

Passed May 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved May 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 330.

No. 242

Whereas, A meter has been installed at premises of Emerson L. Duff, 434 South Main street, Twentieth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and

Whereas, It appears that the flat rate for a quarter for water used in said premises would be \$19.64, and meter readings at the current rates for the quarter ending December 7th, 1918, show a use of water in the sum of \$110.20, or an increase in the charge for the water for said quarter of \$90.56; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owner of the said property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh be and are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said Emerson L. Duff on account of said charge for water in the sum of \$45.28, being one-half of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 330.

No. 243

Whereas, Walter Wickline has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$300.00 for lots Nos. 99 and 100, located on Goshen street, Twenty-sixth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the east side of Goshen street at the corner of Walter Wickline's property; thence extending northwardly 40 feet to Dalsey avenue; thence eastwardly 100 feet to Hazelton street; thence southwardly 40 feet to line of

Walter Wickline's property; thence westwardly 100 feet to Goshen street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Walter Wickline for the sum of \$300.00.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 331.

No. 244

Whereas, James Skiles has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$100.00 for lot No. 32, Denham street, Twenty-fifth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the east side of Denham street 105.14 feet south of Rising Main street; thence extending 20 feet southwardly to lot No. 33; thence extending 102 feet to Lanark street; thence extending northwardly 20 feet to lot No. 31; thence westwardly 102 feet to Denham street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to James Skiles for the sum of \$100.00.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 331.

No. 245

Whereas, Virginia Murrell has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$250.00 for a lot on Belvidere street, Ninth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the north side of Belvidere street at the corner of lot No. 49 in Edeburn and Ewing's Plan; thence extending eastwardly 20 feet to lot No. 51 in said plan; thence northwardly 73.97 feet to Ewing alley; thence westwardly 20.18 feet to lot No. 49; thence southwardly 76.68 feet to Belvidere street, the place of beginning, being lot No. 50 in Edeburn and Ewing's Plan; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Virginia Murrell for the sum of \$250.00.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 331.

No. 246

Whereas, It is necessary to employ extra laborers for the cleaning of the walls and other general work in the City-County Building for which no money was appropriated; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfer of funds in the Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works.

From

Code Acct. 1567—Wages, Regular Employees.....\$2,200.00

To

Code Acct. 1567½—Wages, Temporary Employees..... 2,200.00

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 332.

No. 247

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to transfer the sum of nine hundred dollars (\$900.00) from Code Account No. 1144, Item A, Salaries Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1150, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Police.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 332.

No. 248

Whereas, Additional money is needed for the payment of quarantine guards employed for the purpose of guarding houses quarantined for smallpox; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars from Appropriation No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Appropriation No. 1204, Wages, Temporary Employees, Division of Transmissible Diseases, Department of Public Health.

Passed May 20, 1919.

Approved May 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 332.

No. 249

Whereas, A number of bills have been introduced in the State Legislature which are of doubtful benefit to the welfare of the City of Pittsburgh, the larger of the two cities classed as second class cities in the State of Pennsylvania; and

Whereas, Certain of the bills referred to are actually detrimental to the welfare of the City of Pittsburgh and seriously interfere with the finances and government of the City; therefore,

We, the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, respectfully urge His Honor, the Mayor, to join in the following resolution to be sent to His Excellency, Governor Sproul, and the Honorable Senators and Representatives in the General Assembly of the State of Pennsylvania.

Resolved, First, That the great changes in times and conditions brought about by the progress of recent years indicate that the Constitution of the State of Pennsylvania should be revised and brought up to date; and,

Second, Pending action by a convention to consider changes in the State Constitution, we respectfully urge the State authorities to reject any proposed changes in the laws affecting the affairs of the municipal government regarding elections, number of officials, salaries or any other measures which would take from the municipality the right and power to administer the affairs of the City.

Passed May 12, 1919.

Pittsburgh, May 26th, 1919.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, duly engrossed and certified, was delivered by me to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval, on May 13th, 1919, and that the Mayor failed to approve or disapprove the same, or to return the same to Council within ten (10) days from said date, whereupon the same became a law without his approval, under the provisions of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided.

E. J. MARTIN,
Clerk of Council.

Resolution Book 4, Page 333.

No. 250

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons, in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge

the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
American Public Health Association	\$ 4.00	1218
American Wall Paper Co.	2.78	1570
Baur Brothers Co.	151.08	1232
Daily Law Bulletin.....	10.00	1086
Gieske, E. C.	18.38	1232
Hamilton's Piano Store..	15.05	1811
Jackson Motor Supply Co.	4.80	1032
Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.	9.84	1570
Kaufmann's, "The Big Store"	2.00	1811
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.	.90	1699
Latimer, Robert A.	17.81	1164
Mulford & Co., H. K.	36.00	1206
Pittsburgh Workshop for the Blind.....	2.00	1329
Pittsburgh Stationery Co.	.37	1056
Pittsburgh Stationery Co.	1.60	1090-C
Pittsburgh Stationery Co.	8.18	1655
Pittsburgh Provision Co.	30.00	1647
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	3.75	1165
Smith Brothers Co., Inc.	146.55	1076
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.	54.62	1656
Totty Co., Charles H.	39.66	1716
Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.	434.00	1673

Passed May 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 333.

No. 251

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
A. Amrhein & Brother.....	\$ 58.40	1516
Atlas Welding & Supply Co.	17.50	1661
East End Auto Lamp & Radiator Repair Co.	5.00	1685
I. J. Glatch.....	34.35	1525

Keystone Laundry Co.	1.36	1800
Laurel Land Co.	128.80	1528
James A. McKenna.....	2.50	1583
James A. McKenna.....	220.92	1622
National Gear Wheel Foundry	35.00	1557
George Purdy	2.85	1665
John Sauter Co.	22.00	1583
Joseph Schiller	10.40	1516
Samuel Ward	99.55	1516
Samuel Ward	8.80	1525

Passed May 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 4 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 334.

No. 252

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Charles H. Garlick.....	\$ 3.00	1163
Allegheny General Hospital	36.50	1163
Keystone Laundry Co.	216.29	1163
Duquesne Light Co.	3.00	1163
Bertram G. Case.....	57.64	1166
W. H. Champ.....	8.05	1166
August Loch	3.00	1166
The Addler Machine Co.	43.05	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co.	45.90	1166

Passed May 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 335.

No. 253

Whereas, Council by Resolution No. 224, approved May 9th, 1919, made an adjustment of the sewer assessment on Glen way, fixing the cost at \$1.25 per foot front; and

Whereas, Miss Sara Jane Griffith, in order not to incur any increased cost or interest, paid her assessment of \$162.50, therefore she is entitled to a refund of \$100.00.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Miss Sara Jane Griffith in the sum of \$100.00, refunding a part of assessment paid by her for sewer on Glen way, in the rear of her

property on Maripoe street, and charge same to Appropriation 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed May 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 335.

No. 254

Whereas, In the case of James Reese & Sons vs. City of Pittsburgh at No. 2416 July Term, 1916, an appeal from the award of the Board of Viewers in the Penn Avenue Improvement, it became necessary to employ certain expert real estate witnesses to testify on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, The Department of Law, owing to the importance of the case, which involved thousands of dollars in damages, was desirous of securing the services of Messrs. John E. Kane and John A. Sharp to testify on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh in the above entitled case; and

Whereas, It was agreed between Council and Mr. H. M. Irons, Assistant City Solicitor, who had charge of the preparation and trial of the case, that the fee to be paid the aforementioned witnesses was to be the sum of \$500.00 each; and

Whereas, It was also necessary to employ other real estate witnesses to testify on behalf of the City, but there was no agreement as to the amount of fees to be paid said witnesses, who presented bills for \$500.00 each, which bills on presentation to the Finance Committee for approval were reduced to \$250.00 each, and the bills of Messrs. John E. Kane and John A. Sharp were also reduced to \$250.00 each; and

Whereas, By reason of the fact that it was agreed between Council and Mr. H. M. Irons, Assistant City Solicitor, at the time Messrs. Kane and Sharp were employed that the fee to be paid to each of them for their services was to be \$500.00, it is only just and fair that the balance of \$250.00 each, which remains unpaid, should be paid to them as agreed; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mr. Leo Kane for John E. Kane, deceased, in the sum of \$250.00, and a warrant in favor of John A. Sharp in the sum of \$250.00, which amounts are in full payment for services rendered for testifying on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh in the case of James Reese & Sons vs. City of Pittsburgh; same to be charged to Code Account No. 1075 (Witness Fees, Department of Law).

Passed May 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 336.

No. 255

Whereas, There is due to the Peoples Savings & Trust Company the sum of seventeen hundred dollars (\$1,700.00), being unpaid rent for the period commencing November 1st, 1916, and ending March 31st, 1918, for the property situate on the west side of Tunnel street and formerly used and occupied by the Division of Motor Vehicles for the housing of motor equipment; and

Whereas, During the period for which said rent is due the property was not surrendered to the lessor, but by reason of its not being used no appropriation was requested by any bureau to provide for the payment of rent and

Whereas, Since March 31st, 1918, this property has been used and occupied by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers under a certain lease approved by the Council, the said property being used as a garage by the said bureau.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Peoples Savings & Trust Company, Attorney-in-fact for Elizabeth Louise McLeod Mitchell, for seventeen hundred dollars (\$1,700.00) for rent due the said company, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 1513, Miscellaneous Services, Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Passed May 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 336.

No. 256

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Wm. R. Reynolds for the sum of \$709.44, covering hospital and doctor bills incurred by him by reason of an accident while performing his duty as a lieutenant in the Bureau of Police on September 7th, 1918, and charge the same to Code Account No. 1147, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Police.

Passed May 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 337.

No. 257

Whereas, Fred A. Twaley did, on March 15th, 1918, at about 10:45 A. M., step on a sewer lid, which gave way, causing him to fall therein, thereby injuring his ribs and hip bone, incapacitating him from his usual employment as a mail carrier for twenty-two (22) days; and

Whereas, The injuries sustained were due to the tilting of the sewer lid; and

Whereas, The said Fred A. Twaley filed his claim against the City of Pittsburgh for five hundred dollars (\$500.00), covering loss of wages and physician's bill, but has agreed to accept two hundred dollars (\$200.00) in full settlement of his claim; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Fred A. Twaley in the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) in full settlement of any and all claims arising out of the alleged accident recited above, and charge the same to Code Account, Contingent Fund No. 42.

Passed May 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 337.

No. 258

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration of water rent on property of Martha Walker, 2201-3-5-7 and 9 Ridgeway street, Fifth ward, in the sum of \$48.29, this being 50% of the charge over what the flat rate would be.

Passed May 27, 1919.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 338.

No. 259

Whereas, The Mt. Washington Presbyterian Church, located at the corner of Grandview avenue and Kearsarge street, Nineteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, was assessed a flat water rate for the year 1910, amounting to \$80.50, and for the year 1911 the sum of \$82.50; and

Whereas, A lien has been filed against the said Mt. Washington Presbyterian Church for non-payment of said water assessment for the year 1910, at D. T. D. No. 3646, April Term, 1913, amount-

ing to \$114.84, which amount includes nalty, interest and costs; and

Whereas, A lien has also been filed against said Mt. Washington Presbyterian Church for non-payment of said water assessment for the year 1911, at D. T. D. No. 904, January Term, 1914, amounting to \$114.25, which amount includes penalty, interest and costs; and

Whereas, The trustees of the said Mt. Washington Presbyterian Church feel that the water assessments at the flat rate for the years 1910 and 1911 are excessive for the reason that the metered rate for the year 1912—a meter having been installed late in 1911—amounted to \$35.23, and believe that no more water was used by said church in 1910 and 1911 than was used under the metered rate in 1912; and

Whereas, For the reason stated above the trustees of the Mt. Washington Presbyterian Church believe that a fair and equitable adjustment of the assessments for the years 1910 and 1911 would be the amount paid at the metered rate for 1912, to-wit: the sum of \$35.23, and respectfully ask that the assessments for 1910 and 1911 be reduced to \$35.23, respectively; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to satisfy the lien filed against the Mt. Washington Presbyterian Church at No. D. T. D. 3646 April Term, 1913, upon payment of \$35.23; and to satisfy the lien filed against the Mt. Washington Presbyterian Church at No. D. T. D. 904 January Term, 1914, upon payment of \$35.23; the costs to be charged to the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed May 27, 1919.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 338.

No. 260

Whereas, Mrs. Mary Young was the owner of lot No. 35 on Campana avenue, Twelfth ward of the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh constructed a sewer on Campana avenue, and an assesment was made against the property of Mrs. Young for the construction of said sewer amounting to \$406.98; and

Whereas, A portion of said lot was conveyed by Mrs. Mary Young to the Right Reverend Regis Canevin, Trustee for St. Walburga Church; and

Whereas, A lien has been filed against Mrs. Mary Young for failure to pay said sewer assessment amounting to \$406.98, at No. 196 January Term, 1919; and

Whereas, The Right Reverend Regis Canevin, Trustee for St. Walburga Church, is desirous of paying the said church's proportionate share of the cost of the construction of said sewer on the portion of the lot purchased by said church from Mrs. Mary Young; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to apportion the sewer assessment amounting to \$406.98, interest and costs, assessed against Mrs. Mary Young in order that the said St. Walburga Church can pay its pro rata share of said assessment, interest and costs, which now amounts to \$81.39, and upon payment of said sum, interest and costs to the City of Pittsburgh, the City Solicitor is authorized to satisfy all liens as to that portion of the said lot owned by said church.

Passed May 27, 1919.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 339.

No. 261

Whereas, R. Z. Joseph has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$1,250.00 for lot No. 8 in Kirkpatrick, Mellon and Robb Plan, located on Penn avenue between Fortieth and Fisk streets, Ninth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the south side of Penn avenue at a point 145.37 feet westwardly from the corner of Fortieth street and Penn avenue; thence westwardly on Penn avenue 22 feet to a pin; thence southwardly 130.82 feet to a point on Woolslayer alley, said point being 168.02 feet westwardly from the corner of Fortieth street and Woolslayer alley; thence eastwardly by Woolslayer alley 22 feet to a point; thence northwardly 130.5 feet more or less to Penn avenue, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to R. Z. Joseph for the sum of \$1,250.00.

Passed May 27, 1919.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 339.

No. 262

Whereas, Ralph D. Young has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$1,100.00 for lots Nos. 781, 782, 783 Chalfont street, Eighteenth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the north side of Chalfont street at the corner of an unnamed way;

thence extending 60 feet to lot No. 780; thence northwardly 102.5 feet to Orient way; thence westwardly 60 feet to an unnamed way; thence southwardly 102.5 feet to Chalfont street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver deeds for the aforementioned property to Ralph D. Young upon the payment of \$1,350.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed May 27, 1919.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 340.

No. 263

Whereas, We have no funds to purchase uniforms for the elevator operators, dispatchers and watchmen employed in the City-County Building, and would therefore request that the sum of \$551.76 be transferred from the Contingent Fund to the Bureau of City Property to pay for same; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfer from the Contingent Fund to the Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works.

From
Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.....\$551.76

To
C. A. No. 1568, Miscellaneous Services, City-County Building 551.76

Passed May 27, 1919.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 340.

No. 264

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of one thousand five hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$1,500.00) from Appropriation No. 1647, "Supplies," to Appropriation No. 1648, "Materials," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Passed May 27, 1919.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 340.

No. 265

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 51-

B, General Elections, to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, the sum of twenty-three thousand five hundred dollars (\$23,500.00).

Passed May 27, 1919.

Approved June 4, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 341.

No. 266

Whereas, Council, by Bill No. 2460, authorized the appointment of a committee of Council to call on the Secretary of War and other Government officials at Washington, D. C., to hasten the return of the Pittsburgh soldiers; and

Whereas, A committee, appointed under the provisions of this resolution, visited Washington, D. C., and incurred expenses to the amount of \$160.00, including transportation, hotel bills, etc., and the said resolution did not provide for the payment of these expenses; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Daniel Winters, treasurer of said committee, in the sum of \$160.00, in payment of expenses incurred as aforesaid, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 1005, Council's Contingent Fund.

Passed June 9, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4 Page 341.

No. 267

Whereas, The residents of the Fifth District of the Fourteenth ward have formed an association for the purpose of erecting an Honor Roll Tablet on the lot occupied by Engine Company No. 61; and

Whereas, The Fifteenth Ward Patriotic Association is desirous of erecting an Honor Roll Tablet on Engine House No. 13, corner of Second avenue and Glen Caladh street, which will contain the names of all the boys from that community who carried the colors; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Fifteenth Ward Patriotic Association be given permission to erect said tablet on No. 13 Engine Company House (provided, however, that it must conform to the architecture of the building and that plans be submitted to and approved by the City Architect); and be it further

Resolved, That the said association of residents of the Fifth District of the

Fourteenth ward be and they are hereby given permission to erect said tablet on the grounds occupied by No. 61 Engine House; provided, however, that the said tablet and pedestal must conform to the architecture of the building, and that plans therefor must be submitted to and approved by the City Architect.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 341.

No. 268

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Name.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
A. Amrhein & Bro.....	\$ 51.35	1665
Campbell Neidringhaus.....	.53	1417
B. K. Elliott Co.....	24.75	1425
Empire Laundry Co.....	1.36	1807
B. H. Frazier.....	41.00	1516
Gardner Bros. Service Co.....	37.00	1516
Ed. M. Horen.....	367.50	1554
William A. Huff.....	400.00	1554
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	39.63	1417
Lincoln Laundry Co.....	.76	1807
J. I. Malroye.....	334.25	1554
Mayer Wagon Co.....	54.75	1516
C. C. Mellor Co.....	16.00	1807
Miller & Woodward, Inc.....	.60	1810
H. S. Moorehead & Co.....	234.50	1554
James A. McKenna.....	6.75	1571
James A. McKenna.....	87.35	1583
Nelson & Smeltz.....	140.00	1554
W. D. Poland.....	105.00	1554
William Renton.....	35.00	1657
Royal Typewriter Co.....	1.50	1616
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	1.00	1417
James A. McKenna.....	280.64	1563

Passed June 9, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 342.

No. 269

Whereas, A sewer has been constructed on Glen way in the rear of Maripoe street from May way to sewer on Glen way, for which the properties fronting on the north side of Glen way have been assessed for said improvement; and

Whereas, Under Resolution Bill No. 2192, approved May 9, 1919, the City Solicitor was empowered and directed

to make an adjustment of the assessments made on the properties on the south side of Maripoe street on the basis of \$1.25 per foot front; and

Whereas, Mrs. Annie B. C. Acheson was assessed and paid to the City Treasurer on February 24, 1919, \$162.50, being the assessment against her property in the name of John A. Colwell for lot on the south side of Maripoe street; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mrs. Annie B. C. Acheson for one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed June 9, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 343.

No. 270

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the W. J. Gilmore Drug Company of Pittsburgh in the sum of \$298.68 in adjustment of water rents from flat rates to meter rates, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes.

Passed June 9, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 343.

No. 271

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following newspapers for advertising which was not done in accordance with law, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Pittsburgh Sun	\$214.92
Pittsburgh Post	214.92
Gazette Times	235.20
Pittsburgh Leader	226.80
Pittsburgh Press	219.24
The National Labor Journal.....	60.00
Tribune Publishing Co.....	90.00
Pittsburgh Dispatch	219.24

Passed June 9, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 343.

No. 272

Whereas, The Department of Public Safety was in need of Policemen and the service was seriously impaired because they could not secure men to pass the examination, and

Whereas, The Department of Public Safety not being acquainted with the law governing cities of the second class, advertised in the public press other than the papers designated to do the City advertising and such advertising is not in accordance with law, and

Whereas, Said advertising should be paid, and the papers acted in good faith,

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized and directed to issue and the Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following publishing companies in the following amounts, respectively:

Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.....	\$25.20
The Press Publishing Co.....	25.20
The Pittsburgh Gazette Times.....	25.20
Tribune Publishing Co.....	18.00
The Pittsburgh Post.....	17.64

And charge same to Appropriation No. 1100-M.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 344.

No. 273

Whereas, Frank P. Iams during the year 1904 and a long time prior thereto was the sole owner of those two certain lots Nos. 260 and 261 in Andrew Patterson Plan of Sheraden (See Plan Book, Vol. 6, Page 212, et seq. and Deed Books, Vols. 637, Page 238, and 655, Page 282), located in Sheraden Borough, now the Twentieth ward, City of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, and

Whereas, Frank P. Iams and Lucy Dorsey Iams, husband and wife, were the owners jointly of those two certain lots, Nos. 262 and 263 in said Andrew Patterson Plan, in the year 1904 and for a long time prior thereto, and

Whereas, a municipal claim for the sum of six hundred and ninety dollars (\$690.00) was filed at No. 1477 October Term, 1904, of the Common Pleas Court of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, against all said four lots, viz: Nos. 260, 261, 262 and 263 for the improvement of South street, now Tyndall street, on which said four lots have a frontage of 345 feet, and

Whereas, said Frank P. Iams died on March 11, 1917, intestate, leaving said Lucy Dorsey Iams the sole owner of said two lots, Nos. 262 and 263; and

Whereas, said municipal claim for six hundred and ninety dollar (\$690.00) together with interest and costs to May 11, 1919, is the sum of one thousand, four hundred and sixty-two dollars and thirty cents (\$1,462.30) an dis a lien on said four lots, or a total frontage on said South street, now Tyndall street, of 345 feet, and all of equal depth, and

Whereas, the proportional part of said claim, interest and costs on those two certain lots, Nos. 262 and 263 aforesaid now owned solely by Lucy Dorsey Iams, is the 200/345 part of one thousand four hundred and sixty-two and 30/100 dollars (\$1,462.30) or the sum of eight hundred and forty-seven and 71/100 dollars (\$477.11).

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized to accept the said sum of eight hundred and forty-seven and 71/100 dollars (\$477.11) and, upon receipt of the same, to satisfy the aforesaid lien of record as to said two lots, Nos. 262 and 263, now owned by said Lucy Dorsey Iams.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 344.

No. 274

Whereas, the Water Statements of Sarah J. Floyd on property at Ruthven street and Bigelow boulevard, are as follows:

April 26, 1918, six months.....	\$239.76
July 22, 1918, one quarter.....	103.48
October 21, 1918, one quarter.....	111.44
January 21, 1919, one quarter.....	11 .90
April 14, 1919, one quarter.....	98.86

Making a total of\$634.44

Whereas, Mrs. Floyd believes this charge is excessive and the water rent should be put on flat rate, for the reason that meters are not furnished each house and requests that an adjustment be made.

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and are hereby authorized and directed to make an adjustment of the water rents charged for 1918 and 1919, on the property of Sarah J. Floyd at No. 3310 Ruthven street and Nos. 3305 to 3313 Bigelow boulevard, in the sum of \$332.22, being 50 per cent of assessment.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 345.

No. 275

Whereas, C. B. Bratt is the owner of certain property located on Flora street, in the Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, Pa., on which the City has built a sewer connecting with a general sewer system, and

Whereas, the Board of Viewers, appointed by the Court at No. 578 January Term, 1918, made special assessments against the following lot numbers on the Viewers' Plan attached to said proceedings, which property is owned by said C. B. Bratt, vis: V-1 \$75.00; V-2, \$75.00; V-3, \$75.00; V-4 \$75.00; V-5, \$75.00; V-6, \$75.00; V-7, \$120.00; V-8, \$79.20; V-9, \$79.20; V-10, \$79.20; V-11, \$79.20; V-12, \$79.20; V-13, \$79.20; V-48, \$45.00; V-49, \$45.00; V-50, \$45.00; V-51, \$45.00; V-52, \$45.00; V-53, \$45.00; V-54, \$45.00; V-55, \$45.00 V-56, \$45.00; V-57, \$45.00; V-58, \$45.00; V-59, \$45.00; V-60, \$45.00, and

Whereas, said property is unimproved vacant land for which there is no ready sale, and the assessments made by the Board of Assessors of said City show that the market value of said property subsequent to the laying of said sewer was assessed at a less price than the same was assessed prior to construction of said sewer, and the council are of opinion that there are no special advantages to this particular property by reason of the construction of the sewer on said street, and that the advantages, if any, are remote and problematic; therefore, be it

Resolved, That said C. B. Bratt shall be and he is hereby released and discharged from the payment of said assessments, and the proper City officers are authorized and directed to make such entries upon their books as are necessary to show that said assessments have been released and exonerated, and the law department is further authorized to agree to the striking off of said assessment on the hearing of any exceptions filed by the owner for that purpose.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 346.

No. 276

Whereas, Mrs. Clara Kraska has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$70.00 for Lot No. 142 in A. R. Neeb's Plan on Dupont street, Fifteenth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the south side of Dupont street at the corner of Lot No. 143 in said plan; thence extending eastwardly 24 feet to Lot No. 141 in said

plan; thence southwardly 132.31 feet to a 20-foot way; thence westwardly 24.34 feet to Lot No. 143; thence northwardly 136.3 feet to Dupont street, the place of beginning. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Mrs. Clara Kraska for the sum of \$100.00.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 347.

No. 277

Resolved, That Resolution No. 225, approved May 9, 1919, authorizing and directing the Mayor to execute and deliver a deed to Robert G. Blackham for lots Nos. 248,249, at the corner of Alger and Winterburn streets, Fifteenth ward, upon the payment of \$1,500.00, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 347.

No. 278

Whereas, Additional money is needed in the Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works for the purchase of equipment,

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$2,420.00 from Code Account 1812, Structural and Non-Structural Improvements to Code Account 1811-Equipment.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 347.

No. 279

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) from Appropriation No. 1144, Bureau of Police, Salaries, to Appropriation No. 156, City Hall Bonds, 1910.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 347.

No. 280

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of eighteen hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,850.00) from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund to Appropriation No. 1061, Temporary Salaries, and one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150.00) from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund to Appropriation No. 1065, Repairs, Department of the City Treasurer.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 348.

No. 281

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 171, Water Improvement and Extension Loan Fund, to Appropriation No. 171-A, Salaries and Expenses, Bureau of Water, the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00), for the purpose of payment of engineering, mechanical and other services performed by employees of, or furnished to the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, in the improvement and extension of the water system, installation of meters, etc., and materials and supplies used in connection with such work.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 348.

No. 282

Whereas, by authority of an Ordinance approved May 26, 1919, the Director of the Department of Public Works was directed to advertise for proposals and to award a contract for the purchase of one seven ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller and one five ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller for a price not to exceed four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500.00), and

Whereas, the unencumbered balance in Appropriation No. 1558, Equipment, Asphalt Plants, is insufficient to provide for payment of the said steam tandem rollers, when delivered and accepted,

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500.00) from Appropriation No. 1555, Supplies, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1558, Equipment, Asphalt Plants, to provide for payment of said steam tan-

dem rollers when delivered and accepted by the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 348.

No. 283

Whereas, A breakdown to the gas engine in connection with the refrigerating system at the Diamond Market occurred early last week and as the work of repairing same progressed it was discovered that the crank shaft had become crystallized and was therefore unfit for further use. As Code Account No. 1582, Materials, Diamond Market, is practically exhausted, it will be necessary to secure funds for the payment of a new crank shaft, same being an absolute necessity. Therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be hereby authorized and directed to set aside the sum of \$1,200.00, Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to pay for a new crank shaft for gas engine No. 416, in connection with refrigerating system at the Diamond Market.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 349.

No. 284

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of fourteen hundred (\$1,400.00) dollars from Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering to Code Account 1418-F, Equipment and Machinery, General Office, Bureau of Engineering.

Passed June 9, 1919.

Approved June 12, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 349.

No. 285

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
H. S. Anderson Auto Repair Co.	\$ 17.00	1816
P. J. Guina.....	1.50	1665
Iron City Engineering Co.	86.50	1810
McCandless, Collingwood & Alexander	16.00	1679
Penn Storage Battery Co..	3.00	1557
John Sauter Co.....	30.80	1810
Scientific Materials Co.....	1.85	1657
John A. Sharp.....	902.16	1679
B. F. Stout.....	.78	1810
Underwood Typewriter Co.	.90	1657
Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Co.....	241.98	1657
Fueller's Tire & Tube Repair Co.....	25.85	1674
Metz & Miller.....	19.50	1674

Passed June 16, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 349.

No. 286

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$862.73	1160
Keystone Laundry Co.....	5.84	1130
Keystone Laundry Co.....	76.98	1147
William B. McGrady.....	45.17	1136

Passed June 16, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 350.

No. 287

Whereas, Contracts for the removal and disposal of garbage and rubbish within the City of Pittsburgh for the year ending December 31, 1919, have not been awarded, and

Whereas, The contractors who held such contracts for eleven months ending December 31, 1918, have removed and disposed of the garbage and rubbish during the month of May, 1919, and

Whereas, Accurate record has been kept of the amounts so removed; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$47,494.75 for the removal of 4,409.425 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 5,829.412 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to Allegheny Garbage Co. for \$12,846.02, for the removal of 1,341.49 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 1,481.965 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health, the tonnage rates set forth in this resolution being the rates as established by the contractors for the period ending December 31, 1918.

Passed June 16, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 350.

No. 288

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Packard Motor Company for \$410.65 for repairing Packard car, known as the "Council car," and charge the same to Appropriation No. 1033-E, Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Passed June 16, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 351.

No. 289

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Pittsburgh & West Virginia Railway Company, in the sum of two hundred, fifty-one and 13/100 (\$251.13) dollars, or so much of the same as may be necessary to cover freight charges due on shipments of coal to the pumping stations during the month of January, 1918; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed June 16, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 351.

No. 290

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of William Penn Hotel for the sum of \$136.70, for luncheons furnished on May 6, and 20, 1919, to members of Mayor's Conference Committee in attendance at meetings in re-adjustment of lighting rates of the Duquesne Light Company and also relative to the proposed bond issue, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed June 16, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 351.

No. 291

Whereas, W. N. Richards has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$1100.00 for Lots Nos. 46, 47, 48, 49 and 53 located on Kerr street, Twentieth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Four lots Nos. 46 to 49 inclusive, beginning on the east side of Kerr street at the corner of Lot No. 45 in W. J. Boyd's Plan; thence extending 96 feet southwardly to Lot No. 50 in said plan, thence extending 100 feet eastwardly to Dedrick alley, thence northwardly 72 feet to Wettengel street; thence northwestwardly 27 feet to Lot No. 45 in said plan; thence westwardly 84 feet to Kerr street, the place of beginning. Also Lot No. 53 beginning on the east side of Kerr street at the corner of Gormley street; thence extending 24 feet to lot No. 54 in W. J. Boyd's plan; thence eastwardly 100 feet to Dedrick alley; thence northwardly 24 feet to Gormley street, thence westwardly 100 feet to Kerr street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be hereby authorized to execute and deliver deeds for the aforementioned property to W. N. Richards, for the sum of \$1,200.00.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 352.

No. 292

Whereas, Joseph L. Haas has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$450.00 for Lot No. 177 Monastery street, Seventeenth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the west side of Monastery street 144 feet south of St. Martin street, thence extending southwardly 24 feet to a pin;

thence westwardly 100 feet to a 20-foot alley, thence northwardly 24 feet to a pin; thence eastwardly 120 feet to Monastery street, the place of beginning; being Lot No. 177 in Rt. Rev. M. Domencs plan; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the above mentioned property to Joseph L. Haas, for the sum of \$450.00.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 352.

No. 293

Whereas, Robert G. Blackham has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$450.00 for Lot No. 249 in William Flinn's Greenfield plan located at the corner of Alger and Winterburn streets, Fifteenth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the south side of Alger street at the corner of Lot No. 248 in said plan; thence extending 90 feet southwardly to Lot No. 245 in said plan; thence eastwardly 3.91 feet to a pin; thence northwardly 94.66 feet to the corner of Alger and Winterburn streets; thence westwardly 33.52 feet along Alger street to Lot No. 248, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Robert G. Blackham, for the sum of \$450.00.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 353.

No. 294

Whereas, The Board of Water Assessors has exonerated Mrs. Hannah Sarraf, 1109-1111 Bedford avenue, Third ward, from the payment of excessive water rent on account of leaking fixtures to an amount of \$21.20; and

Whereas, Under the law the Board of Water Assessors is only allowed to grant one exoneration for one year; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors be and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to Mrs. Hannah Sarraf in the sum of \$18.36 for water rent on her

property at 1109-1111 Bedford avenue, Third ward, for the year 1918.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 353.

No. 295

Whereas, a meter has been installed at premises of Cunigundi McKee, 2031 Wylie avenue, Fifth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa., and

Whereas, It appears that the flat rate for a quarter for water used in said premises would be \$5.44, and meter readings at the current rates for the period from July 18, 1918, to May 14, 1919, show a use of water in the sum of \$82.92, or an increase in the charge for the water for said period of \$72.04; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owner of the said property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh be and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said Cunigundi McKee on account of said charge for water in the sum of \$38.74, being one-half of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 353.

No. 296

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration of water rent on property of M. N. Shapiro, 3609 Bethoven street, Sixth ward, in the sum of \$129.40, being 50 per cent of the total charge less what the flat rate would have been from April 14, 1917, to April 15, 1919, as recommended by the Board of Water Assessors.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 354.

No. 297

Whereas, Council set up an appropriation of \$40,000.00 as a Firemen's Equalization Fund in the Department of Public Safety for the purpose of bringing the firemen's wages up to the amount paid patrolmen, and

Whereas, This amount is insufficient and it will be necessary to transfer \$8,500.00 to this fund to meet the payroll for same; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$8,500.00 from Appropriation No. 1161, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Appropriation No. 1169-A, Firemen's Equalization Fund, Bureau of Fire, Department of Public Safety.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 354.

No. 298

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund to Appropriation No. 1066, Equipment, Department of the City Treasurer, to be used for the purchase of an automobile for the use of the Paymaster, Department of the City Treasurer.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 354.

No. 299

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 1113, Salaries, Regular Employees, Art Commission, to Appropriation No. 1042, Salaries, Regular Employees, Transit Commission, the sum of \$875.00, for the purpose of paying salary of clerk in the office of the Transit Commissioner for the balance of the year 1919.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 355.

No. 300

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) from Appropriation No. 1108-B, Miscellaneous Services, Department of City Planning to Appropriation No. 1109-C, Supplies, Department of City Planning.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 355.

No. 301

Whereas, the Asphalt Plant of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers will resurface the walks in West Park of the Bureau of Parks; and

Whereas, there is a balance of \$2,287.50 in Code Account No. 1775-E, "Resurfacing Walks, West Park, Bureau of Parks;" now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of two thousand two hundred eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$2,287.50) from Code Account No. 1775-E, Resurfacing Walks, West Park, Bureau of Parks, to several code accounts of the Asphalt Plant, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, to-wit: Appropriation No. 1553, Wages,

Temporary	\$1,150.00
Appropriation No. 1556, Materials	1,137.50

Total \$2,287.50

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 355.

No. 302

1. Whereas, A great number of our returned soldiers have protested against any change in the management of the Soldiers' and Sailors' club which would affect Captain Charles S. Schadle, and have expressed their hearty approval of the manner in which he has conducted it.

2. The club is being operated solely for our soldier boys and they are the ones to be satisfied primarily and finally.

3. The War Department has announced that entire demobilization will be completed by September 1 and at the latest by October 1.

4. The purpose for which the club was created, to provide a temporary home for our service men during the war and demobilization, will have been served in two or three months.

5. If the club is not closed then it will have to be reorganized along different lines and such a step should be taken only after careful thought.

6. While there have been slight differences as to the policy of operation, we understand they are not vital and there appears to be no pressing necessity to make any changes until the club's present work is finished in the near future. Therefore, be it

Resolved, In view of the creditable record the club has made, for which Captain Schadle deserves a fair share of

credit, as attested by his comrades, and in view of his gallant record as a soldier—17 months in the trenches "over there"—that Council and the Mayor, donors of the building and founders of the club, advise the directors of the War Camp Community Service, tenants of the Public Safety Building, as follows:

1. That we deeply appreciate the work they have done and the substantial help they have given the club.

2. That in our opinion the club should continue to operate as it has until the time arrives to cease its present activities and be re-organized along other lines September 1 or October 1.

3. That Captain Shadle should be allowed to finish his work and that he should not be displaced, placed on furlough, or interfered with, until he does so.

4. That the Mayor, at his convenience, prior to September 1, call a conference of the directors of the War Camp Community Service, the citizens who composed the original "organization committee" of the Soldiers and Sailors Club, and the members of Council, and that said conference decide on future plans for the club, and if it is to continue, as to how and by whom it shall be operated.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 17, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 356.

No. 303

Whereas, The United States Postal Authorities are contemplating the establishing of an Aerial Postal Service; and

Whereas, owing to the importance of the City of Pittsburgh as a commercial and manufacturing center, Council believes it should be made one of the stations of this proposed service; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Council and the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh, that Postmaster General A. S. Burleson, be requested to make Pittsburgh one of the stations or stops for the Aerial Postal Service when established, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the postmaster general for his information; and, be it further

Resolved, That if the postmaster general will grant the Mayor and Council a hearing, and will signify when it will be agreeable, that they will be pleased to go to Washington to attend said hearing; and be it further

Resolved, That Representative Stephen G. Porter and the other Pennsylvania

congressmen be sent a copy of this resolution.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 357.

No. 304

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted for without competitive bids by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania	\$ 75.00	1509
Link Belt Co.....	31.39	1656
Logan Gregg Hardware Co.	4.50	1426
Penn Storage Battery Co.	1.50	1663
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	2.70	1416

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Air Tight Steel Tank Co.	3.75	1165
Alexander & Co., Geo. H.	1.60	1243
American Metal Market Co.	10.00	1666
Ball, Charles F.	3.50	1808
Baur Bros. Bakery.....	17.88	1745
Baur Bros. Bakery.....	31.14	1148
B. B. & B. Trunk Co.....	14.50	1700
Beckert Seed Store.....	8.00	1808
Bisel, Geo. T.	6.00	1078
Bristol Co., The.....	6.45	1655
Bristol Co., The.....	25.50	1658
Buchanan, W. P.	2.40	1523
Campbell - Neidringhaus Co.	40.00	1639
Chandler-Boyd Supply Co.	630.00	1656
Consumers Auto Supply Co.	12.00	1673
Diebold Lumber Co., E. M.	1.50	1224
Dyke Motor Supply Co....	10.00	1165
Eimer & Amend.....	40.00	1804
Electric Motor Repair Co.	2.34	1028
Electric Motor Repair Co.	1.50	1032
Epping-Carpenter Co.....	192.45	1323
Follansbee Bros.....	150.00	1322
Gilchrist Sons Co., J. M.	18.67	1164
Hales & Edwards Co.....	1,542.00	1320
Hamilton, S. C.....	39.50	1032

Hiland Auto Co.....	3.92	1809
Hiland Auto Co.....	.22	1032
Hipwell Auto Supply Co.	27.20	1165
Johns-Manville Co.....	1.13	1638
Journal of Nervous and Mental Diseases, The..	8.00	1323
Kaufmann-Baer Co.....	18.00	1808
Kelly-Jones Co.....	1003.36	185-A
Keystone Jobbers Wall Paper Co.....	17.15	1570
Lange Motor Truck Co....	3.23	1656
Latimer, Robert T.....	30.88	1164
Lawrence Co., W. W.....	785.95	1468
Logan - Gregg Hardware Co.....	1.50	1177
Logan - Gregg Hardware Co.....	7.80	1524
Linde Air Products Co....	3.25	1801
Manufacturers Light & Heat Co.....	550.62	1320
McClung Printing Co.....	4.50	1076
McKenna Drug Co.....	227.79	1232
Packard Motor Car Co....	.65	1556
Painter Dunn Co.....	75.80	1032
Painter Dunn Co.....	.60	1639
Pittsburgh Harness Sup- ply Co.....	7.50	1332
Pittsburgh Machine & Supply Co.....	.60	1809
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	.45	1164
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	27.00	1504
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	.81	1084
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	2.25	1191
Pittsburgh Office Equip- ment Co.....	18.36	1403
Pittsburgh Paint Supply Co.....	1.50	1656
Pittsburgh Piping & Equipment Co.....	147.00	1656
Pittsburgh Provision Co.	2.90	1569
Point Motor Co.....	2.38	1673
Point Motor Co.....	29.64	1809
Popular Supply Co.....	228.98	1032
Robbins Electric Co.....	1.92	1321
Scobie & Parker Co.....	1.80	1226
Scobie & Parker Co.....	28.00	1323
Seven Baker Bros.....	162.50	1224
Smith Bros. Co., Inc.....	33.00	1076
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.....	.50	OBSTF
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.....	3.00	1655
Spalding & Bro., A. G....	4.50	1808
Standard Sanitary Mfg. Co.....	.93	1165
West Disinfectant Co.....	230.55	1620
West Publishing Co.....	7.00	1078
Wheeler Condenser & Engineering Co.....	1.860.70	1656
Wilson-Snyder Manufac- turing Co.....	12.00	1656
Youghiogheny Coal Co....	8.31	1164

Passed June 23 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 26, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 357.

No. 305

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
D. A. Butler.....	\$188.00	1147
A. L. Campbell Taxi- cab Co.....	36.00	1147
Mrs. Esther Cronin.....	11.81	1158 AM
Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.....	5.40	1147
James L. Sunner.....	16.00	1147
Mrs. Margaret Taylor..	86.62	42

Passed June 23, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 359.

No. 306

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for without competitive bids, by the Department of Public Works and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Campbell Niedringhaus Co.....	\$ 4.83	1665
B. H. Frazier.....	28.35	1665
I. J. Glatch.....	1.00	1516
P. J. Gulna.....	.75	1665
B. W. Lemmon Co.....	12.10	1417
Scientific Materials Co.....	7.50	1649
Wappat Gear Works.....	19.90	1557

Passed June 23, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 359.

No. 307

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh at D. T. D. No. 1467 March Term, 1907 purchased at Sheriff's sale a certain property in the Twentieth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, as described in Sheriff's deed, dated March 1st, 1913, and recorded in Deed Book Vol. 1776, page 378, said described property being as-

sessed in the name of John Chess Heirs, and the lien at the above number and term being filed against said Chess Heirs; and

Whereas, Said John Chess Heirs never were the owners of the property described in said writ and said Sheriff's deed, but said property at the time of said Sheriff's deed belonged to Thomas P. Hershberger, and the City of Pittsburgh therefore, never became the owner of said described property; and

Whereas, Thomas P. Hershberger in his lifetime erroneously believing that the City of Pittsburgh had good title to said described lot, purchased the same from the City by deed dated December 7th, 1914, and recorded in the Recorder's Office aforesaid in Deed Book, Vol. 1828, page 292, for the sum of \$184.42; and

Whereas, The said Thomas P. Hershberger at all times and his estate since his death have paid all the taxes assessed against the above described property; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the estate of Thomas P. Hershberger in the sum of \$184.42 being the consideration paid by the said Thomas P. Hershberger for the property above mentioned, to which the City had no title, and charge the same to Code Account 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed June 23, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 360.

No. 308

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Nirella Orchestra for \$170.00 for music furnished in parade held by the United Spanish War Veterans of the United States on Memorial Day, May 30th, 1919, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed June 23, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 361.

No. 309

Whereas, In carrying out the contract for the repaving of Seventh avenue, from Liberty avenue to Bigelow boulevard, it was found necessary to do certain

extra work for which prices were not included in the original contract; and

Whereas, The Department of Public Works secured extra work bids from the contractor, George S. White Company, for doing this extra work and approved said bids, amounting to \$541.38; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Geo. S. White Company for the sum of \$541.38 for extra work done on contract for repaving Seventh avenue, from Liberty avenue to Bigelow boulevard, and charge same to Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, Contract No. 798, Seventh Avenue Repaving.

Passed June 23, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 361.

No. 310

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh, under a resolution of Council passed some years ago; is a member of the Controllers' National Association; and

Whereas, It has been the custom to send a delegate to the annual meeting; and

Whereas, The Controller is desirous to have Pittsburgh represented in the convention to be held this year in Baltimore on the 18th, 19th and 20th of June.

Resolved, That the Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized to appoint a delegate to attend the 1919 session of the Controllers' National Association to be held in the City of Baltimore on the 18th, 19th and 20th of June; and

That the Mayor be and he is authorized to issue and the Controller to countersign a warrant in payment of the expenses incurred by the delegate attending such convention, on a voucher approved by the Finance Committee, and charged to Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund.

Passed June 23, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 361.

No. 311

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Safety be and he is hereby authorized and directed to grant a leave of absence with pay to

John Manion, of the Bureau of Fire, for a period of nine months.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 362.

No. 312

Whereas, Myrtle I. McKee has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$50.00 for a lot located on Henderson street, Twenty-fifth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the north side of Henderson street 100 feet east of Federal street; thence extending eastwardly 20 feet to a pin; thence northwardly 150 feet to Heath street; thence westwardly 20 feet to a pin; thence southwardly 150 feet to Henderson street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the above-mentioned property to Myrtle I. McKee for the sum of \$50.00.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 362.

No. 313

Whereas, Robert Louis Taylor has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$120.00 for lot located on Magnet street, Twenty-sixth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the west side of Magnet street 331.48 feet south of the corner of Magnet street and Bradford avenue; thence extending southwardly 24 feet to a pin; thence westwardly 96 feet to a pin; thence northwardly 24 feet to a pin; thence eastwardly 92 feet to Magnet street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Robert Louis Taylor for the sum of \$120.00.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 362.

No. 314

Whereas, In connection with the execution of the contract between the City of Pittsburgh and Christ Donatelli for the grading, paving and curbing of Thomas street, from North Braddock

avenue to North Richland street, it becomes necessary to do certain extra work which was not included in the contract and specifications for said improvement, and could not be allowed under the terms of said contract governing the allowance of extra work and the prices of material, amounting to \$1,185.60, as per bill accompanying final estimate; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said extras as herein set forth, certified by the Department of Public Works, be approved and the City Controller is authorized and directed to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Passed June 23, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 363.

No. 315

Whereas, In connection with the execution of the contract between the City of Pittsburgh and the Matthew Ott Company for the grading, paving and curbing of Proxim way, from Estella street to Montooth street, it becomes necessary to do certain extra work, which was not included in the contract and specification for said improvement, and could not be allowed under the terms of said contract governing the allowance of extra work and the prices of material, amounting to \$477.40, as per bill accompanying the final estimate; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said extras as herein set forth, certified by the Department of Public Works, be approved and the City Controller is authorized and directed to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Passed June 23, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 363.

No. 316

Whereas, In connection with the execution of the contract between the City of Pittsburgh and the George S. White Company for the grading, paving and curbing of Fleury way, from North Dallas avenue to North Murtland avenue, it became necessary to do certain extra work, which was not included in the contract and specifications for said improvement, and could not be allowed under the terms of said contract governing the allowance of extra work and the prices of material, amounting to

\$1,371.51, as per bill accompanying final estimate; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said extras as herein set forth, certified by the Department of Public Works, be approved and the City Controller is authorized and directed to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Passed June 23, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 363.

No. 317

Whereas, In connection with the execution of the contract between the City of Pittsburgh and the Thos. Cronin Company for the grading and paving of Guckert way, from Phineas street to a point 466.49 feet eastwardly from Madison avenue, it becomes necessary to do certain extra work which was not included in the contract and specifications for said improvement, and could not be allowed under the terms of said contract governing the allowance of extra work and the prices of material, amounting to \$137.50, as per bill accompanying final estimate; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said extras as herein set forth, certified by the Department of Public Works, be approved and the City Controller is authorized and directed to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Passed June 23, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 364.

No. 318

Resolved, That upon payment by Victor L. Covert to the proper City officials of the sum of \$115.46, being the taxes assessed for the year 1912 against property on Luray street, the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to satisfy the liens filed at No. 125 October Term, 1914, and No. 3422 October Term, 1914, and to charge the costs thereon to the City.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 364.

No. 319

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of

one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) dollars from Code Account 1491-E, "General Repaving," Bureau of Engineering, to the following code accounts in the Asphalt Division, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, to-wit:

Code Account 1553, A-4,	
"Wages, Temporary Em-	
ployees"	\$ 20,000.00
Code Account 1554, B, "Mis-	
cellaneous Services"	5,000.00
Code Account 1555, C, "Sup-	
plies"	10,000.00
Code Account 1556, D, "Ma-	
terials"	65,000.00
	\$100,000.00

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 365.

No. 320

Whereas, The sum of \$14,000.00 was appropriated and set aside from Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, for the purpose of paying the costs of repaving Seventh avenue, from Liberty avenue to Bigelow boulevard; and sufficient to permit the work to be completed in its entirety; and

Whereas, It is now found that it will be necessary to provide the additional sum of \$1,559.03 to pay the cost of this repaving contract; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$1,559.03 from Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to Contract No. 798, Seventh Avenue Repaving.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 365.

No. 321

Whereas, The funds set aside for Contract No. 788, new electric wiring at the North Side Market, are insufficient to meet the final payment for the work including extra work owing to the fact that said funds were reduced in the amount of \$264.15, on request of the Department of Public Works, before the necessity of extra work was apparent; and

Whereas, There is needed the sum of \$200.15 to make final payment; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of \$200.15 from the General Fund of Code Account 1592½, Structural and Non-Structural Improvements at the North Side Market, to Contract No. 788, new electric wiring at the North Side Market.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved Jun 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 365.

No. 322

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 1178-A, Operators' Equalization Fund, to Appropriation No. 1169-A, Firemen's Equalization Fund, Department of Public Safety, the sum of \$600.00.

Passed June 23, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 366.

No. 323

Whereas, During the period in which a number of men employed in the Department of Public Safety in the Bureaus of Fire and Police were in the service of the United States Government in the Army, Navy or Marines, they passed from one grade of salary to another based upon the time of service, as provided in the Salary Ordinance; and

Whereas, The Department of Public Safety is said to be so interpreting the law as to deprive said employees of the advantage of having the time spent in the service count in the time to their credit as City employees; therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of Council that the Department of Public Safety or any other department where the salary is fixed by a graduated scale shall so interpret the provisions of the Salary Ordinance as to allow any time spent in the United States Army, Navy or Marines as a part of the term of their employment with the City of Pittsburgh as fully and to the same extent as though they had been continuously on duty in said department during said period of the war.

Passed June 16, 1919.

Approved June 26, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 366.

No. 324

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following named persons:

Name	Amount	Code Account
Edwin L. Allen.....	\$ 41.60	1158-M
Ray Detective Agency	1,254.00	1158-M

Passed June 30, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 366.

No. 325

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
American Atmos Corporation	\$ 2.10	1166
American Typewriter Inspection Co.	1.50	1166
D. A. Butler.....	44.00	1147
Bertram G. Case.....	60.62	1166
Dixon Motor Co.....	2.50	1166
Duquesne Light Co.....	3.00	1163
Charles H. Garlick.....	3.00	1163
J. L. Harman & Sons.....	56.00	1147
A. H. Johnson.....	65.60	1166
Keystone Laundry Co.....	185.45	1163
J. F. Logue.....	16.00	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co..	29.00	1166
Pittsburgh Taxicab Co.....	8.00	1147
Terheyden Co.....	2.50	1166
Underwood Typewriter Co.	1.00	1163
Underwood Typewriter Co.	29.05	1166
Wadsworth Stone & Paying Co.	63.00	1166
Winton Co.....	7.55	1166

Passed June 30, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 367.

No. 326

Whereas, In the construction of the foundation for a new sand drier and repairs to drier already installed, it was deemed advisable to engage the ser-

vices of bricklayer foremen and hod-carriers from a firm engaged in furnace building instead of having recourse to temporary appointments of such classes of labor through the medium of the Civil Service Commission; and

Whereas, The labor furnished for this purpose, to be paid for at the rate of current union wages was accepted by the Asphalt Plant of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of George Naismith & Son for payment of the sum of \$699.10 for labor furnished in the construction of certain driers at the Asphalt Plant of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers and charge same to Appropriation No. 1557, Repairs Asphalt Plants.

Passed June 30, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 367.

No. 327

Whereas, The women's employment committee of the Council of National Defense is engaged upon the work of finding employment for the citizens and inhabitants of the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, By reason of the failure of Congress to pass the appropriation bills said committee is without funds to carry on its work; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, warrants not to exceed in the aggregate the sum of \$4,000.00 for the purpose of defraying the operating expenses of the women's employment committee of the Council of National Defense, which shall be disbursed upon vouchers and payrolls, to be approved and certified by the Mayor, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, until such time as Congress shall appropriate the necessary funds to defray the expenses of said committee.

Passed June 30, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 368.

No. 328

Whereas, In order to erect reviewing stands for the relatives of the returning soldiers it was necessary to employ additional carpenters; and

Whereas, During the period of their employment a wage dispute between contractors and carpenters was settled, increasing the rate of current union wages from 80 cents per hour to 90 cents per hour; and

Whereas, When the carpenters so employed were paid, the amount so paid was based on the old rate; consequently, they are entitled to an additional sum of 10 cents per hour for the period of employment as set forth in detail upon a payroll which has been prepared for approval; and

Whereas, It is the decision of the City Controller that he is not authorized to countersign warrants for the amount set forth in the said payroll without authority of Council.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons, being amounts due them for services rendered to the City of Pittsburgh, and charge the same to Appropriation 1540, Wages, Temporary Employees, Boardwalks and Steps, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

John Schnellbacher, 65 hours at 10c.....	\$6.50
Thomas Connell, 55 hours at 10c.....	5.50
August Vestervick, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
A. L. Murphy, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
John White, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
W. M. Straw, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
A. E. Pennington, 64 hours at 10c.....	6.40
A. Nelson, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
M. Lynch, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
John Mitch, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
C. W. Lieb, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
W. A. Shook, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
John Anderson, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
Andrew Johnson, 65c hours at 10c.....	6.50
Theodore Helms, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
F. E. Hontz, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
John Meyers, 65 hours at 10c.....	6.50
S. Laird, 75 hours at 10c.....	7.50
A. A. McKee, 47 hours at 10c.....	4.70
Wm. Stevenson, 47 hours at 10c.....	4.70
J. E. Fry, 47 hours at 10c.....	4.70
Wm. Wylie, 43 hours at 10c.....	4.30
David Martin, 43 hours at 10c.....	4.30
J. W. Baker, 36 hours at 10c.....	3.60
Frank Smith, 34 hours at 10c.....	3.40

\$146.60

Passed June 30, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 368.

No. 329

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to detail a detective of the Bureau of Police to the City of Chicago,

Illinois, for the purpose of making a thorough investigation in that city, with the view of recovering stolen bonds now located there, and returning the same to owners, who are citizens of the City of Pittsburgh, Pa., the cost thereof not to exceed the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars, and to be charged to Code Account No. 1158, Item M, Special Secret Service Fund, Bureau of Police.

Passed June 30, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 369.

No. 330

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, warrants from time to time as the same are required for the payment of expenditures incurred in the discharge of any duty assigned any member or committee of Council regularly appointed therefor.

That the payroll issued in payment of the vouchers presented for payment of said expenses shall be certified by the City Clerk or his Assistant, and shall be payable from and charged to Appropriation Item 1005.

Passed June 30, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 370.

No. 331

Whereas, Peter McCullough has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$225.00 for lot No. 128, Broadhead street, located in R. G. McGonigle's South Arlington Plan, Twelfth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the northwest side of Broadhead street at the corner of lot No. 129 in said plan; thence extending northeasterly 25 feet to lot No. 127 in said plan; thence westwardly 120 feet to Mayo alley; thence southwardly 25 feet to lot No. 129 in said plan; thence southeasterly 120 feet to Broadhead street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the above-mentioned property to Peter McCullough for the sum of \$225.00.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 370.

No. 332

Whereas, The United Presbyterian Church was formed in May, 1858, at a meeting held in the old City Hall, formerly located in the Market House of this City; and

Whereas, The permanent committee on historical records of the United Presbyterian Church is desirous of commemorating said event by a bronze memorial to be attached to the new Market House, located on the site of the old City Hall; and

Whereas, The Council of the City of Pittsburgh believes the organization of the United Presbyterian Church should be so commemorated; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, that permission is hereby granted to the permanent committee on historical records of the United Presbyterian Church to affix a suitable memorial tablet to the outer wall of the new Market House, the exact location of said tablet to be determined by the Director of the Department of Public Works, and the design of said tablet to be submitted to the Art Commission of the City of Pittsburgh for its approval before the affixing of the same.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 370.

No. 333

Whereas, The Homewood Avenue M. E. Church is the owner of a lot situate at the northeasterly corner of Cassina way and Homewood avenue, running back in a northerly direction, preserving a uniform width of 96 feet throughout 100 feet to Tioga street, which said property has been assessed the sum of \$47.88 for the construction of a sewer on Cassina way by Viewers' proceedings entered to No. 1276 October Term, 1918; and

Whereas, The said Homewood Avenue M. E. Church, as owner of the property aforesaid, has heretofore paid the sum of \$48.26 for the construction of a sewer on Homewood avenue; and

Whereas, The said Homewood Avenue M. E. Church, as owner of the property aforesaid, has paid the sum of \$73.25 for the construction of a sewer on Bennett street; and

Whereas, Notwithstanding said assessments for sewer purposes made by the City of Pittsburgh and paid by the said Homewood Avenue M. E. Church, which is ample to drain the property of said Homewood Avenue M. E. Church, and the sewer constructed on said Cas-

sina way is of no benefit to the property of the Homewood Avenue M. E. Church; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said Homewood Avenue M. E. Church be and is hereby exonerated and exempted from the payment of the said assessment of \$47.88 and interest for the construction of a sewer on Cassina way, and the City Solicitor is hereby directed not to file any lien on account thereof.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 371.

No. 334

Whereas, Louisa and Jacob Horn are the owners of two lots fronting 25 feet, respectively, on the westerly side of Spice street, in the Twenty-sixth ward of the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, Viewers were appointed at No. 1456 April Term, 1918, for the construction of a sewer on Oakdale street from Isaac way to existing sewer on Oakdale street at Doak way, with a branch sewer on Spice street; and

Whereas, Notice of said proceedings was served on W. J. Herman, at No. 52 Engine Company, Shadeland avenue, City, for the above-mentioned lots instead of on the owners, Louisa and Jacob Horn; and

Whereas, As the result of said service the owners of said above described lots on Spice street had no notice of said proceedings for the construction of said sewer, nor received any notice of said assessment until same had been advertised at M. L. D. Nos. 127 and 128 April Term, 1919; and

Whereas, Had the said Louisa and Jacob Horn been properly served with notice of said proceedings and had received notice of the assessment against them for the construction of said sewer, which assessment totals \$125.00, with interest, on their two lots, they would have paid the same before the time for filing liens against their property, thus avoiding the additional costs and expense of the filing of liens and advertising now charged against them; and

Whereas, The said Louisa and Jacob Horn are ready and willing to pay the assessment against them, which amounts to \$125.00, with interest, but do not feel that they should be compelled to pay the cost of filing the liens and advertising, which additional costs has been incurred through no fault of theirs, but by reason of not having been served with notice of said Viewers' proceedings, and not having received any notice of the assessment; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to satisfy the liens filed against Louisa and Jacob Horn, at M. L. D. Nos. 127 and 128 April Term, 1919, upon payment of said assessment of \$125.00, with interest, the costs thereof to be charged to the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 371.

No. 335

Whereas, Owing to the increased cost of materials and parts for the various activities of this Bureau, several of the code accounts are practically exhausted and it is therefore necessary to transfer funds into these deficient code accounts; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfers from one code account to another in the Bureau of City Property.

From	
Code Account No. 1569, Supplies.	
City-County Building	\$1,000.00
Code Account No. 1572, Equip-	
ment, City-County Building....	450.00
Code Account No. 1589, Supplies.	
North Side Market.....	200.00
Code Account No. 1600 Equip-	
ment, South Side Market.....	50.00
	\$1,700.00
To	
Code Account No. 1570, Ma-	
terials, City-County Building	\$1,000.00
Code Account No. 1582, Ma-	
terials, Diamond Market.....	500.00
Code Account No. 1590, Ma-	
terials, North Side Market.....	200.00
	\$1,700.00

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 372.

No. 336

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to transfer the sum of eighteen hundred (\$1,800.00) dollars from Code Account No. 1144, Item A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1158, Item M, Special Secret Service Fund, Bureau of Police.

Passed June 30, 1919.

Approved July 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 373.

No. 337

Whereas, In connection with the execution of the contract between the City of Pittsburgh and Joe Bellisario for the construction of a sewer on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Soho Playgrounds) and north sidewalk of Wyandotte street, from a point about 435 feet north of Wyandotte street to the existing sewer on Moultrie street, it became necessary to do certain extra work, amounting to \$36.80; and

Whereas, This extra work consisted of the construction of a nine (9") inch lateral sewer for the purpose of providing drainage for a proposed building to be constructed by the Pittsburgh Playgrounds Association; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Joe Bellisario in the amount of thirty-six dollars and eighty cents (\$36.80) for extra work, and charge the same to Code Account No. 1476-E, Item "Construction of a sewer on the private property of the City of Pittsburgh (Soho Playgrounds) and the northwest sidewalk of Wyandotte street, from a point about 435 feet north of Wyandotte street to the existing sewer on Moultrie street."

Passed July 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 373.

No. 338

Whereas, In resurfacing the roadway of Graeme street, between Market place and Fifth avenue, it was deemed advisable, in order to complete the improvement of this street, to secure letter bids and award a contract for replacing badly worn sandstone curbing with new protected concrete curbing; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Booth & Flinn, Ltd., for the sum of two hundred thirty-nine dollars and nine cents (\$239.09) for recurring Graeme street, from Market place to Fifth avenue, and charge same to Appropriation No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Passed July 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 374.

No. 339

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
John T. Elliott.....	\$ 20.00	1147
Mrs. Ellen C. Monahan.....	16.50	1150

Passed July 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 374.

No. 340

Whereas, In the installation of the new meat stalls at the South Side Market it was necessary to perform certain extra work not included in the contract; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Bernard Gloekler Company in the amount of \$955.00 in payment of said extra work, and charge same to Code Account 1599.

Passed July 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 374.

No. 341

Whereas, The Bureau of Highways and Sewers have not a sufficient number of trucks to haul the asphalt for repair work on the streets of the City; and

Whereas, The Bureau has been compelled to hire trucks for that purpose, for which they invited bids and awarded contracts for the performance of the work; and

Whereas, The following bills are far in excess of \$500.00.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in the amounts stated below and charge to Appropriation Item 1554:

Nelson & Smeltz, 1268 Blackadore avenue	\$ 525.00
Wm. A. Hoff	1,228.00

H. S. Moorhead & Co., 220 South
Highland avenue 644.00
Edw. M. Horen, 6371 Penn ave-
nue 714.00
J. I. Malroye, 320 Sackett street 663.25

Passed July 7, 1919, by a two-thirds
vote.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 375.

No. 342

Whereas, In connection with the execution of a contract between the City of Pittsburgh and Matthew Ott & Co., for the construction of a sewer on Pear way, private properties of Frank A. Volk et ux., Thos. G. Johnston et ux, Martin Gorham et al., Reppert way, private property of Nora McKittrick, Mayville avenue and private properties of Jos. F. Belfour et al., and Edgebrook avenue, from the existing sewer on Pear way to Saw Mill Run, it became necessary to do certain extra work amounting to \$312.00; and

Whereas, Said extra work consisted of laying six inch (6") house laterals, which was not contemplated in the contract; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Matthew Ott & Co. for the sum of three hundred and twelve dollars (\$312.00) for extra work done on the contract for the construction of a sewer on Pear way, private properties, etc., from Pear way to Saw Mill Run, and charge same to Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, Pear Way Sewer Contract No 5072.

Passed July 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 375.

No. 343

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Leigh W. Pringle in the sum of \$58.32 for salary from June 9th to June 22nd, 1919, both inclusive, in the Division of Transit Commission, Department of the Mayor, and charge same to Appropriation No. 1041, Salaries Regular Employees.

Passed July 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 376.

No. 344

Whereas, The buildings on the property of Mary E. Schenley at 2543 to 2553 Allegheny Valley Railroad, in the Second ward, were torn down in June, 1917; and

Whereas, The Board of Water Assessors continued to charge the Schenley Estate with water rent on said buildings during the years 1917-1918 and 1919, in all amounting to \$1,052.57; and

Whereas, The Schenley Estate paid said water rents, along with other taxes, and asks that these water rents be refunded; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mary E. Schenley Estate in the sum of \$1,052.57, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes.

Passed July 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 376.

No. 345

Whereas, In the operation of the elevators in the City-County Building it was necessary to have an elevator maintenance man when the elevators are being operated to avoid breakdowns and accidents; and

Whereas, The City being unable to make such an appointment, the Joint City-County Building Commission authorized Jas. L. Stuart, constructing engineer for the building, to secure from the Otis Elevator Company a competent man and place him in charge of these elevators until the City would be able to place their own man in charge; and

Whereas, Jas. L. Stuart employed P. Cryder for this service from June 11th, 1918, to June 12th, 1919, and paid him for such service the sum of \$1,927.17; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, a warrant for Jas. L. Stuart in the amount of \$1,927.17, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund in payment for the above service.

Passed July 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 376.

No. 346

Whereas, Mr. T. R. Williams owns property located at No. 6820 Thomas boulevard, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and

Whereas, There is a poplar tree growing at the curb line in front of the adjoining lot, the roots of which entered the main sewer; and

Whereas, The roots became matted for several feet, causing the refuse in Mr. William's lateral sewer to back into his cellar; and

Whereas, Mr. Williams employed Charles Ruffing, a plumber, who cleaned out the main sewer at a cost of \$98.47; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That in order to reimburse Mr. T. R. Williams, the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mr. T. R. Williams in the sum of \$98.47, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed July 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 377.

No. 347

Whereas, Charles Beran has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$85.00 for lot No. 56 in M. M. Shirk Heirs Plan of Lots, Twenty-fourth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the north side of Goehring avenue at the corner of lot No. 55 in said plan; thence extending westwardly 26 feet to a pin; thence northwardly 56 feet to a pin; thence eastwardly 24 feet to lot No. 55 in said plan; thence southwardly 65 feet to Goehring avenue, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Charles Beran for the sum of \$85.00.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 377.

No. 348

Whereas, Mrs. Ethel Kocsis has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$50.00 for lot No. 123, located on Kendall street, Tenth ward, City,

bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the southwest side of Kendall street at a point 51.81 feet west of Duncan street; thence extending 20 feet westwardly to a pin; thence 100 feet southwardly to Leyden street; thence eastwardly 20 feet to a pin; thence northwardly 100 feet to Kendall street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Mrs. Ethel Kocsis for the sum of \$75.00.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 378.

No. 349

Whereas, Henry Hund has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$150.00 for lot No. 227, located on Camelia street, Tenth ward, City, beginning on the west side of Camelia street at a point 181.87 feet east of Fifty-fourth street; thence extending 20 feet eastwardly to a pin; thence northwardly 100.07 feet to a 20-foot alley; thence westwardly 20 feet to a pin; thence southwardly 100.07 feet to Camelia street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Henry Hund for the sum of \$150.00, plus the street improvement.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 378.

No. 350

Whereas, Casper Jujawa has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$300.00 for lot No. 91, located in John Harrison's Plan, on Vesper street, Fifth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the north side of Vesper street at the dividing line between lots Nos. 90 and 91; thence northwardly by said dividing line 110 feet to Ajax alley; thence eastwardly by Ajax alley 18.32 feet to the corner of Ajax alley and Hancock street; thence southeastwardly by Hancock street 111.08 feet to the corner of Hancock and Vesper streets; thence westwardly 34.26 feet to the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to

execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Casper Kujawa, for the sum of \$300.00.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 378.

No. 351

Whereas, Mary A. Rodgers is the owner of a tract of property fronting on West Liberty avenue 30 feet and extending back 212.92 feet on one line and 208.32 feet on the other line at an even width of 30 feet, said lot being marked and identified on the Viewer's Plan as V-104; that in the grading, paving and curbing and the construction of a storm sewer on West Liberty avenue the City built a 42-inch brick sewer out over the lot of the said Mary A. Rodgers for a distance of about 60 feet from the western side or line of West Liberty avenue; and

Whereas, the said Mary A. Rodgers at the time the hearings were held for the grading, paving and curbing and sewerage of West Liberty avenue before the Board of Viewers, not having had notice of the City taking a portion of her lot for the 42-inch brick sewer, made no claim for damage for the same, and the Board of Viewers having no evidence before them assessed the property for grading, paving and curbing the sum of \$189.00, which assessment is now a lien against the property filed at M. L. D. No. 179, January Term, 1918, and

Whereas, Mary A. Rodgers has agreed to waive all claims for damages by the construction of the 42-inch sewer out over her lot for a distance of 60 feet upon the City relieving her from the payment of the above-mentioned lien in the sum of \$189.00, interest and costs; and

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh by the Law Department, after careful examination of the premises, recommends the settlement of the case as suggested, the damages offsetting the lien, interest and costs;

Resolved, That upon the execution and delivery of a written release and waiver by the said Mary A. Rodgers to the City of Pittsburgh of all claims, demands, actions and suits arising out of the construction of the said 42-inch sewer on her lot or the taking of her property for the same, that the City Solicitor is hereby directed to satisfy the lien against the property of Mary A. Rodgers filed at M. L. D. No. 179, January Term, 1918, in the sum of

\$189.00 and interest, the costs to be paid by the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed, July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 379.

No. 352

Whereas, On March 21, 1916, The School District of Pittsburgh passed a resolution condemning the property owned by John Drhew, situate at the corner of Perrysville avenue and Semcir street, Twenty-sixth ward, being lots 1, 2, 3 and 15, in the Drhew Plan; and

Whereas, John Drhew has continued to be assessed and has paid city taxes on said property for the years 1916, 1917, 1918 and 1919; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Department of Assessors be and it is hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration in favor of John Drhew for the sum of \$179.11, refunding the amount of city taxes thus paid; and authorizing and directing the Mayor to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of said John Drhew for the said sum of \$302.05, refunding said city taxes on his property, and charge same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding City Taxes.

Passed July 7, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 379.

No. 353

Whereas, A meter has been installed at premises of Mary Goldstein and Sarah Paper, 2316½ Bedford avenue, Fifth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa., and

Whereas, It appears that the flat rate for a quarter for water used in said premises would be \$3.31 and meter readings at the current rates for the quarter ending April 14, 1919, show a use of water in the sum of \$35.46, or an increase in the charge for the water for said quarter of \$32.15; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owners of the said property; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors be and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said Mary Goldstein and Sarah Paper in the sum of \$16.08, being one-half of the excess of the

meter rate over what the former flat rate charge would have been.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 380.

No. 354

Whereas, There is a shortage in Appropriation Items No. 1048 and 1051, Department of City Controller,

Resolved, that the Controller shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund, to Appropriation No. 1048, Supplies, and the sum of \$300.00 from Appropriation 43, Finance Fund to No. 1051, Equipment and Machinery.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 380.

No. 355

Whereas, the sum of \$10,000.00, provided for the purchase of castings in the general appropriation Ordinance, has been expended, and it becomes necessary to provide additional funds for the further purchase of castings; and

Whereas, there is an unencumbered balance in excess of \$11,000.00 remaining in Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving Schedule; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of eleven thousand dollars (\$11,000.00) from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to Code Account No. 1419-D, Castings, General Office, Bureau of Engineering.

Passed July 7, 1919.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 381.

No. 356

Whereas, In order to provide for the payment of one (1) seven-ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller and one (1) five ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller, which has been authorized by Ordinance of Council, it is necessary to transfer the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars to Appropriation No. 1558. Equipment and Machinery, As-

phalt Plants, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars from Appropriation No. 1558, Supplies, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1558, to provide for the payment of said steam tandem rollers when delivered and accepted by the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed July 7, 1918.

Approved July 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 381.

No. 357

Whereas, by Ordinance approved July 8, 1919, Council authorized the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise and obtain bids for:

One (1) seven (7) ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller, and

One (1) five (5) ton horizontal engine steam tandem roller,

and to make contracts for the purchase thereof, and

Whereas, advertisement was duly made according to Charter provisions for said material and bids thereon were duly received as per said advertisement, and

Whereas, said bids have been opened and found satisfactory, and

Whereas, the aforesaid action was erroneous in authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to advertise and make said contract for said material, as the same should have been authorization of the Director of the Department of Supplies instead of to the said Director of the Department of Public Works; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, in view of the urgency of the case and the great necessity existing for obtaining said material and machinery without delay, that the action of the aforesaid Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works in the proceeding thus far conducted be ratified and confirmed; and further, that the said Director of the Department of Supplies be authorized to accept said bid or bids and award the contract or contracts therefor to the lowest responsible bidder, and that the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Supplies be authorized and directed to execute the necessary contract or contracts for the purchase thereof.

Read and adopted July 14, 1919.

Passed July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 381.

No. 358

Whereas, Contracts for the removal and disposal of garbage and rubbish within the City of Pittsburgh for the year ending December 31, 1919, have not been awarded, and

Whereas, The contractors who held such contracts for eleven months ending December 31, 1918, have removed and disposed of the garbage and rubbish during the month of June, 1919, and

Whereas, Accurate record has been kept of the amounts so removed; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the American Reduction Company for \$47,760.62 for the removal of 4547.125 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 5790.125 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, and to the Allegheny Garbage Company for \$13,789.29 for the removal of 1457.15 tons of garbage at \$3.50 a ton, and 1579.825 tons of rubbish at \$5.50 a ton, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1259, Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Public Health, the tonnage rates set forth in this resolution being the rates as established by the contractors for the period ending December 31, 1918.

Passed July 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 23, 1919,

Resolution Book 4, Page 382.

No. 359

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Howard B. Allen.....	\$127.00	1163
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh, Inc.	883.58	1160
William Bennett	127.00	1163
Keystone Laundry Co.....	6.31	1130
Chas. B. Prichard.....	127.00	1163

Passed July 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 382.

No. 360

Whereas, the following bills were published without due observance of law, and

Whereas, The work was done in good faith and with the expectation that the same would be paid,

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the Chronicle Telegraph Publishing Company and the Neeb Hirsch Company in the amounts of \$235.00 and \$25.00, respectively, to be charged to Code Accounts No. 42 and No. 1301, respectively.

Passed July 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 383.

No. 361

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

CONFIRMING ORDERS AND NON-COMPETITIVE PURCHASES.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
John Flocker & Co.....	\$ 106.40	1027
Somers, Fittler & Todd Co.	751.83	1526
Heinz Co., H. J.....	1,389.50	1531
Sellers Co., William.....	960.90	1656

Passed July 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 383.

No. 362

Whereas, Certain bills were incurred without due conformity to law, and

Whereas, Resolutions are required in order that the Controller may pay them,

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the Controller to countersign warrants in payment of the following

accounts, chargeable to the appropriations herein shown:

Name.	Amount.	Code Account.
Chas. A. Finley.....\$	.50	1640 Repairs
Otis Elevator Co.....	7.20	1583 E-10
Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing Co.	34.50	1657
Wm. G. Johnston & Co.....	149.40	1027-M
Rising & Radcliffe..	148.50	1027-M
Standard Auto Supply Co.....	327.20	1032

Passed July 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 384.

No. 363

Whereas, in the installation of new electric wiring at the North Side Market, it was necessary to perform certain work not included in the contract; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant for the Ochiltree Electric Company in the amount of \$720.00 in payment for said extra work, and charge same to Code Account 1592½, Structural and Non-Structural Improvements to the North Side Market.

Passed July 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 384.

No. 364

Whereas, Weldon & Kelly Company, Plumbers, of 427 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., were given a contract by Mr. Geo. A. Magoon to make a sewer connection in the rear of his property at No. 5827 Ayresboro avenue, and

Whereas, The sewer records on file in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works show the sewer connections extended to the curb line, and

Whereas, Weldon & Kelly Company after excavating at the point shown by the plans, failed to find any sewer connection, the said measurements for same being checked by the Inspector of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in favor of Weldon & Kelly Company, Incorporated, No. 427 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., for the sum of

one hundred fifty dollars and thirty-two cents (\$150.32) in payment of claim for extending the sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line at No. 5827 Ayresboro avenue and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed July 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 384.

No. 365

Whereas, in connection with the execution of the contract between the City of Pittsburgh and the Thos. Cronin Company for the grading, paving and curbing of Federal street, from Perrysville avenue to Lafayette avenue, it became necessary to do certain extra work, which was not included in the contract and specifications for said improvement, and could not be allowed under the terms of said contract governing the allowance of extra work and the prices of material, amounting to \$1,219.91, as per bill accompanying final estimate; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the said extras as herein set forth certified by the Department of Public Works, be approved and the City Controller is authorized and directed to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Passed July 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 385.

No. 366

Whereas, in connection with the execution of the contract between the City of Pittsburgh, and the Mannella Construction Co., for the construction of a sewer on the southwest sidewalk of Jackson street, from a point about 70 feet southeast of Highview street to the existing sewer on Heth's avenue, it became necessary to do certain extra work, which was included in the contract and specifications for said improvement, and could not be allowed under the terms of said contract governing the allowance of extra work and the prices of material; amounting to \$148.50, as per bill accompanying final estimate; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said extras as herein set forth, certified by the Department of Public Works, be approved, and the City Controller is au-

thorized and directed to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Passed July 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 385.

No. 367

Whereas, The Bureau of Highways and Sewers expended the sum of five thousand six hundred four dollars and twenty-six cents (\$5604.26) for labor employed in the erection of reviewing stands for the parades of returning soldiers for which it now seeks to be reimbursed.

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of five thousand six hundred four dollars and twenty-six cents (\$5,604.26) from Appropriation No. 1027, Civic and War Committee, to Appropriation No. 1540, Wages, Temporary Employees, Boardwalks and Steps, for expenditures for labor entailed by the erection of reviewing stands for parades of returning soldiers.

Passed July 14, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 386.

No. 368

Whereas, Several years ago the City of Pittsburgh exonerated Frank McCann from the payment of city taxes on property situate on Forbes street, Fourth ward, which the City was to be allowed to use as playgrounds; and

Whereas, The property has never been graded and put in condition that it could be so used to advantage; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have said property graded and improved so that it can be used for playground purposes, and that the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to set aside from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, the sum of \$500.00 for the payment of said improvement.

Passed July 14, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 386.

No. 369

Whereas, the sum of \$6,000 was set up by Ordinance No. 159, approved June 12, 1919, for payment of preparing and printing literature in relation to the proposed bond issue, and

Whereas, That sum was insufficient and \$1,000.00 will be necessary to pay the balance of bills contracted; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer \$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1113, Salaries, Art Commission to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 386.

No. 370

Whereas, These bills were contracted without due process of law.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of Rising & Radcliffe in the sum of \$259.50, and in favor of the firm of Logan Gregg Company in the sum of \$86.25, chargeable to Appropriation Item 1027-M.

Passed July 21, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 387.

No. 371

Whereas, The total expenditure on account of repairs in the Division of Motor Vehicles for the first four months of 1919 was \$2,236.22—\$1,941.33 of this amount being chargeable to the various vehicles belonging to the Bureau of Police; and

Whereas, Code Account No. 1033, Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles, and Code Account No. 1032, Materials, Division of Motor Vehicles, are exhausted; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1033, Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles, and \$1,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police,

to Code Account No. 1032, Materials, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 387.

No. 372

Whereas, During the execution of a contract between the City of Pittsburgh and Frank Donatelli for the construction of a 36-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street and private properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, from a point about 275 feet northwest of Foster street to the Allegheny River, it became necessary to do additional work, which was not contemplated in the original contract, amounting to \$6,168.31; and

Whereas, Said additional work consisted of additional excavation, additional lumber and cleaning of the sewer, etc., caused by the inaccurate location of the existing broken 20-inch sewer, and the flooding and caving of the work on the construction of said 36-inch sewer; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to set aside an additional sum of six thousand one hundred sixty-eight dollars and thirty-one cents (\$6,168.31) from Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, for the purpose of paying the final estimate of the contract for the construction of a 36-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street and private properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, from a point about 275 feet northwest of Foster street to the Allegheny River, same code account, and the Mayor and the Controller are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn in payment of the final estimate of said contract.

Passed July 21, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 387.

No. 373

Whereas, A meter has been installed at premises of Edward Boobyer, 68 Marion street, First ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and

Whereas, It appears that the flat rate for a quarter for water used in said premises would be \$3.19, and meter readings at the current rates for the quarter ending July 2nd, 1918, and for the

quarter ending October 1st, 1918, show a use of water in the sum of \$85.14 and \$58.12, or an increase in the charge for the quarter ending July 2nd, 1918, of \$81.95, and for the quarter ending October 1st, 1918, of \$54.93; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owner of the said property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh be and are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said Edward Boobyer on account of said charge for water in the sum of \$68.44, being 50 per cent. of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 388.

No. 374

Whereas, A meter has been installed at premises of James H. Cohen, 67 Doffers way, Third ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and

Whereas, It appears that the flat rate for a quarter for water used in said premises would be \$3.62, and meter readings at the current rates for the quarter ending April 4, 1919, show a use of water in the sum of \$53.16, or an increase in the charge for the water for said quarter of \$49.54; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owner of the said property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh be and are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said James H. Cohen on account of said charge for water in the sum of \$24.77, being 50 per cent. of the excess of the meter rate over the former flat rate.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 388.

No. 375

Whereas, In order to complete the filing system in the Department of Law, including the preparation of a digest of opinions rendered by this Department, it is necessary to continue the employment of the Stenographer-Clerk, which employment was authorized by Bill No. 2220, approved March 6, 1919, and expires August 17, 1919; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to continue the employment of D. A. Toomey temporarily as Stenographer-Clerk in the General Office of the Department of Law for a period of 4½ months, beginning August 17, 1919, at a salary of \$132.50 per month, payable semi-monthly; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$596.25 from Code Account 1074 (Miscellaneous), Department of Law, to Code Account 1073 (Salaries), Department of Law.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 389.

No. 376

Whereas, W. A. Martin has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$1,000.00 for lots Nos. 1 and 2 in W. S. Beech Schenley View Plan, Tenth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the northwest side of Breeseport street at the corner of Mathilda and Breeseport streets; thence extending eastwardly 105 feet to lot No. 3 in W. S. Beech Schenley View Plan; thence northwestwardly 110 feet to a pin; thence extending southwardly 149.15 feet to the corner of Breeseport and Mathilda streets, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the above-mentioned property to W. A. Martin for the sum of \$1,000.00.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 389.

No. 377

Whereas, John F. Lang has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$600.00 for lot No. 198 Industry street, Eighteenth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the north side of Industry street at a point 129.70 feet west of the corner of Delmont street and Industry street; thence extending westwardly 25.2 feet to a pin; thence northwardly 121.2 feet to Nina way; thence eastwardly 25 feet to a pin; thence southwardly 119.1 feet to Industry street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the above-mentioned property to John F. Lang for the sum of \$600.00.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 390.

No. 378

Whereas, Certain lots in the Twenty-fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh (formerly the Twelfth ward of the City of Allegheny) were sold by the Sheriff of Allegheny County as the property of Wayland Rupert upon a tax lien, and were conveyed to the City of Pittsburgh by deed dated the 28th day of June, 1913, recorded in Deed Book, Vol. 1803, Page 205; and

Whereas, The title to a portion of the property so sold had theretofore vested in Belle Manifold by Sheriff's deed, dated June 10, 1911, recorded in Deed Book, Vol. 1717, Page 211, and all the taxes assessed against her said lots were paid out of the proceeds of said Sheriff's sale, and by inadvertence her lots were not released from the said lien; and

Whereas, the said Belle Manifold is now dead, and John B. Manifold is the executor of her last will and testament; now be it

Resolved, That the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh is hereby authorized and directed to execute, acknowledge and deliver to the said John B. Manifold, executor of the said Belle Manifold, deceased, a deed in proper form, to be approved by the City Solicitor, releasing and quitclaiming all the right, title and interest of the City of Pittsburgh to all that certain tract or piece of ground situate in the Twenty-fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Bell avenue, distant eighty-eight (88) feet northwardly from the line of property of the late James Andrews; thence N. 4° 15' E. along Bell avenue twenty-two (22) feet to a point in the line of lot owned by Rinehart; thence N. 85° 45' W. by line of said Rinehart lot ninety-five and 03/100 (95.03) feet to a point in the line of Bell avenue; thence S. 46° 36' W. along Bell avenue eighty-eight (88) feet to a point; thence S. 11° 54' E. one hundred seventy-four and 5/10 (174.5) feet to a point in the line of James Andrews; thence N. 4° 15' E. one hundred eighty (180) feet to a point; and then e N. 73° 6' E. one

hundred (100) feet to Bell avenue, the place of beginning.

Passed July 21, 1919.

Approved July 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 390.

No. 379

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh, under ordinances duly enacted and Viewers appointed at No. 866 October Term, 1918, and No. 867 October Term, 1918, West Carson street was improved by widening and by the changing of the grade; and

Whereas, The said City, by Ordinance approved the 19th day of March, 1919, changed the grade of West Carson street and abandoned the proceedings at No. 866 October Term, 1918, and No. 867 October Term, 1918, by order of Court of April 3, 1919; and

Whereas, Pursuant to the proceedings at No. 866 October Term, 1918, and No. 867 October Term, 1918, the properties of the Reath heirs, Carlin heirs, Magdalena Kossler and Philip Fitzgibbons were affected by the grade ordinance which was repealed, and the said abutting property owners on Carson street having presented their claim before the Board of Viewers under the said abandon proceedings and thereby incurred expense and costs for the procuring of attorneys and real estate witnesses and contractors, as follows:

REATH HEIRS PROPERTY, NORTH- WEST CORNER CARSON STREET AND SOUTH MAIN STREET.

Expert witnesses:

Wm. H. Heselbarth.....	\$ 50.00
E. G. O'Bryan.....	50.00
W. S. Brown.....	50.00
R. L. Cook, Contractor.....	25.00
Attorney's fees.....	100.00
	\$275.00

PHILIP FITZGIBBONS PROPERTY, ADJOINING THE REATH PROP- ERTY ON THE WEST.

Expert witnesses:

Wm. H. Heselbarth.....	\$ 50.00
W. S. Brown.....	50.00
E. G. O'Bryan.....	50.00
R. L. Cook, Contractor.....	15.00
Attorney's fees.....	100.00
	\$265.00

MAGDALENA KOSSLER PROPERTY, NORTHEAST CORNER WEST CAR- SON STREET AND SOUTH MAIN STREET.

Expert witnesses:

Wm. H. Heselbarth.....	\$ 50.00
E. G. O'Bryan.....	50.00
W. G. Brown.....	50.00

R. L. Cook, Contractor.....	15.00
Attorney's fees.....	150.00
	\$315.00

CARLIN HEIRS PROPERTY, WEST CARSON STREET, ABOUT 200 FEET EAST OF SOUTH MAIN STREET.

Expert witnesses:

W. S. Brown.....	\$ 50.00
E. G. O'Bryan.....	50.00
Wm. H. Heselbarth.....	50.00
R. L. Cook, Contractor.....	15.00
Attorney's fees.....	100.00
	\$265.00

and

Whereas, Under the law the City of Pittsburgh is liable for the cost and the expenses incurred by abutting property owners where proceedings are abandoned and ordinances are repealed; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in the following amounts in payment of said costs and expenses:

Reath heirs.....	\$275.00
Philip Fitzgibbons.....	265.00
Magdalena Kossler.....	315.00
Carlin heirs.....	265.00

and charge the same to Appropriation Code Account No. 1075.

Passed July 28, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 391.

No. 380

Whereas, By reason of an error on the part of an employee of this department this account was incurred without going through the Bureau of Supplies, and the work has been done and the bonds sold and distributed to the purchasers.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the F. Engert Company in the sum of \$450.00, charging the same to Code Account No. 42.

1110 Coupon Bonds, \$1,000 denom., Funding Bond 1919.....	\$450.00
30 Coupon Bonds, \$500 denom., Funding Bond 1919.....	
90 Coupon Bonds, \$100 denom., Funding Bond 1919.....	

Passed July 28, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 392.

No. 381

Whereas, It was necessary to make some emergency repairs on the vault door in the Treasurer's office after same had been accepted from the contractor who installed it; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of F. L. Norton in the amount of \$30.00 in payment for the above work and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed July 28, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 393.

No. 382

Whereas, In carrying out the contract for the grading, paving and curbing of Smith way, from Boggs avenue to Westwood street, which work was completed in December, 1918, the Courts of Allegheny County compelled the City to construct a wood crib along the southerly side of the street, which crib subsequently settled and allowed a portion of the curb to sink; and

Whereas, The water service line extending from the water main in the street to the property of Charles Prince was twice broken and had to be repaired due to the sinking above referred to, and said repairs cost the said Charles Prince the sum of forty-three dollars and fifteen cents (\$43.15); now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Charles Prince for the sum of forty-three dollars and fifteen cents (\$43.15) for repairing water service line on Smith way, and charge same to Appropriation No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Passed July 28, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 393.

No. 383

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh has filed liens against Nancy A. Ferguson and the Sterling Land Company for the opening, construction of a sewer on and the grading, paving and curbing of Hobart street; also, for sewer on and the grading, paving and curbing of Wendover street, the property being situate

in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh has filed liens against said Nancy A. Ferguson and the Sterling Land Company for delinquent taxes on said property for the years 1908 to 1916, inclusive, and there remains unpaid City taxes against said property for the years 1917 to 1919, inclusive; and

Whereas, A certain mortgage from John S. Ferguson et al. to David B. Murdock in the sum of \$6,000.00 is a lien against said property, as well as a certain other mortgage from John S. Ferguson et al. to Emil Winter, in the sum of \$5,000.00, and foreclosure proceedings have been entered; and

Whereas, Said property is encumbered by liens and the taxes aforesaid far beyond its value, rendering it difficult to realize therefrom the amount due the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, The Sterling Land Company is about to improve said property by the erection of fifty-two brick dwelling houses, costing about \$300,000.00, if a satisfactory adjustment of said liens and taxes can be made; and

Whereas, The Sterling Land Company, owner of the property aforesaid, has offered to pay said City of Pittsburgh on the vacant portion thereof the sum of \$11,002.81 in full payment of debt, interest and costs on the amounts due said City of Pittsburgh on liens filed to M. L. D. Nos. 351 and 352 April Term, 1913; 26 and 27 July Term, 1915; 66 and 67 January Term, 1915; 73 to 83 July Term, 1918, inclusive; and 54 to 67 October Term, 1918, inclusive, the same amounting, with costs, to the sum of \$13,607.56; and

Whereas, The Sterling Land Company, owner of the property aforesaid, has offered to pay said City of Pittsburgh on the vacant portion of said property the further sum of \$4,796.84 in full payment of the debt, interest and costs on the amounts due said City of Pittsburgh on tax liens filed to D. T. D. Nos. 1302 September Term, 1910; 1276 September Term, 1911; 1416 April Term, 1913; 2016 October Term, 1913; 5084 January Term, 1914; 15 January Term, 1917; 1417 April Term, 1918, and 1416 April Term, 1918, as well as the City taxes for the years 1917, 1918 and 1919, amounting, with estimated costs, to \$7,192.09; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That on payment by the Sterling Land Company to the City of Pittsburgh of the sum of \$11,002.81, that the City Solicitor be authorized and directed to satisfy the liens entered to Nos. 351 and 352 April Term, 1913, M. L. D.; 26 and 27 July Term, 1915, M. L. D.; 66 and 67 January Term, 1915, M. L. D.; 73 to 83 July Term, 1918, inclusive, M. L. D.; and 54 to 67 October Term, 1918, inclusive, M. L. D.; and

on payment by said Sterling Land Company to the City of Pittsburgh of the further sum of \$4,796.84, the Collector of Delinquent Taxes is authorized and directed to satisfy the liens filed to D. T. D. Nos. 1302 September Term, 1910; 1276 September Term, 1911; 1416 April Term, 1913; 2016 October Term, 1913; 5084 January Term, 1914; 15 January Term, 1917; 1417 April Term, 1918, and 1416 April Term, 1918, and to issue receipts in full for City taxes for the years 1917, 1918 and 1919. The Sterling Land Company to give bond in the sum of \$5,000.00, with surety, to be approved by the City Solicitor, conditioned that it will begin the erection of the houses referred to in this resolution within two months.

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 393.

No. 384

Whereas, The City, in conformity with an agreement made with the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind, agreed to exonerate the property occupied by them as a workshop from taxes and water rates in lieu of making a direct appropriation for their use; and

Whereas, Said organization purchased, ordered and prepared the premises located at 434-436 Second avenue, which property was assessed in the name of C. B. Kenny and which said association obtained possession of January 1st, 1916; and

Whereas, The repairs were completed and the workshop removed to its new quarters on July 1st, 1919.

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors be and is hereby authorized and directed to exonerate from water rates the property of George E. McCague situated at Liberty and Second avenues, formerly occupied by the Association for the Blind as a workshop, said exoneration being for the first half of the year 1919, amounting to \$94.03.

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 395.

No. 385

Whereas, The City, in conformity with an agreement made with the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind, agreed to exonerate the property occupied by them as a workshop from taxes and water rates in lieu of making a direct appropriation for their use; and

Whereas, Said organization purchased, ordered and prepared the premises lo-

cated at 434-436 Second avenue, which property was assessed in the name of C. B. Kenny and which said association obtained possession of January 1st, 1918; and

Whereas, The repairs were completed and the workshop removed to its new quarters on July 1st, 1919.

Resolved, That the Department of Assessors be and is hereby authorized and directed to exonerate from taxes the property of George E. McCague situated at Liberty and Second avenues, formerly occupied by the Association for the Blind as a workshop, said exoneration being for the first half of the year 1919, amounting to \$845.13; and be it further

Resolved, That the Department of Assessors be and is hereby authorized and directed to exonerate from taxes the property occupied by the Workshop for the Blind at 434-436 Second avenue for the year 1919, amounting to \$568.31

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 395.

No. 386

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to make the following transfers of appropriations in the Bureau of Fire, to-wit:

	Amount
From Code Account 1161-A, Salaries, to Code Account 1164-C, Supplies.....	\$ 3,000.00
From Code Account 1161-A, Salaries, to Code Account 1165-D, Materials.....	14,000.00
From Code Account 1161-A, Salaries, to Code Account 1168-F, Equipment and Machinery.....	5,000.00

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 395.

No. 387

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to transfer the sum of twenty-five thousand (\$25,000.00) dollars from Code Account No. 1144, Item A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 396.

No. 388

Whereas, There is a shortage in Appropriation No. 1343, Supplies, Board of Water Assessors.

Resolved, That the Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of two hundred and fifteen (\$215.00) dollars from Appropriation No. 1342, Miscellaneous Services, to Appropriation 1343, Supplies, Board of Water Assessors.

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 396.

No. 389

Whereas, There is urgent need for repairing and repainting a number of bridges throughout the City at this time, in order to avoid serious deterioration and more expensive repairs; and

Whereas, There is an unencumbered balance amounting to \$40,000.00 remaining in the General Repaving Schedule, which it is desirable to make available for repairing and repainting bridges; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, amounting in the aggregate to forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00), from Code Account No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, to certain other code accounts of the Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering:

To Code Account No. 1458, Wages, Regular Employees, Bridge Repairs, City Force.....	\$13,000.00
To Code Account No. 1460, Sup- plies, Bridge Repairs, City Force	200.00
To Code Account No. 1461, Ma- terials, Bridge Repairs, City Force	12,000.00
To Code Account No. 1463, Equipment, Bridge Repairs, City Force	250.00
To Code Account No. 1465, Wages, Regular Employees, Bridge Repainting, City Force	8,000.00
To Code Account No. 1467, Sup- plies, Bridge Repainting, City Force	350.00
To Code Account No. 1468, Ma- terials, Bridge Repainting, City Force	6,000.00

To Code Account No. 1469, Equipment and Machinery, Bridge Repainting, City Force	200.00
Total	\$40,000.00

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 396.

No. 390

Whereas, On July 13, 1919, Municipal Asphalt Plant located at Dallas avenue and the P. R. R. was damaged by fire, which has necessitated the suspension of plant operations until repairs can be made to building and equipment; and

Whereas, It is necessary to provide funds for payment of repairs, there being an insufficient balance in the appropriation.

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars from Appropriation No. 1553, Wages, Temporary Employees, Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No. 1557, Repairs, Asphalt Plants.

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 397.

No. 391

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh has used the facilities of Kingsley Association, consisting of Kingsley House, Lillian Home and Lillian Rest at Valencia, the same having been used as an emergency hospital during the influenza epidemic; and

Whereas, During this period the equipment and facilities of the said Kingsley Association and the water used upon the premises were used for and in behalf of the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, The Kingsley Association is now perfecting arrangements whereby the present Kingsley House building will be used for social work among the colored people, while the Kingsley Association continues its present work for white people in another district; and

Whereas, The Kingsley Association is desirous of having the whole matter of water rents finally adjusted to the date of August 1st, 1919; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City of Pittsburgh in consideration of the matters set forth in the foregoing recitals, hereby exonerates the Kingsley Association from all water charges, rates and penalties added

thereto, now outstanding and charged against the Kingsley Association up to August 1st, 1919, and the Board of Water Assessors are hereby authorized and directed to issue the necessary exonerations in accordance herewith.

Passed July 28, 1919.

Approved July 31, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 397.

No. 392

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Baur Brothers Bakery.....	\$ 18.26	1148
Baur Brothers Bakery.....	104.76	1232
Gieske, E. C.....	25.67	1232
Hilltop Lumber Co.....	147.96	1037
Hilltop Lumber Co.....	448.20	1034
Hales & Edwards Co.....	1,742.50	1320
Johnston & Co., Wm. G.....	44.13	1403
Schenck China Co.....	542.40	1323

Passed August 4, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved August 5, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 398.

No. 393

Whereas, Mrs. Jennie Jones, matron employed at Washington Park Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works, was confined to her home for a period of twenty-one days from June 1st to June 21st, inclusive, suffering from pneumonia; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mrs. Jennie Jones in the sum of \$48.75 in payment of lost time by reason of illness stated as aforesaid at the rate of \$2.083 per day for twenty-one days, and charge same to Appropriation No. 1813.

Passed August 4, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved August 5, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 398.

No. 394

Whereas, On July 14, 1919, T. F. Scanlon, a plumber, residing at No. 1405 East street, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., was doing plumbing work in Mrs. Klahr's home, No. 44 Buente street, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., and left his Ford truck stand upon Buente street; and

Whereas, A wagon of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, of the Department of Public Works, of the City of Pittsburgh, loaded with tools, came down Buente street and struck Mr. Scanlon's Ford truck causing the same to move rapidly down the hillside street, stopping when it collided with a fence owned by one of the abutting property owners; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That in order to compensate Mr. T. F. Scanlon for the damage done to his Ford truck and to settle the question of liability of the City of Pittsburgh, the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of T. F. Scanlon in the sum of eighty-five (\$85.00) dollars, the same being in full settlement of all claims and demand against the city of Pittsburgh, and charge said sum of eighty-five (\$85.00) dollars to Code Account No. 42 (Contingent Fund).

Passed August 4, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved August 5, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 399.

No. 395

Whereas, A certain lot of ground inter alia, in the Sixth ward (formerly the Sixteenth ward) of the City of Pittsburgh, was sold by the Sheriff of Allegheny County as the property of Frank Dietrich and Stephen Dietrich, deceased, with notice to G. W. Rankin, Administrator, and was conveyed to the City of Pittsburgh by Sheriff's deed, dated July 21, 1900, and recorded in Sheriff's Deed Book, Vol. 15, Page 605; and

Whereas, There is a question as to the validity of the City's title to the said property by reason of a defective Sheriff's return to the alias writ of fieri facias issued in the proceedings upon which the said property was sold; and

Whereas, Marie A. Fraunheim is the owner of the title to said property outside of such claim of title as might be maintained by the City of Pittsburgh under said Sheriff's deed, and has offered to pay the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$500.00 for a quit-claim to its title to the said property, and that amount being deemed sufficient to com-

pensate the City of Pittsburgh for such taxes as might otherwise have accrued against the said property to this date; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh, upon payment by said Marie A. Fraunheim of the said sum of \$500.00, is hereby authorized and directed to execute, acknowledge and deliver to the said Marie A. Fraunheim a deed in proper form, to be approved by the City Solicitor, releasing and quitclaiming all the right, title and interest of the City of Pittsburgh to:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Sixth ward (formerly Sixteenth ward) of the City of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on Neville, (formerly Laurel) avenue 120 feet eastwardly from the corner between land formerly of Mrs. E. T. Denny and Stephen Dietrich et al; thence along the line of Neville street aforesaid north 83° 6' east 50 feet to a pin; thence north 6° 54' west 100 feet to a point; thence southwardly 83° 6' west parallel with Neville street 50 feet to the corner of land owned by the Ohio Cities Gas Company; thence along the land of said the Ohio Cities Gas Company south 6° 54' east 100 feet to Neville street, the place of beginning.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 5, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 399.

No. 396

Whereas, George V. Kimberlin has leased to the City, for a term of four years (which lease will shortly expire), for playground purposes, a piece of ground situate in the Twenty-sixth ward, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of Kenwood avenue and Federal street; thence north 10° 55' W. along the west side of Federal street, 363.53 feet to the south line of a 20-foot alley shown on Kimberlin's Plan, P. B., Vol. 10, Page 112; thence S. 78° 54' west along the south side of said alley 561.04 feet to a point; thence S. 39° 15' west along said side of said alley 170.70 feet to a pin; thence south 50° 45' E. 102.61 feet to a point; thence S. 10° 41' E. 171.75 feet to the within line of Kenwood avenue; thence N. 76° 14½' east along said line of Kenwood avenue 626.68 feet to Federal street, at the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works be and are hereby authorized and directed to enter into a lease with George V. Kimberlin for said property for a period of four years, dating from the

expiration of the present lease, the consideration being the exoneration of said property from taxes.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 5, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 400.

No. 397

Whereas, It is the intention of the Department of Supplies to enter into negotiations with the United States Government for the purchase of merchandise to be sold to the citizens of the City of Pittsburgh, and for such institutions of the City as may be required; and

Whereas, Certain expenditures will be necessary in connection with the payment of freight, traveling expense, inspection and employment; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be authorized to set aside the sum of three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars, or so much of the same as may be necessary to meet any bills incurred by the Director of the Department of Supplies in prosecution of this work, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 5, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 400.

No. 398

RESOLUTION.

Whereas, The property hereinafter described was sold to the City of Pittsburgh by Sheriff's sale at D. T. D. 756 June Term, 1908, for taxes assessed thereon in the name of Elvin R. Edmundson and was conveyed to the said City by Sheriff's deed, dated June 20, 1914, and of record in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County, in Deed Book 1825, Page 153; and

Whereas, The premises first herein-after described was then owned by the heirs of John F. Edmundson as herein-after particularly named, subject to a mortgage in the sum of \$1,500.00 given by John F. Edmundson to Matilda D. Free, under date of April 1st, 1911, and of record in Mortgage Book 1445, Page 593, which may have been divested by said Sheriff's sale, but which should be paid out of said property if it be reconveyed to the heirs of the said John F. Edmundson; and

Whereas, The costs of said Sheriff's sale amounted to \$232.83 and the costs on various tax liens against said prop-

erty amounted to \$39.00, and all the unpaid taxes prior to said sale as well as to and including the year 1919, amount to \$1,633.56, which said three items, together with \$8.00 for notary fees and revenue stamps on deeds hereinafter mentioned aggregate \$1,913.39; and

Whereas, the said City has received rentals from said property to the amount of \$1,567.46, thereby leaving a balance of \$345.93 due said city; and

Whereas, The said heirs of John F. Edmundson, deceased, desire to make payment to the City of the aforesaid balance of \$345.93 and in return therefor to have said properties reconveyed by the City as hereinafter set forth and the debt and interest secured by the mortgage aforesaid paid out of the property upon which it was a lien; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That upon the payment to the City Treasurer of the sum of three hundred forty-five and 93/100 (\$345.93) dollars in cash the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make, execute and deliver two deeds as follows:

The one conveying to Carrie Stadtfeld Zilla Burkhart, Blanche E. Herron, Elvin R. Edmundson, Ira H. Edmundson and Rand M. Edmundson, their heirs and assigns, all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Fifteenth (15th) formerly the Twenty-third (23rd) ward of the City of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, being lots numbered 40 and 41 in Hugh S. Fleming's Plan of Lots, as recorded in Plan Book 8, Page 16.

Beginning on the northeasterly side of Dike street at the dividing line between lots Nos. 39 and 40 in said plan; thence northwestwardly along said Dike street 46.46 feet to an alley 15 feet wide; thence northeastwardly along said alley 84.6 feet to Herbert alley; thence southeastwardly along said Herbert alley 43 feet to the aforesaid dividing line between lots 39 and 40, and thence southwestwardly along said dividing line 88.6 feet to Dike street at the place of beginning.

Being the same premises which the said Elvin R. Edmundson by deed, dated August 28, 1908, and of record in Deed Book 1581, Page 161, conveyed to the said John F. Edmundson and the same inter alia which were conveyed to the said City of Pittsburgh by Sheriff's deed, dated June 20, 1914, and of record in Deed Book 1825, Page 153, subject, however, to a charge running with land in the sum of \$1,500.00, with interest from October 1st, 1914, payable on or before June 1st, 1920, to Mathilda D. Free, her heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, upon the satisfaction and discharge by her or them of the debt and interest secured by mortgage from John F. Edmundson to her, dated April 1st,

1911, and recorded in Mortgage Book 1445, Page 593, and the judgment entered upon the bond secured by said mortgage at No. 1419 October Term, 1915, of the Court of Common Pleas of said county, but without personal liability on said grantees for said charge.

And the other of said deeds conveying to Ira H. Edmundson, his heirs and assigns, all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Fifteenth (15th), formerly the Twenty-third (23rd) ward of the City of Pittsburgh, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, being lots 196, 197, 157 and part of lot 156 in A. H. Neeb's Plan as recorded in Plan Book 14, Page 36.

Beginning on the southeasterly side of Dupont street at the dividing line between lots 157 and 158 in said plan; thence southeasterly along said dividing line 100 feet to lot 197; thence southwestwardly by the dividing line between lots 158 and 196, 24 feet to the dividing line between lots 195 and 196; thence southeastwardly along the dividing line last mentioned 91.18 feet to the northwesterly line of Andoe, formerly Alger street; thence northeastwardly along said line of said Andoe street, 48.68 feet to the dividing line between lots 197 and 198; thence northwestwardly by the dividing line last mentioned 83.06 feet to the dividing line between lots 156 and 198; thence northeastwardly by the dividing line last mentioned 24 feet to the dividing line between lots 155 and 156; thence northwestwardly by the dividing line last mentioned 37.75 feet to a point; thence southwestwardly by a line parallel to the aforesaid dividing line between lots 156 and 198, 24 feet to the dividing line between lots 156 and 157; thence northwestwardly by the dividing line last mentioned 62.25 feet to the southeasterly side of Dupont street, and thence southwestwardly along said side of said Dupont street 24 feet to the place of beginning.

Being the same premises, inter alia, which were conveyed to the City of Pittsburgh by Sheriff's deed, dated June 20, 1914, and of record in Deed Book 1825, Page 153.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 5, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 401.

No. 399

Whereas, A. H. Kirchner has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$440.00 for lot No. 80 in West Liberty Land Co. Plan, located on Hoggston avenue, Eighteenth ward, City, beginning on the east side of Hoggston avenue at a point 34.26 feet north of the corner of Lafayette and Hoggston avenues; thence ex-

tending 120 feet eastwardly to Blanco way; thence northwardly 22 feet to lot No. 79 in said plan; thence westwardly 120 feet to Boggs street; thence southwardly 22 feet to lot No. 81 in said plan, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to A. H. Kirchner for the sum of \$440.00.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 5, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 403.

No. 400

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh owns property at 1001 Herry street, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh, formerly used as a police station, but which is now vacant; and

Whereas, The residents of that vicinity have no bathing facilities, many of the houses being without bathrooms or baths; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have dressing rooms and shower baths placed in said building for the use of the public, and the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to set aside the sum of \$1,000.00 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to pay for said work and materials.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 5, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 403.

No. 401

Whereas, Mr. Alex Loving, residing at No. 22 Allequippa street, Fourth ward, Pittsburgh, Penna., having had a leak in water line running into the above residence, which was unknown to him until after the water meter had been read in April, and which was repaired as soon thereafter as possible; and

Whereas, Due to leak in water line as above referred to, Mr. Loving was rendered a bill by the City of Pittsburgh for water consumed at his residence covering a six months' period of forty-four and 82/100 dollars (\$44.82), which charge is unreasonable for a four (4) room residence such as is occupied by Mr. Loving, whose means of support are limited; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in consideration of the fact that Mr. Loving was not negligent nor extravagant in the use of water,

and the charge appears exorbitant and unreasonable, as he really had no opportunity of preventing the apparent waste of water, the Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh are hereby authorized and empowered to issue a rebate in the amount charged against Mr. Loving in the amount of nineteen and 53/100 dollars (\$19.53).

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 5, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 403.

No. 402

Whereas, a meter has been installed at premises of Lillie Alpern, 1414-16 Whitcomb street, Third ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and

Whereas, It appears that the flat rate for 5 quarters for water used in said premises would be \$27.50, and meter readings at the current rates for the 5 quarters show a use of water in the sum of \$285.73, or an increase in the charge for the water for said period of \$258.23; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owner of the property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh be and are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said Lillie Alpern on account of said charges for water in the sum of \$128.12, being 50% of the excess meter rate over the former flat rate.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 5, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 404.

No. 403

Whereas, In connection with the execution of the contract between the City of Pittsburgh and Frank Donatelli, for the construction of a 36-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street and private properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, from a point 275 feet northwest of Foster street to the Allegheny River, it became necessary to do certain extra work, amounting to \$1,727.92; and

Whereas, This extra work consisted of the cleaning and flushing of the 36-inch relief sewer, which was caused by the inaccurate location of the existing broken 20-inch sewer, and the caving of the sewer trench on the line of the 36-inch sewer; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed

to set aside the sum of seventeen hundred twenty-seven dollars and ninety-two cents (\$1,727.92) from Code Account No. 1476-E, Item "Thirty-six Inch Relief Sewer on Thirty-eighth Street and private properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, from a point 275 feet northwest of Foster street to the Allegheny River," and the Mayor and the City Controller are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn in payment of the final estimate of said contract.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 5, 1919. -

Resolution Book 4, Page 404.

No. 404

Whereas, There are not sufficient funds in Code Account 1499, "C" Supplies, to meet the bill rolls of the Bureau of Deed Registry for the balance of this year; and

Whereas, There is an available balance in Code Account 1500, "E" Repairs, Bureau of Deed Registry; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) from Code Account 1500, "E" Repairs, to Code Account 1499, "C" Supplies, Bureau of Deed Registry.

Passed August 4, 1919.

Approved August 5, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page. 405.

No. 405

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount	Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh.....	\$900.08	11.60
Thomas A. Murray.....	8.00	1147

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 405.

No. 406

Whereas, Warrant No. 19414, dated September 11, 1918, to the order of Margaret P. Clayton for twenty-five dollars and eighty-one cents (\$25.81), was written in such a manner as to easily be mistaken for seventy-five dollars and eighty-one cents (\$75.81), which amount was paid on said warrant, and it has since been found that the warrant was for only twenty-five dollars and eighty-one cents (\$25.81) and that it is impossible to collect the overpayment of fifty dollars (\$50.00); and

Whereas, The City Treasurer has collected from the cashier, Mr. F. C. Dorrington, the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) to correct the overpayment; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the above-named cashier, Mr. P. C. Dorrington, in the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00), and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 405.

No. 407

Whereas, Some time in March, Hacker Bros. received Warrant No. 3223, which was lost or destroyed; and

Whereas, Said warrant has not been paid, payment on the same having been stopped.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a duplicate warrant in favor of Hacker Bros. in the sum of \$19.45, in the place of Warrant No. 3223, which was lost or destroyed.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 406.

No. 408

Whereas, The following bills were contracted by the Bureau of Light, Department of Public Works, and not being able to procure competitive bids and consequently can be paid only by authority of a resolution passed by Council, in conformity with the Act of 1874, and

Whereas, Said repairs have been furnished, accepted and used by the City.

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the firms and persons in payment of the claims as scheduled below and charge the amount to the appropriation items as shown in said schedule.

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Lawrence Motor Company	\$157.11	1674
Passed August 12, 1919.		
Approved August 18, 1919.		
Resolution Book 4, Page 406.		

No. 409

Whereas, Council in making the budget for the fiscal year 1919, appropriated to the Bureau of Public Utilities Litigation, City of Pittsburgh, the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) believing it would be sufficient, and

Whereas, The cost of securing engineering and other services in the preparing a valuation of the properties of the Pittsburgh Railways Company, and of the Duquesne Light Company, in addition to the payrolls and expenses of the fiscal year, will amount to at least an additional sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, (\$25,000.00), and,

Whereas, There is an available balance in Code Account No. 52, Standardization Fund; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, (\$25,000.00) from Appropriation No. 52, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 1080, Bureau of Public Utilities Litigation, City of Pittsburgh.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 407.

No. 410

Whereas, Certain necessary expenses, amounting to twenty-five thousand (\$25,000.00) dollars, were incurred by the Civic and War Committee in the welcoming of home-coming troops in excess of the amount appropriated, and

Whereas, The original appropriation has been depleted by the amount of five thousand six hundred and four dollars and twenty-six cents (\$5,604.26) to reimburse the Bureau of Highways and Sewers for labor employed in the construction of parade stands; and

Whereas, There is a sufficient balance available for transfer in Code Account

No. 1037—Supplies, Bureau of Animal Industry; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of twenty-five thousand (\$25,000.00) dollars from Code Account No. 1037—Supplies, Bureau of Animal Industry to Code Account No. 1027—Special Reservations, Civic and War Committee.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 407.

No. 411

Whereas Under an Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania certain salaries in the Department of Assessors were increased, and

Whereas, It will be necessary to increase the amount appropriated for salaries in the Department of Assessors \$2,500; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of two thousand five hundred (\$2,500.00) dollars from Appropriation No. 52 M, Standardization Fund to Appropriation No. 1039-A 1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Department of Assessors.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 407.

No. 412

Whereas, The Bureau of Parks will have charge of the free Sunday truck hauling at the various parks, and

Whereas, The payment of truck hire is chargeable to Code Account 1682 "B" Miscellaneous Service, in which there is no available funds; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars from Code Account 42, Contingent Fund to Code Account 1682 "B" Miscellaneous Service, Bureau of Parks.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 408.

No. 413

Whereas, Certain small items of equipment, amounting in the aggregate to three hundred (\$300.00) dollars, will be urgently needed by the Mayor's Office

during the balance of the fiscal year, and

Whereas, The appropriation for the, purchase of equipment for the Mayor's Office is exhausted, and

Whereas, There is a sufficient balance available for transfer in Code Account No. 1016—Supplies, Mayor's Office; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars from Code Account No. 1016—Supplies, Mayor's Office, to Code Account No. 1018—Equipment, Mayor's Office.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 408.

No. 414

Whereas, Ray S. Fries, of 270 Forty-second street, Ninth ward, City, has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$800.00 for two lots on Forty-second street adjoining his property bounded and described as follows: \$500 is offered for Lot No. 39 in L. E. Johns plan located on the southwest side of Forty-second street at the corner of Lot No. 40 in said plan; thence extending eastwardly 25 feet to Lot No. 38 in said plan; thence southwardly 113.84 feet to Arbanna alley; thence westwardly along said Arbanna alley 25 feet to Lot No. 40 in said plan; thence northwestwardly 113.84 feet to Forty-second street, the place of beginning.

Three hundred dollars is offered for Lot No. 43 beginning on the southwest side of Forty-second street at the corner of Lot No. 44 in said plan; thence extending eastwardly 25 feet to Lot No. 42 in said plan; thence southwardly 123.49 feet to Arbanna alley; thence westwardly 25 feet to Lot No. 44 in said plan; thence northwardly 125.89 feet to Forty-second street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the above mentioned property to Ray S. Fries, for the sum of \$800.00.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 408.

No. 415

Resolved. That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration for water rent on property of

Morris Caplan, located at Nos. 2 and 4 Overhill street, and Nos. 4 and 6 Clark street, for the years 1918 and 1919, amounting to \$154.72, being one-half of the amount of the metered rate over the former flat rate, and that the Delinquent Tax Collector is hereby authorized and directed to accept said amount in payment of said water rent, which is now delinquent on said properties.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 409.

No. 416

Whereas, the Board of Viewers, appointed to determine the damages and benefits arising from the opening of Tuscarora street, between Richland street and Braddock avenue, in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, allowed to May Wilson Crawford, damages for land taken, and assessed the cost of paying the same against Mary E. P. Ringwalt, John Gates, Jr., John E. Nelson, A. W. Copely, H. L. Ringwalt and W. N. McNary, being the owners of the other properties lying along said street, said assessments amounting in all to \$1,530.00, and more particularly set forth as to the amounts and the land against which the same were assessed in the Viewer's report in said proceedings, and

Whereas, said parties subsequently appealed from the report of the Board of Viewers to the Court of Common Pleas and trials were had thereon which resulted in verdicts of the juries in favor of the City of Pittsburgh in the total sum of \$2,685.00. and

Whereas, the said parties have the right of appeal to the Superior Court of Pennsylvania, and if successful in the prosecution thereof, the liens filed for said improvement would be stricken from the record, and the City of Pittsburgh would receive nothing, and

Whereas, said parties have offered to pay the amount assessed against them by the Board of Viewers and to abandon their rights of appeal, and

Whereas, this offer of settlement appears to be fair and to the interest and advantages of the City of Pittsburgh; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor for the City of Pittsburgh be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to satisfy liens in full against the various property owners upon payment by the property owners, as follows:

Mary E. P. Ringwalt, \$900.00 (together with costs)

John Gates, Jr., \$150.00, (together with costs);

John E. Nelson, \$120.00, (together with costs);

A. W. Copley, \$120.00, (together with costs);

H. L. Ringwalt, \$120.00, (together with costs);

W. N. McNary (Geo. R. McNary), \$120.00 (together with costs):

benefit assessments assessed against the said parties for the opening of Tuscaroro street from Richland street to Braddock avenue.

Passed August 12, 1919.

Approved August 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 409.

No. 417

Whereas, The War Camp Community Service has charge of the unused portion of the old Public Safety building, which is now being used as a Soldiers' and Sailors' club, and desire to turn over a portion of the building, which is not now being occupied, to the Soldiers' Employment Clearing House as a temporary quarters; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the right is hereby granted to the War Camp Community Service to turn over the unused portion of the old Public Safety building, which is not now being used for other purposes, to the Soldiers' Employment Clearing House as a temporary quarters.

Read and adopted September 8, 1919.

Approved September 13, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 410.

No. 418

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Keystone Laundry Co.....	\$96.24	1147
The Pittsburgh Hospital....	19.50	1147

Passed September 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 410.

No. 419

Whereas, the Committee appointed by the Mayor to make provision for the proper reception of the Pittsburgh soldiers who served in France contracted bills amounting to \$3,536.00, without observing the requirements of the law, and

Whereas, the goods and services covered in the bill have been furnished and supplied and have been approved by the Mayor;

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Liberty Flag and Decorating Company, for the sum of \$3,536.00 for decorations for the reception of the returned soldiers, and charge to Appropriation No. 1027.

Passed September 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote:

Approved September 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 410.

No. 420

Whereas, Mrs. Jennie P. K. Sullivan has agreed with the City to allow the use of her property containing 2.848 acres for playground purposes, the City agreeing to pay the taxes thereon, and

Whereas, Taxes were levied on this property in the Fourth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, aggregating \$371.82, city taxes for the year 1919, and

Whereas, said taxes were paid by her on February 18, 1919,

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in favor of Mrs. Jennie P. A. Sullivan refunding City taxes on her property in the Fourth ward, Pittsburgh, in the sum of \$371.82, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunds.

Passed September 22, 1919.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 411.

No. 421

Whereas, Francis D. Bove has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$2,000.00 or 2.018 acres or ground located on Oliviant street, Twelfth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the north side of Oliviant street at the corner of a ten-foot private alley; thence extending westwardly 157.5 feet to a pin; thence northwardly 556 feet to a pin; thence eastwardly

158.5 feet to a pin; thence southwardly 548 feet to Olivant street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Francis D. Bove upon the payment of \$2,000.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed September 22, 1919.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 411.

No. 422

Whereas, R. J. Macrory has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$600.00 for lot No. 50 in Maple's Plan located on McLain avenue, Eighteenth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the north side of McLain avenue at the corner of Lot No. 49 in said plan; thence extending westwardly along McLain avenue 26.05 feet to a point; thence northwardly 160 feet more or less to a point; thence eastwardly 22.5 feet to Lot. No. 49, in said plan; thence southwardly 160 feet more or less to McLain avenue, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the above mentioned property to R. J. Macrory for the sum of \$600.00.

Passed September 22, 1919.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 412.

No. 423

Whereas, To proceed with the work of maintenance and repairs to boardwalks and steps in the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, it is necessary to provide additional funds for the remainder of the fiscal year.

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Bureau of Engineering, the sum of twenty-six thousand (\$26,000.00) dollars to the following appropriations of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers:

To Appropriation No. 1540,	
Wages, Temporary Em-	
ployees, Boardwalks and	
Steps	\$12,000.00
To Appropriation No. 1541, Ma-	
terials, Boardwalks and	
Steps	14,000.00
	\$26,000.00

Passed September 22, 1919.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 412.

No. 424

Whereas, The total expenditure on account of supplies in the Division of Motor Vehicles for the first four months of 1919 was \$2,326.22—\$284.64 of this amount being chargeable to the various vehicles belonging to the Department of Health; and

Whereas, Code Account No. 1031—Supplies, Division of Motor Vehicles is exhausted; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Code Account No. 1269, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Housing and Sanitary Inspection, Department of Health, to Code Account No. 1031, Supplies, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Passed September 22, 1919.

Approved September 23, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 412.

No. 425

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$827.18	1160
D. A. Butler	13.00	1147
Keystone Laundry Co.	31.74	1147

Passed September 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote:

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 413.

No. 426

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following persons in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids,

and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
D. A. Butler.....	\$ 8.00	1147
Al. Sherin.....	40.00	1147

Passed September 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 413.

No. 427

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Bertram G. Case.....	\$ 12.00	1133
Bertram G. Case.....	66.50	1166
W. H. Champ.....	211.82	1166
N. C. Davison Gas Burner & Welding Co.....	4.50	1166
Dayton Rubber Mfg. Co....	36.00	1166
Frick & Lindsay Co.....	4.00	1166
A. H. Johnson.....	64.90	1166
Keystone Laundry Co.....	11.47	1130
Keystone Laundry Co.....	211.06	1163
H. R. Kirkwood.....	.80	1166
Mercy Hospital.....	90.00	1163
Pearson Mfg. Co.....	26.22	1166
Penn Storage Battery Co..	12.85	1166
Robbins Electric Co.....	.75	1166

Passed September 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 413.

No. 428

Whereas, in the construction of dressing rooms in city property at 1001 Perry street, it was necessary to perform several items of work not included in the contract; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant for George R. Eichenlaub in the amount of \$92.00 in payment for said extra work and charge same to Appropriation No. 42—13.

Passed September 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 414.

No. 429

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Benton Fitzgerald, Chairman of American Legion Post 166, for \$4.00, refunding amount paid for permit to hold street dance in connection with carnival on West Diamond street west of Federal street on September 10-11-12-13, 1919, on account of dance not being held, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 414.

No. 430

Whereas, A contract was awarded to the Monthly Record Publishing Company for \$200.00 for 150,000 envelopes for the Department of the City Treasurer, and

Whereas, Said envelopes were rejected by the Inspector connected with this Department and in the meantime, the Treasurer had used the goods and receipted for their delivery sending the same to the Department of Supplies as shown by the annexed correspondence and

Whereas, under the circumstances the Courts have ruled in one or two cases that this entitles the seller to the amount charged in his bill,

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in favor of the Monthly Record Publishing Company for 150,000 envelopes in the sum of \$200.00, and charge same to Code Account No. 1063.

Passed September 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 415.

No. 431

Whereas, During the month of May a breakdown occurred to the refrigerating system at the Diamond Market House and it was necessary to have repairs made without delay in order not to inconvenience the patrons of the market or the standholders unnecessarily and the Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing and Machine company was authorized to do the work; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in the amount \$450.00 for the Pittsburgh Reinforced Brazing and Machine Company to pay for welding one crank shaft and babbiting bearings for same. To be paid from Code Account No. 1583, Repairs, Diamond Market, Bureau of City Property.

Passed September 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 415.

No. 432

Whereas, J. A. Turner, a representative of the Turner-Fricke Manufacturing Company, worked on the gas engine at the Diamond Market when the same was being repaired; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in favor of the Turner-Fricke Manufacturing Company in the amount of \$228.03, same to be paid from Code Account No. 1583, Repairs, Diamond Market, Bureau of City Property.

Passed September 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 416.

No. 433

Whereas, in the installation of shower baths in city property at 1001 Perry street it was necessary to make a new water connection from the street which was not included in the contract; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant for S. S. White in the amount of \$101.60 in payment for said extra work and charge same to Appropriation No. 42-13.

Passed September 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 416.

No. 434

Whereas, in connection with the execution of the contract between the City of Pittsburgh and Neelan & Daly, for

the grading, paving and curbing of Eckert street, from Lecky avenue to McClure avenue, it becomes necessary to do certain extra work which was not included in the contract and specifications for said improvement, and could not be allowed under the terms of said contract governing the allowance of extra work, and the prices of material; amounting to \$328.50, as per bill accompanying final estimate; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said extras as herein set forth, certified by the Department of Public Works, be approved, and the City Controller is authorized and directed to charge the same as part of the cost of said improvement.

Passed September 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 416.

No. 435

Whereas, the property of Thomas J. Ryan and Bessie M., his wife, was assessed the sum of sixty (\$60.00) dollars for the construction of the sewer on Nansen street, the same amount being assessed the sum of sixty (\$60.00) dollars for the construction of the sewer on Nansen street, the same amount being assessed against several other property owners on this street; and

Whereas, this property already drained into a sewer, previously constructed in this street, and the other property owners, for this reason, filed exceptions to the Viewers' report, which exceptions were allowed, and the assessments were stricken from the record, except in the case of Thomas J. Ryan, et ux, who did not file exceptions, believing it to be unnecessary; and

Whereas, the said Thomas J. Ryan, et ux, have since been notified that they are assessed the sum of sixty (\$60.00) dollars, by reason of the construction of a sewer on Nansen street; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to file no lien against the property of Thomas J. Ryan and Bessie M., his wife, for the construction of the sewer on Nansen street, which was constructed under the provisions of Ordinance of May 18, 1919, and charge the costs thereof to the City of Pittsburgh,

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 417.

No. 436

Whereas, Jas. P. Hildorfer, of 332 Federal street, Pittsburgh, has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$800.00 for plot of ground located on Wilson avenue, Twenty-sixth ward, beginning at a point on the west side of Wilson avenue at the dividing line of property owned by the City and George V. Kimberlin; thence extending along said dividing line westwardly 307.19 feet to a point; thence southwardly 210.54 feet to a point; thence eastwardly 308.15 feet to the western line of Wilson avenue; thence northwardly along said line on Wilson avenue 214.63 feet, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Jas. P. Hildorfer for the sum of \$800.00.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 417.

No. 437

Whereas, Mrs. Ethel Kramer was assessed the sum of \$13.59 for water rent on her premises at 248 Meyran avenue for the quarter ending July 11, 1919; and

Whereas, Mrs. Kramer says that the highest bill ever received for any previous quarter was \$5.65; and

Whereas, She claims there is no leak in the pipes, but that the meter must be inaccurate and asks for an adjustment of this matter; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration in favor of Mrs. Ethel Kramer for her premises at 248 Meyran avenue in the sum of \$6.80, being one-half the amount charged for this quarter.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 417.

No. 438

Whereas, Edward J. Baldauf was assessed the sum of \$32.99 for water rent on property at 642 Conkling street, Fifth ward, Pittsburgh, which he claims is excessive; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors be and it is hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration in favor of Edward J. Baldauf for the quarter beginning April 10, 1919, on

property in Fifth ward, as above recited, in the sum of \$14.27.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 418.

No. 439

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to transfer the sum of \$500.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police to Code Account No. 1159, Item O, Refund for Uniforms, Bureau of Police.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 418.

No. 440

Whereas, the position of Executive Secretary, Art Commission, was filled August 5, 1919; and

Whereas, During the period in which the position was vacant, the sum of \$1,875.00 was transferred to the Transit Commission and the Contingent Fund; and

Whereas, In addition to the balance of \$395.00 remaining, the sum of \$392.18 will be required to meet the payrolls during the balance of the year; and

Whereas, There is a balance available for transfer in Code Account No. 1036, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Animal Industry; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to transfer the sum of \$392.18 from Code Account No. 1036, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Animal Industry, to Code Account No. 1113, Salaries, Regular Employees, Art Commission.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 418.

No. 441

Whereas, A total appropriation of \$7,000.00 was set up in the Contingent Fund for the payment of bills incurred in preparing and printing literature in relation to the Special Bond Election, July 8, 1919, and

Whereas, An additional sum of \$1,755.30 is required to liquidate all expenditures for this purpose; and

Whereas, There is a balance available for transfer in Code Account No. 1036, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Animal Industry; Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$1,755.30 from Code Account No. 1036, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Animal Industry, to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund, for the specific purpose above set forth.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 419.

No. 442

Whereas, the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Engineering, has deemed it advisable to suspend all work on the contract for the grading, paving and curbing of Alexis street, from Saline street to an unnamed 10-foot way, and to cancel and annul the contract between the City of Pittsburgh and Dallas & Narduli, for the performance and completion of said contract; and,

Whereas, It will be necessary to pay Dallas & Narduli the sum of \$2,380.93 in full payment of work done and materials furnished and in full satisfaction of all their rights and claims under said contract; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, the sum of \$2,380.93, to Contingent Fund, Code Account No. 42, for the purpose of making full payment to Dallas & Narduli for Alexis street grading, paving and curbing contract.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 419.

No. 443

Whereas, It is the purpose of the Department of Public Works to repave Ridgeway street; the said work to be performed by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers; and,

Whereas, It is estimated that the said work of repaving will require the expenditure of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00), which amount is available from the balance remaining in Appropriation No. 1491, General Repaving, Bureau of Engineering; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and direct-

ed to transfer the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) from Appropriation No. 1491, General Repaving, Bureau of Engineering, to Appropriation No. 1529, Wages, Temporary Employees, Repairing Highways, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 420.

No. 444

Whereas, The amount to the credit of Appropriation No. 1051, Equipment and Machinery, Item in the Appropriation made to City Controller is exhausted,

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$300.00 from Appropriation No. 43 to Appropriation No. 1051.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 420.

No. 445

Whereas, In accordance with Bill No. 3208, dressing rooms and shower baths were installed in city property at 1001 Perry street, and

Whereas, The cost of these improvements exceeded the funds appropriated by \$86.60; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to set aside the additional sum of \$86.60 from Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to pay for said work and materials.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 420.

No. 446

Whereas, Owing to the fact that the appropriation of the Division of Motor Vehicles for the purchase of supplies, materials and repairs is exhausted and the reserve stock is about depleted, an additional amount of eighteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$18,500.00) is urgently needed to continue the activity for the balance of the fiscal year; and

Whereas, The necessary amount is available for transfer in Code Account No. 52, Standardization Fund; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following amounts:

\$6,500.00 from Code Account No. 52, Standardization Fund to Code Account No. 1031, Supplies, Division of Motor Vehicles.

\$10,000.00 from Code Account No. 52, Standardization Fund to Code Account No. 1032—Materials, Division of Motor Vehicles.

\$2,000.00 from Code Account No. 52—Standardization Fund to Code Account No. 1033—Repairs, Division of Motor Vehicles.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 420.

No. 447

Whereas, Certain necessary expenses, amounting in the aggregate to ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) were incurred by the Civic and War Committee in welcoming home-coming troops in excess of the amount appropriated of \$44,395.74; and

Whereas, There is a sufficient balance available for transfer in Code Account No. 52—Standardization Fund; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) from Code Account No. 52—Standardization Fund to Code Account No. 1027—Special Reservation—Civic and War Committee.

Passed September 29, 1919.

Approved October 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 421.

No. 448

Whereas, The specifications for the collection, removal and disposal of garbage and rubbish now in force meet with the approval of the Director of the Department of Public Health and in his opinion are the best obtainable; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the specifications for the collection, removal and disposal of garbage and rubbish, as approved by Council on December 5, 1918, are hereby approved for the term of the next ensuing contract to be awarded by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Health.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 7, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 421.

No. 449

Whereas, W. R. Reynolds, a Lieutenant of Police in the Bureau of Police, Department of Public Safety of the City was injured September 7, 1918, by being struck by an automobile owned by R. E. Edmonds, by reason of which accident the said W. R. Reynolds has been incapacitated from the date of said accident and probably for a long time to come, and

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh, by virtue of the Workmen's Compensation Law and Ordinance and resolution of Council, has paid the said W. R. Reynolds compensation amounting to \$968.33, and hospital and doctor's bills amounting to \$709.44, making a total payment to date of \$1,677.77, and

Whereas, the said W. R. Reynolds has affected a settlement of his claim against the said R. E. Edmonds for damages resulting from said accident in the sum of \$4,000.00, provided the City would make no claim of subrogation by reason of the payments to him by the City under the Workmen's Compensation Law, and

Whereas, the said W. R. Reynolds proposes to release the City of Pittsburgh from all further liability under the Workmen's Compensation Law by reason of said accident, provided the City of Pittsburgh waives its right to a subrogation to the extent of the moneys paid him to date; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety be and they are hereby authorized and directed on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh to release and discharge the said R. E. Edmonds from any and all liability under the Workmen's Compensation Law by reason of the accident to the said W. R. Reynolds, and to waive its right of subrogation against the said R. E. Edmonds to the extent of the moneys paid to the said W. R. Reynolds under the Workmen's Compensation Law; provided, however, that the said W. R. Reynolds execute to the City of Pittsburgh the proper release from all further liability for compensation under the Workmen's Compensation Law and the agreement made between him and the City pursuant thereto on account of the injury received by him on September 7, 1918.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 422.

No. 450

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be and he

is hereby authorized and directed to rent a steam shovel at a rate not to exceed \$75.00 per diem to be used for extinguishing the coal mine fire on Hobart street, between Murray avenue and Wightman street, for a period not exceeding ten (10) days and that the Mayor and the City Controller be and they are hereby authorized and directed to respectively issue and countersign warrants drawn on Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, for the payment of the cost thereof.

Passed October 6, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 422.

No. 451

Whereas, The rate of wages to be paid Roller Engineers on June 19, 1919, was increased to ninety cents (.90) per hour; and

Whereas, Official notice of said increased rate was not received until June 26, 1919, consequently, the Roller Engineers employed at the Asphalt Plants of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers were not paid the increased rate for the period intervening from June 19, 1919, to June 27, 1919; and

Whereas, It is the decision of the City Controller that he is not authorized to countersign warrants for the amounts due without authority of Council.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following persons, being amounts due them for services rendered to the City of Pittsburgh and charge the same to Appropriation 1553, Wages, Temporary Employees, Asphalt Plants.

Michael Borish	\$ 6.30
Wm. J. Crummie	15.90
Grant Kellerman	13.80
Herbert Simon	11.00
Jas. D. Keeley	6.90
	\$53.90

Passed October 6, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 423.

No. 452

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Painter-Dunn Company, for five (5) Model 90

Overland Touring Cars, for the sum of five thousand, two hundred, seventy-five (\$5275.00) dollars, for use of the Bureau of Police; the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed October 6, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 423.

No. 453

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of A. G. Spalding & Bros., for twenty-five (25) dozen baseballs at \$12.00 per dozen—\$300.00, payable from Code Account No. 1808; and a warrant for some athletic equipment in the sum of \$391.80, payable from Code Account No. 1811.

Passed October 6, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 424.

No. 454

Whereas, Charles F. Doyle has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$100 for Lot No. 422 in J. M. Gazzam Mt. Deelan Plan located on Mohawk street, Fourth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the south side of Mohawk street at the corner of Lot No. 423 in said plan; thence extending eastwardly 33 feet to unnamed 40-foot street; thence southwardly 99.13 feet to the corner of Lot No. 387 in said plan; thence westwardly 33.03 feet to Lot No. 423 in said plan; thence northwardly 98.42 feet to Mohawk street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Charles F. Doyle for the sum of \$100.00; the sum of \$10.00 accompanying this resolution and the balance to be paid in three (3) quarterly payments.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 424.

No. 455

Whereas, Mrs. Minnie M. Wehner has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$75.00 for lot No. 36 in the plan of

the Hammer Estate, lot 25x105, located between Noschell and Gilchrist streets in the Twenty-sixth ward.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Mrs. Minnie M. Wehner for the sum of \$75.00.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 424.

No. 456

Whereas, Mary Girvin has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$198.47 for Lot No. 13 in A. P. Norton's Plan located on Windom street, Seventeenth ward, City, said property formerly owned by Margaret Williams, mother of Mary Girvin. The above amount covers assessment of sewer, interest, taxes, costs and deed. Property being bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the south side of Windom street at the corner of Lauer alley; thence extending westwardly 20 feet to Lot No. 14 in said plan; thence southwardly 90 feet to Newton street; thence eastwardly 20 feet to Lauer alley, thence northwardly 90 feet to the corner of Windom street and Lauer alley, the place of beginning. Therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the above mentioned property to Mary Girvin, for the sum of \$198.47.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 425.

No. 457

Whereas, Mrs. F. S. Farley, of 1619 Meadville street, N. S., City, has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$225.00 for lot No. 44 in Marshall & Bell Plan of Lots, located on Meadville street, Twenty-fifth ward, City, beginning on the west side of Meadville street at the corner of lot No. 45 in said plan; thence extending westwardly 100 feet to Catoma street; thence northwardly 23 feet to lot No. 43 in said plan; thence eastwardly 100 feet to Meadville street; thence southwardly 23 feet to the corner of lot No. 45, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to ex-

cute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Mrs. F. S. Farley for the sum of \$225.00.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 425.

No. 458

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, directed and empowered to transfer the sum of \$300.00 from Code Account No. 1126, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, General Office, Department of Public Safety, to Code Account No. 1132, Item D, Materials, General Office, Department of Public Safety.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 425.

No. 459

Whereas, At the time of making the annual appropriations Council cut Appropriation No. 1383 two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00), promising that if the amount was insufficient a transfer would be made to provide for the payment of the deficit; and

Whereas, It requires about \$800.00 a month to meet the expenses, and there is a balance remaining to the credit of said appropriation of but \$474.98 with which to meet the charges of the present month.

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) from Appropriation No. 52-M, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 1383, Public Wash House and Bath Association.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 425.

No. 460

Owing to increases in salaries and wages of several employees in the Bureau of City Property it will be necessary to transfer funds from various code accounts to others in this Bureau to meet expenditures for the balance of the year; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers from various code accounts to others in the Bureau of City Property, as follows:

From	
Code Account No. 1563, Repairs, General Office	\$ 500.00
Code Account No. 1564, Equipment, General Office	75.00
Code Account No. 1565, Decorating	500.00
Code Account No. 1566, Salaries, City-County Building	379.50
Code Account No. 1567, Wages, City-County Building	867.67
Code Account No. 1571, Repairs, City-County Building	500.00
Code Account No. 1572, Equipment, City-County Building	1,000.00
Code Account No. 1575, Repairs, North Side City Hall	550.00
Code Account No. 1576, Salaries, Diamond Market	1,032.80
Code Account No. 1589, Supplies, North Side Market	1,500.00
Code Account No. 1592, Equipment, North Side Market	125.00
Code Account No. 1597, Supplies, South Side Market	200.00
Code Account No. 1600, Equipment, South Side Market	100.00
Code Account No. 1618, Equipment, Wharves and Landings	200.00
Code Account No. 1623, Equipment, Comfort Stations	50.00
Code Account No. 1624, Supplies, Foster Home	50.00
	\$7,629.97

To

Code Account No. 1567½, Wages, Temporary Laborers	\$1,032.80
Code Account No. 1573, Salaries, North Side City Hall	112.00
Code Account No. 1577, Wages, Diamond Market	4,107.20
Code Account No. 1586, Wages, North Side Market	1,713.40
Code Account No. 1595, Wages, South Side Market	285.07
Code Account No. 1613, Wages, Wharves and Landings	379.50
	\$7,629.97

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 426.

No. 461

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of five thousand two hundred and seventy-five (\$5,275.00) dollars from Appropriation No. 1045, War Farm Garden, to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund, to pay for five Model 90 Overland touring cars purchased for the Bureau of Police.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 427.

No. 462

Whereas, There being only a balance of one thousand five hundred and two (\$1,502.00) dollars remaining in Appropriation 1321, Materials, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, and an estimated amount of four thousand (\$4,000.00) dollars needed for the balance of the year on account of the increased number of boiler tubes and the extra amount of lumber needed for the extension of the chicken house at the Pittsburgh City Home; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to transfer two thousand five hundred (\$2,500.00) dollars from Code Account 1316, Salaries, Regular Employees, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, to Code Account 1321, Materials, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Department of Charities.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 427.

No. 463

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of one thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$1,000.00) from Appropriation No. 1642, "Salaries Regular Employees," to Appropriation No. 1648, "Materials," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 427.

No. 464

Whereas, The appropriation for the item "Supplies," Municipal Hospital, Department of Public Health, will soon be exhausted; and

Whereas, Sufficient money has been saved in other codes to meet expenditures for the balance of the year; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of sixty-five hundred (\$6,500.00) dollars to Code Account 1232, Supplies, Municipal Hospital, from the following codes: Twenty-five hundred (\$2,500.00) dollars from Code Account 1228, Salaries, Regular Employees; one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars from Code Account 1229, Salaries, Temporary Employees; two hundred (\$200.00) dollars from Code Account 1230, Wages, Regular Employees, Municipal Hospital, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, and twenty-eight hundred (\$2,800.00) dollars from Code Account

1246, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Smoke Regulation, all in the Department of Public Health.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 428.

No. 465

Whereas, Ordinance No. 170, approved June 12th, 1919, transfers positions from the several bureaus to the Division of Accounting, General Office, Department of Public Works; and

Whereas, The salaries for these positions were not transferred from the several code accounts to the salary code account in the Division of Accounting; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, aggregating twenty-four hundred (\$2,400.00) dollars, to Code Account No. 1406 A 1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Accounting:

From 1546 A 1, Salaries, Division of Public Utilities, Bureau of Highways and Sewers	\$ 600.00
From 1635 A 1, Salaries, Accounting Division, Bureau of Water	1,500.00
From 1678 A 1, Salaries, General Office, Bureau of Parks	300.00
	\$2,400.00

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 428.

No. 466

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars from Appropriation No. 52-M to Appropriation No. 1100-M, Civil Service Commission.

Passed October 6, 1919.

Approved October 8, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 428.

No. 467

Whereas, The North Side Board of Trade holds an option on a certain piece of land in the Twenty-first ward of the City of Pittsburgh, between Western ave-

nue and Page street, containing about 90,000 square feet, and said option was procured and taken by the said North Side Board of Trade entirely for the benefit of the public and in the public interest; it being the opinion of the officers and members of the said body that the piece of ground covered by the option is the best adapted and cheapest piece of ground that can be obtained on the North Side for recreation purposes, and that it is in the public interest that the municipality secure said land for public use; and

Whereas, The said Board of Trade have appeared before a committee of Council and explained the status of the case, among other things the fact that the said option expires on the 25th day of October, 1919, and it is doubtful whether the present owners will renew the option to the officers of the North Side Board, and from the fact that it will be necessary for the City to hold a survey of all the various locations submitted to Council for recreation purposes and to proceed in a legal and methodical manner which cannot be done prior to the expiration of the said option, to-wit, on the 25th day of October, 1919; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to enter into an agreement in the nature of an option with the owners of the said tract of land for a period of ninety (90) days, beginning on the 25th day of October, 1919.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 429.

No. 468

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$ 878.33	1160
John D. Singley	15.00	1147

Passed October 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 21st, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 429.

No. 469

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items as shown below:—

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
W. H. Brown	\$ 329.00	1808
W. W. Lawrence & Company	865.99	1468
W. W. Lawrence & Company	3.25	1656
Pgh. Gage & Supply Co.	763.06	1556
Rosedale Fdry. & Mach. Company	2,442.15	1656
A. G. Spalding & Bro	381.00	1808
Watson Painter Company	2,240.33	1468

Passed October 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 430.

No. 470

Whereas, Conrad Doench, registered plumber, of 841 Columbus avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., was given a contract by J. F. Cotton to make a sewer connection at 2212 Holyoke street; and

Whereas, The sewer records on file in the Bureau of Engineering Department of Public Works show the sewer connections extended to the curb line; and

Whereas, Conrad Doench, plumber, after excavating at the point shown by the plans, failed to find any sewer connection, the said measurements having been checked by an inspector of the Division of Public Utilities; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Conrad Doench, registered plumber, of 841 Columbus avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., for the sum of fifty-five dollars and three cents (\$55.03) in payment of claim for extending the sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line at 2212 Holyoke street, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed October 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 430.

No. 471

Whereas, There were no available funds in Code Account No. 1540-D, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps, for the Department of Supplies to issue orders for lumber for boardwalks and steps; and

Whereas, It was impossible to secure additional funds by reason of Council not being in session at the time these purchases were made by the Department of Public Works; and

Whereas, There was very urgent and necessary work to be performed owing to the dangerous condition of boardwalks and steps. It was, therefore, necessary to purchase certain lumber to meet the emergency thus created.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of E. M. Hill for six thousand seven hundred eight dollars and eighty cents (\$6,708.80), and a warrant in favor of the Bruckman Lumber Company for one thousand seven hundred six dollars and seventy cents (\$1,706.70), the cost of lumber furnished by the above mentioned firms to meet the emergency hereinabove described, the said amounts to be payable from Appropriation No. 1540-D, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps.

Passed October 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 430.

No. 472

Whereas, In the installation of sheet metal work in connection with the new heating system at the North Side Market it was necessary to perform certain items of extra work not included in the contract; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant for Morgan Bros. in the amount of \$749.74 in payment for said extra work, and charge same to Code Account 15921, Structural and Non-structural Improvements to the North Side Market.

Passed October 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 431.

No. 473

Whereas, In connection with the execution of a contract between the City of Pittsburgh and M. O'Herron Co. for

the reconstruction of an 18-inch and 20-inch pipe sewer on the private property of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co. and Ethel street, from a point about 445 feet southeast of Furnace way to a point about 50 feet southeast of Hates street, it became necessary to do certain extra work, amounting to \$100.00; and

Whereas, Said extra work consisted of the reconstruction of a special catch basin, which was not contemplated in the contract; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of M. O'Herron Co. for the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for extra work done on the Ethel street sewer contract, and charge the same to Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering, Item "Ethel Street Sewer, Contract No. 820."

Passed October 14, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 431.

No. 474

Whereas, An Ordinance, Bill No. 2809, Series 1919, approved July 8th, 1919, whereby the City accepted a deed of dedication bearing the date of April 16th, 1919, from Amanda M. Dewhurst, Sarah E. Miles, George Metzger, Fridolin Metzger and Annie Metzger, his wife, all of the City of Pittsburgh, and Nathaniel Miles, of the City of New York, for a certain piece of property situate in the Twenty-sixth ward; and

Whereas, Said property dedicated is now a public highway of the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, At proceedings filed to No. 1608 January Term, 1918, for the grading, paving and curbing of Rockledge street, Edwin Miles and Sarah E. Miles were assessed two hundred fifty-four and (\$254.10) 10 100 dollars for the improvement of this street for a lot fronting 40 feet on Rockledge street and extending back in depth, preserving a uniform width of 40 feet throughout a distance of 208.60 feet; and

Whereas, The above described lot is now a public highway under deed of dedication and accepted by the City of Pittsburgh by the above mentioned Ordinance; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said Edwin Miles and Sarah E. Miles be and they are hereby exonerated and exempted from the said assessment of two hundred fifty-four and (\$254.10) 10 100 dollars and interest for the grading, paving and curbing of Rockledge street, now a part of Romanhoff street;

And, The City Solicitor is hereby directed not to file any lien on account therefor.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 432.

No. 475

Whereas, Pursuant to Ordinances of the City of Pittsburgh, Viewers were appointed on April 11, 1919, at No. 123, July Term, 1919, Docket "C", Court of Common Pleas, to assess damages and benefits in re construction of a sewer on Piado way and on the west sidewalk of Olympia street, Nineteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, The report of said Viewers was confirmed absolutely on August 26th, 1919, and inter alia assessed property of Mr. W. H. Mason, designated as V-5 in said report, in the sum of \$616.13; and

Whereas, Said property of W. H. Mason consisted of six (6) lots fronting on Grandview avenue and extending back to Piado way, each of said lots having a house erected thereon, said houses being known as No. 1001 to No. 1011, inclusive, Grandview avenue; and

Whereas, In the year 1912 said W. H. Mason was compelled by the City of Pittsburgh to build a private sewer on Piado way, which sewer was built according to the City requirements and was entirely sufficient for the drainage of said property, and was constructed at a cost of \$1,179.82; and

Whereas, The construction of the City sewer was not of any value to the property of W. H. Mason, and it is inequitable to require him to pay a benefit assessment for the same; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City of Pittsburgh hereby exonerates and discharges said property of W. H. Mason, and it is hereby exonerated and discharged from the benefit assessment of \$616.13 charged against it for sewerage on Piado way in Viewers' Report at No. 123, July Term, 1919, Docket "C", Court of Common Pleas, Allegheny County, Pa.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 432.

No. 476

Whereas, Pursuant to Ordinances of the City of Pittsburgh, Viewers were appointed April 11th, 1919, at No. 123, July Term, 1919, Docket "C", Court of Common Pleas, to assess damages and ben-

efits, in re construction of a sewer on Piado way and on the west sidewalk of Olympia street, Nineteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, The report of said Viewers was confirmed on August 26th, 1919, and inter alia assessed property of Timothy Golden, designated as V-7 in said report, in the sum of two hundred thirty and 33/100 (\$230.33) dollars; and

Whereas, The said property of Timothy Golden abuts upon the sewer so constructed, yet, nevertheless, the said property of the said Golden has been sewerer for many years and the private sewer accommodating the property is ample and sufficient for sewerage; and

Whereas, The said property of Timothy Golden will also be liable for the assessment for a sewer in the rear of the alley, and the same property by the assessments now made, is burdened with an inequitable and unjust amount. The present sewer being entirely sufficient for the said drainage; and

Whereas, The construction of the said Piado way was not of any use or value to the property of Timothy Golden and it is inequitable to require him to pay a benefit assessment for the same; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City of Pittsburgh hereby exonerates and discharges the said property of Timothy Golden, and he is hereby exonerated and discharged from the benefit assessment of two hundred thirty and 33/100 (\$230.33) dollars, charged against him or his property for the construction of a sewer on Piado way in the Viewers' Report at No. 123, July Term, 1919, Docket "C", in the Court of Common Pleas, Allegheny County, Pa.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 433.

No. 477

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration for water rent on property of Daniel O'Donnell, located at 1105 Jewel street, for the last quarter of 1918, amounting to \$6.40, being one-half of the amount of the metered rate over the former flat rate on said premises.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 434.

No. 478

Whereas, A meter has been installed by the City of Pittsburgh on the premises of Patrick J. McQuillan at 16½ Boone way, Third ward, Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, It appears that the flat rate for a quarter for water used in said premises would be \$3.81 and the meter readings at the current rates for the quarter ending July 3rd, 1919, shows use of water in the sum of \$45.80, or an increase in the charge for water for said quarter of \$41.99; and

Whereas, It appears that this charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owner of said property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors be and it is hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said Patrick McQuillan on account of the said charge for water in the sum of \$20.99, being one-half of the excess of the meter rate over the former flat rate.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 434.

No. 479

Whereas, A meter has been installed at premises of Annie Walosky, 224 Lombard street, Third ward, Pittsburgh, Pa. and

Whereas, It appears that the flat rate for three quarters for water used in said premises would be \$41.07, and meter readings at the current rates for the three quarters show a use of water in the sum of \$283.62, or an increase in the charge for the water for said quarter of \$241.55; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owner of the said property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh be and are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said Annie Walosky on account of said charges for water in the sum of \$120.78, being 50% of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 434.

No. 480

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors be and it is hereby author-

ized and directed to issue an exoneration in favor of Anna Stratton in the sum of \$11.56, being the difference between the meter and flat rates for the six months ending April 17, 1919, on account of leaking hydrant on premises at 336-38 Linoleum street, Sixth ward.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 435.

No. 481

Whereas, Louis Stanley has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$150.00 for lots Nos. 149 and 150 in Robert Robb's Plan, located on Corfu street, Twentieth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the west side of Corfu street at the corner of lot No. 148 in said plan; thence extending northwardly 48 feet to lot No. 151 in said plan; thence westwardly 360 feet more or less to a pin; thence southwardly 48 feet to lot No. 148 in said plan; thence eastwardly 285 feet more or less to Corfu street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Louis Stanley, of No. 3, Corfu street, Pittsburgh, for the sum of \$150.00.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 435.

No. 482

Whereas, Herman Ross, of 4828 Liberty avenue, has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$350.00 for lot No. 304 in the John Runnette Plan of Lincoln Park, Twelfth ward, City, size of lot 25x85 feet, having a frontage of 25 feet on Verona road; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Herman Ross for the sum of \$350.00.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 435.

No. 483

Whereas, George M. Demorest has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$539.44 for lot No. 32 in Clifford B. Harman's Plan, located on Beltzhoover

avenue, Eighteenth ward, City. The above amount covers assessment of sewer, street improvement, interest, taxes, costs and deed. Property being bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the west side of Beltzhoover avenue at the corner of lot No. 31 in said plan; thence extending northwardly 25 feet to lot No. 33 in said plan; thence westwardly 115 feet to a 20-foot alley; thence southwardly 25 feet to lot No. 31 in said plan; thence eastwardly 115 feet to Beltzhoover avenue, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the above-mentioned property to George M. Demorest for the sum of \$539.44.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 436.

No. 484

Whereas, Council of the City of Pittsburgh, by Resolution No. 383, approved by the Mayor July 31st, 1919, and recorded in Resolution Book, Vol. 4, Page 393, authorized and directed the City Solicitor to satisfy certain municipal liens filed against the property of the Sterling Land Company in the Fourteenth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, upon the payment by said Sterling Land Company to said City of Pittsburgh of the sum of \$11,002.81; and further authorized and directed the Collector of Delinquent Taxes to satisfy certain delinquent tax liens filed against said property of the Sterling Land Company, and to issue certain tax receipts for taxes against said property upon the payment by said Sterling Land Company of said City of Pittsburgh of the additional sum of \$4,796.84; and

Whereas, The said resolution contained a provision that the Sterling Land Company give bond in the sum of \$5,000.00, to be approved by the City Solicitor, conditioned that said Sterling Land Company begin the erection of the houses mentioned in the resolution, to-wit, fifty-two brick dwelling houses, costing about \$300,000.00, within two months; and

Whereas, Since the passage and approval of the resolution aforesaid the Sterling Land Company has changed its plans so that instead of erecting fifty-two brick dwelling houses costing about \$300,000.00, it will erect upon the property aforesaid sixteen brick dwellings costing about \$12,000.00 each; seven brick dwellings costing about \$11,000.00 each, and a community garage costing about \$40,000.00, making an improvement of more substantial character; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the resolution above mentioned and recited be and the same is hereby amended so that the bond provided for in the resolution aforesaid shall be in the sum of \$5,000.00, with surety to be approved by the City Solicitor, conditioned that said Sterling Land Company shall begin the erection of the houses referred to in this amended resolution, to-wit, sixteen brick dwellings costing about \$12,000.00 each, seven brick dwellings costing about \$11,000.00 each, and a community garage costing about \$40,000.00, within two months.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 436.

No. 485

Whereas, The funds set aside for contract No. 827, sheet metal work at the North Side Market, are insufficient to meet the final payment for the work, including extra work; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of \$329.74 from the General Fund of Code Account 1592½, Structural and Non-structural Improvements at the North Side Market, to contract No. 827, sheet metal work at the North Side Market.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 437.

No. 486

Whereas, There are insufficient balances remaining to meet salary and bill rolls for the remainder of the fiscal year for several code accounts in the Bureau of Engineering, and to cover which an additional sum aggregating \$3,000.00 will be required; and

Whereas, There is an unencumbered balance in excess of \$3,000.00 remaining in Code Account No. 1491, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the aggregate sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) from Code Account No. 1491, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, and to credit same to certain other code accounts in the Bureau of Engineering, in the respective amounts set forth, to-wit:

\$ 650.00	to Code Account No. 1415, Supplies, General Office.
600.00	to Code Account No. 1421, Wages, Regular Employees, Division of Surveys.

200.00	to Code Account No. 1430, Supplies, Division of Design.
350.00	to Code Account No. 1448, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Bridges.
200.00	to Code Account No. 1450, Miscellaneous Service, Di- vision of Bridges.
250.00	to Code Account No. 1459, Miscellaneous Services, Bridge Repairs, City Force.
50.00	to Code Account No. 1466, Miscellaneous Services, Bridge Repainting, City Force.
300.00	to Code Account No. 1472, Miscellaneous Services, Divi- sion of Sewers.
400.00	to Code Account No. 1484, Miscellaneous Services, Divi- sion of Streets.

\$3,000.00—Total.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 437.

No. 487

Whereas, It is deemed advisable for the good of the communities in four districts to have the temporary infant welfare stations conducted there during the preceding months continued for the balance of the year; and

Whereas, Sufficient funds have been saved in the Bureau of Child Welfare to accomplish this; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars from Appropriation 1240, Salaries, Regular Employees, to Appropriation 1241, Wages, Temporary Employees, Bureau of Child Welfare, Department of Public Health.

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 438.

No. 488

Whereas, There are not sufficient funds in Code Accounts No. 1800-B, Miscellaneous Services, and No. 1802-D, Materials, Bureau of Tests, to meet the bill rolls for the balance of the year; and

Whereas, There is a balance remaining in Code Accounts No. 1801-C, Supplies, and No. 1803-E, Repairs, Bureau of Tests, by reason of certain economies exercised in these code accounts, to cover said estimated deficits; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, amounting in the aggregate to \$175.00 (\$85.00 from Code Account No. 1801-C, Supplies, and \$90.00 from Code Account No. 1803-E, Repairs), to the following code accounts as divided:

\$125.00 to Code Account No. 1800-B, Miscellaneous Services.

50.00 to Code Account No. 1802-D, Materials.

\$175.00

Passed October 14, 1919.

Approved October 21, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 438.

No. 489

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Allegheny General Hospital	\$ 130.00	1163
Bertram G. Case	178.06	1166
W. H. Champ	75.18	1133
W. H. Champ	32.74	1166
Richard Conley	111.00	1166
Dayton Rubber Mfg. Co.	1.41	1163
Duquesne Light Company	3.00	1163
East End Battery Service Company	1.75	1166
Herman Helmich	56.90	1166
Iron City Electric Company	29.44	1166
Iron City Spring Company	6.00	1166
Goldsmith & Gorfinkell	20.00	1163
Keystone Laundry Company	82.59	1163
William F. Minogue.....	46.00	1163
Penn Storage Battery Company	44.94	1166
Pullman Taxi Service Company	21.25	1147
Pullman Taxi Service Company	53.40	42
Robbins Electric Company	4.50	1166
George H. Vaux, M. D.	150.00	1163

Passed October 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 25, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 439.

No. 490

Whereas, In carrying out the contract for making adjustments and repairs to the rocker bearings under the shoes of the river span of the Manchester Bridge it was found necessary to have the contractor furnish extra material and do certain extra work; and

Whereas, Unit prices covering the cost thereof not being included in the contract as entered into it was decided to pay for the cost thereof as extra work; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Jno. Eichleay, Jr., Company for the sum of \$1,043.14 for extra work done on the contract for making adjustments and repairs to the rocker bearings under the shoes of the river span of the Manchester Bridge and charge same to Code Account No. 150, North Side Point Bridge (now Manchester Bridge).

Passed October 20, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 25, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 439.

No. 491

Whereas, Samuel Kalb, of 342 Lawn street, has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$100.00 for lot on Lawn street, Fourth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the south side of Lawn street at a point 64.64 feet west of Elsinore place and Lawn street; thence extending westwardly 15 feet to a point; thence southwardly 95.78 feet to a pin; thence eastwardly 3 feet to a pin; thence northwardly 86 feet to Lawn street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property to Samuel Kalb for the sum of \$100.00.

Passed October 20, 1919.

Approved October 25, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 440.

No. 492

Whereas, Messrs. Duff and Carmack, attorneys, in behalf of their client, John Hovan, have offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$600.00 for piece of property located on the southeast side of Lecky avenue, Twenty-seventh ward, City, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on the southeast side of Lecky avenue at the corner of Collins' lot; thence extending 96.86 feet along Lecky avenue northwardly to the corner of Keegan's lot; thence extending back 128 feet more or less to Geyer avenue; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to execute and deliver a deed for the aforementioned property for John Hovan for the sum of \$600.00.

Passed October 20, 1919.

Approved October 25, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 440.

No. 493

Whereas, P. E. Dixon, a policeman in the Bureau of Police, Department of Public Safety of the City, was injured on June 4, 1919, by being struck by an automobile owned by E. J. Schenck, by reason of which accident the said P. E. Dixon was incapacitated; and

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh has paid the said P. E. Dixon pursuant to the Workmen's Compensation Law and Ordinance of Council the sum of sixty-five dollars (\$65.00) for the period of his incapacity; and

Whereas, The said E. J. Schenck, by reason of said accident, is liable to the said P. E. Dixon for damages and has effected a settlement with him for the sum of three hundred fifty dollars (\$350.00), and the City of Pittsburgh is subrogated by virtue of the Workmen's Compensation Law to the right of the said P. E. Dixon against the said E. J. Schenck to the extent of the money paid the said P. E. Dixon under said Workmen's Compensation Law, namely, sixty-five dollars (\$65.00); now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety be and they are hereby authorized and directed to execute in the name of the City of Pittsburgh a release to the said E. J. Schenck from any and all liability to the City of Pittsburgh under the Workmen's Compensation Law on account of the injury to the said P. E. Dixon upon the payment to the City of Pittsburgh of the sum of sixty-five dollars (\$65.00).

Passed October 15, 1919.

Approved October 25, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 440.

No. 494

Whereas, The members of the Nineteenth Ward Memorial Association are raising funds for the erection of a suit-

able memorial to the men of the Fifteenth Zone who served their country in the World's War, and have requested permission to erect said memorial on property belonging to the City of Pittsburgh abutting on Grandview avenue, Mt. Washington, and now under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Parks, Department of Public Works; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the consent of the City of Pittsburgh is hereby given to the said Nineteenth Ward Memorial Association for the erection of said memorial on said park property, subject to such restrictions as may be found necessary by the Director of the Department of Public Works, and to such approval as may be required by law by the Art Commission of the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed October 20, 1919.

Approved October 25, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 440.

No. 495

Whereas, There will be insufficient funds in several of the code accounts of the Allegheny Carnegie Free Library to meet the payrolls for the balance of the year, and there will be balances remaining in other code accounts in the department; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following amounts:

From

Code Account 1348, Wages, Regular Employees.....	\$2,500.00
Code Account 1348, Wages, Regular Employees.....	850.00
Code Account 1353, Equipment.....	250.00
Code Account 1348, Wages, Regular Employees.....	600.00
Code Account 1348, Wages, Regular Employees.....	900.00
	\$5,100.00

To

Code Account 1347, Salaries, Regular Employees.....	\$2,500.00
Code Account 1354, Salaries, Regular Employees, Woods Run Branch.....	850.00
Code Account 1349, Miscellaneous Expense.....	250.00
Code Account 1350, Supplies.....	600.00
Code Account 1352, Repairs.....	900.00
	\$5,100.00

Passed October 20, 1919.

Approved October 25, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 441.

No. 496

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Auto Service and Taxicab Co.....	\$ 18.00	1147
Otho J. Bierly.....	17.50	1159
Mrs. Anna Bousonville..	85.00	1159
D. A. Butler.....	36.00	1147
Bertram G. Case.....	69.50	1133
Bertram G. Case.....	59.18	1166
Dixon Motor Co.....	5.60	1166
Walter L. Dixon.....	55.00	1159
Joseph H. Dye.....	20.00	1158-M
Philip Eckert.....	22.95	1159
A. H. Johnson.....	38.13	1150
A. H. Johnson.....	268.63	1166
H. W. Johns-Manville Co.....	6.00	1166
Frank Kafka.....	116.00	1150
Keystone Laundry Co..	89.36	1147
Keystone Laundry Co..	211.01	1163
James McCormick.....	15.95	1159
Penn Storage Battery Co.....	43.05	1166
William E. Pottmeyer..	42.50	1159
South Side Hospital.....	14.00	1147
John J. Stadleman.....	55.00	1159

Passed October 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 442.

No. 497

Whereas, Meters have been installed by the City of Pittsburgh on the premises of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company at River avenue and Isabella street, and Second avenue and Elizabeth street; and

Whereas, The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company paid the flat rates for the full year and are entitled to a refund of \$4,157.98; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company in the sum of \$4,157.98 on account of adjustment of water rates at River avenue, Isabella street, Second avenue and Elizabeth street, and charge to Appropriation

tion No. 41, Refunding Taxes and Water Rents.

Passed October 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 443.

No. 498

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of W. S. Brown in payment of claim for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies in the sum of one thousand one hundred ninety-one dollars and forty-nine cents (\$1,191.49), payable from Code Account No. 1156.

Passed October 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 443.

No. 499

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Carnegie Steel Company in payment of claim for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies, in the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars, payable from Code Account No. 1461.

Passed October 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 443.

No. 500

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of S. R. Carse, Public Works Inspector in the Bureau of Engineering, for the sum of \$31.97 for expense incurred in the inspection of lumber before and during process of creosoting at the plant of the Ohio Wood Preserving Company at Orrville, Ohio, which material was required for use in carrying out contract No. 2 for the refooring of the California Avenue Bridge over Woods Run, and charge same to Code Account 1459-B, Miscellaneous Services, Bridge Repairs, Bureau of Engineering.

Passed October 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 444.

No. 501

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following firms and persons in payment of claims for supplies contracted by the Department of Supplies, and charge the amounts to the Appropriation items as shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Dravo-Doyle Company.....	\$526.00	1656
Speck-Marshall Company	515.20	1655

Passed October 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 444.

No. 502

Whereas, In grading Alexis street by virtue of a contract duly awarded, a landslip developed which involved dwellings in the immediate vicinity thereof, and for the purpose of securing the safety of which and the residents thereof it became necessary to underpin, shore and brace the street and houses and to wreck one house; and

Whereas, This work was not included in the contract as entered into it was decided in the emergency to employ the John Eichleay, Jr., Company to do this work by force account; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of John Eichleay, Jr., Company for the sum of \$2,470.69 for emergency work done in underpinning, shoring and bracing Alexis street and houses in the immediate vicinity thereof, and also for wrecking one house, all of which were affected by a landslip caused by the grading of Alexis street, and charge same to Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Passed October 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 444.

No. 503

Whereas, It was the decision of the Department of Public Works that the garage on Tunnel street rented by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers and used for the housing of certain automo-

bile equipment belonging to the bureau, should be insured against loss by fire and certain fire insurance policies were issued therefor by the Henry P. Haas Agency, the premiums for which amounted to four hundred thirty-one dollars and ninety-three cents (\$431.93); and

Whereas, The Ordinance authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to insure the said garage and automobile equipment against loss by fire was laid upon the table by Council; and

Whereas, Following the action of Council the said policies of insurance were cancelled, such cancellations, however, leaving the City of Pittsburgh indebted to the Henry P. Haas Agency in the sum of one hundred twenty-nine dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$129.57) for earned premiums covering the period between their issuance and cancellation.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Henry P. Haas Agency in the sum of one hundred twenty-nine dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$129.57) for earned premiums on certain policies of insurance, the same to be chargeable to and payable from Appropriation No. 1522, Miscellaneous Services, Cleaning Highways, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Passed October 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Ordinance Book 4, Page 445.

No. 504

Whereas, The Munitions Department of the United States Government requested the City of Pittsburgh to supply water to the Mesta Machine Company and other plants in that vicinity engaged on war work, necessitating the laying of approximately one thousand five hundred and sixty (1,560) feet of eight (8") inch water pipe line on outer Second avenue; and

Whereas, The City was unable to do this work, due to its shortage of material and lack of workmen, in time to provide water for the above-mentioned plants, to enable them to rush their war orders; and

Whereas, The United States Government offered to furnish the necessary material if the City would provide for the labor; and

Whereas, As the City was unable to furnish the labor, arrangements were made with Contractor James H. Mc-

Quaide & Sons to furnish same at cost plus fifteen (15) per cent; and

Whereas, The work has been completed for nine (9) months and the contractor has been required to pay interest on the money expended during this interim; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of James H. McQuaide & Sons for the sum of five thousand nine hundred ninety-one dollars and ninety-two cents (\$5,991.92), plus interest for nine (9) months at six (6) per cent, or a total of six thousand two hundred sixty-one dollars and fifty-six cents (\$6,261.56), and charge the same to Appropriation No. 190, Water Loan Bonds, said amount to be in full payment for all labor work necessary to lay the before-mentioned pipe line.

Passed October 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 445.

No. 505

Whereas, The W. N. Sauer Plbg. Company, registered plumbers, of 804-806 Chestnut street, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., was given a contract by A. K. Sauer to make a sewer connection at 1526 Valmont street; and

Whereas, The sewer records on file in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, show the sewer connection extended to the curb line; and

Whereas, The W. N. Sauer Plbg. Company, after excavating at the point shown by the plans, failed to find any sewer connection, and said measurements having been checked by an inspector of the Division of Public Utilities; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the W. N. Sauer Plbg. Company, registered plumbers, of 804-806 Chestnut street, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., for the sum of one hundred fifty-three dollars and fifty-four cents (\$153.54) in payment of claim for extending the sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line at 1526 Valmont street, and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed October 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 446.

No. 506

Whereas, John H. Schnur, sub-patrolman; William S. Seibert, sub-patrolman, and John W. Govier, a sub-hoseman, entered the service of the United States in the war with Germany and filed dependents' claims in accordance with the Act of Assembly providing for payment of half salary to City employees while in the military or naval service; and

Whereas, Acting upon instructions from the Law Department the Civil Service Commission refused to approve payrolls for the payment of said dependents' claims, which refusal was based on the theory that these men had not been in the City service long enough to be regarded as regular employees; and

Whereas, There does not appear to be anything in the Act of Assembly providing for the payment of said dependents' claims, which was intended to take into account the provisions of the Civil Service Commission acts or the rules of the Commission requiring a probationary period of employment; and

Whereas, The City has been liberal in its interpretation of the application of the law on all other cases heretofore passed, including that of sub-patrolmen and sub-hosemen, as evidenced by the passage of Ordinance No. 421, approved October 16, 1917; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of John H. Schnur, William S. Seibert and John W. Govier in the sum to which they would have been entitled had their original claims been allowed and paid, namely \$1,697.38, and charge same to the proper code accounts; and be it further

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the said John H. Schnur, William S. Seibert and John W. Govier in the sums of which they would be entitled in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 229, approved July 23, 1919, granting half increase to city employees while in the service of the United States, and charge same to Code Account No. 50.

Passed October 27, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 446.

No. 507

Whereas, A meter has been installed at premises of Walter P. Fraser, 6200 Penn avenue, Seventh ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and

Whereas, It appears that the flat rate for a quarter for water used in said premises would be \$147.14, and meter readings at the current rates for the quarter ending January 23rd, 1919, show a use of water in the sum of \$571.32, or an increase in the charge of the water for said quarter of \$424.18; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owner of said property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh be and are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said Walter P. Fraser on account of said charge for water in the sum of \$212.09, being 50% of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 447.

No. 508

Whereas, W. F. Stadtlander, on behalf of John G. Feil, offers the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$210.00 for lot No. 15 and part of lot No. 14, located on Brahm street, Twenty-fourth ward, City.

Beginning on the east side of Brahm street at the corner of a 20-foot way; thence extending along said Brahm street northwardly 50 feet to a pin; thence eastwardly 190 feet to a pin; thence southwardly 5 feet more or less to a 20-foot way; thence westwardly 119 feet more or less to Brahm street, the place of beginning.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed to W. F. Stadtlander on behalf of John G. Feil for the afore-mentioned property for the sum of \$210.00.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 448.

No. 509

Whereas, There will be insufficient funds in several of the Code Accounts of the Bureau of Recreation to meet the bill rolls for the balance of the year, and there will be balances remaining in other code accounts of the same bureau; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, aggregating \$4,608.19:

From	
Code Account 1805, Salaries, Regular Employees, General Office	\$ 800.00
Code Account 1813, Salaries, Regular Employees, Washington Park	400.00
Code Account 1814, Salaries, Regular Employees, Ormsby Park	900.00
Code Account 1816, Salaries, Regular Employees, Warrington Park	300.00
Code Account 1818, Salaries, Regular Employees, Arsenal Park	500.00
Code Account 1822, Salaries, Regular Employees, Lewis Park	700.00
Code Account 1824, Wages, Temporary Employees, Brushton Park	140.60
Code Account 1826, Wages, Temporary Employees, Lawrence Pool	40.65
Code Account 1827, Wages, Temporary Employees, Arlington Park	54.37
Code Account 1828, Wages, Temporary Employees, Beechview Playground	47.67
Code Account 1829, Wages, Temporary Employees, Armstrong Playground	16.62
Code Account 1830, Wages, Temporary Employees, Burgwin Playground	37.12
Code Account 1831, Wages, Temporary Employees, Cuthbertson Playground	93.08
Code Account 1832, Wages, Temporary Employees, Morningside Playground	39.45
Code Account 1833, Wages, Temporary Employees, O'Hara School	65.93
Code Account 1834, Wages, Temporary Employees, Rose School	23.97
Code Account 1835, Wages, Temporary Employees, Sheridan Playground	98.20
Code Account 1836, Wages, Temporary Employees, Soho Playground	79.70
Code Account 1837, Wages, Temporary Employees, Flinn Playground	179.40
Code Account 1838, Wages, Temporary Employees, Garfield Playground	15.58
Code Account 1839, Wages, Temporary Employees, Greenfield Playground	11.75
Code Account 1840, Wages, Temporary Employees, Homewood Playground	9.30
Code Account 1841, Wages, Temporary Employees, McKelvey School	19.18

Code Account 1843, Wages, Temporary Employees, Wabash Playground	30.15
Code Account 1844, Wages, Temporary Employees, Watt School	1.72
Code Account 1845, Wages, Temporary Employees, Penn Avenue	3.75

\$4,608.19

To	
Code Account 1806, Wages, Temporary Employees.....	\$3,600.00
Code Account 1809, Materials.....	1,008.19

\$4,608.19

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 448.

No. 510

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to make the following transfers of appropriations, to-wit:

From Code Account No. 1144 to Code Account No. 1147.....	\$2600.00
From Code Account No. 1144 to Code Account No. 1148.....	4,000.00
From Code Account No. 1144 to Code Account No. 1149.....	500.00
From Code Account No. 1144 to Code Account No. 1156.....	4,000.00
From Code Account No. 1144 to Code Account No. 1159.....	400.00
From Code Account No. 1171 to Code Account No. 1174.....	250.00
From Code Account No. 1171 to Code Account No. 1177.....	300.00

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 449.

No. 511

Whereas, There are insufficient balances remaining in several code accounts of the Bureau of Engineering to meet payrolls for the remainder of the fiscal year for wages for Public Works inspectors, and to cover which it is estimated that an additional sum aggregating \$6,250.00 will be required; and

Whereas, There is an unincumbered balance in excess of \$6,250.00 remaining in Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the aggregate sum of

\$6,250.00 from Code Account 1491-E, General Repaving, Division of Streets, Bureau of Engineering, and to credit same to certain other code accounts in the Bureau of Engineering in the respective sums set forth, to-wit:

\$ 350.00 to Code Account No. 1449, Wages, Temporary Em- ployees, Division of Bridges.	
1,900.00 to Code Account No. 1471, Wages, Temporary Em- ployees, Division of Sewers.	
4,000.00 to Code Account No. 1483, Wages, Temporary Em- ployees, Division of Streets.	

\$6,250.00 Total.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 449.

No. 512

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00) from Account No. 1662, "Miscellaneous Services," to Account No. 1664, "Materials," Distribution Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 450.

No. 513

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of five hundred and sixty dollars (\$560.00) from Appropriation No. 41, refunds of taxes and water rents, to Appropriation No. 1066, Equipment, Department of the City Treasurer.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 450.

No. 514

Whereas, The appropriation for the item "Supplies," Tuberculosis Hospital, Department of Public Health, will soon be exhausted; and

Whereas, Sufficient money has been saved in other codes to meet expenditures for the balance of the year; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of sixty-five hundred (\$6500.00) dollars to

Code Account 1224, Nipples, Tuberculosis Hospital from the following codes: Eighteen hundred (\$1,800.00) dollars from Code Account 1219, Malaries, Irregular Employees, Tuberculosis Hospital; seven hundred (\$700.00) dollars from Code Account 1262, Malaries, Irregular Employees, Division of Plumbing and House Drainage, and four thousand (\$4,000.00) dollars from Code Account 1269, Malaries, Irregular Employees, Division of Housing and Sanitary Inspection, Bureau of Sanitation, all in the Department of Public Health.

Passed October 27, 1919.

Approved October 30 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 450.

No. 515

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue and the City Controller to countersign a warrant in favor of the American Lumber and Manufacturing Company for lumber for the Bureau of Bridges, in the sum of nine hundred seventy-one dollars and seventy-five cents (\$971.75), payable from Code Account No. 1461.

Passed November 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 451.

No. 516

Whereas, John K. Hyrnes is now, and, prior to September 23, 1917, was a rodman in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, of the City of Pittsburgh, and on September 23, 1917, entered the United States military service, having been drafted and became a member of the Three Hundred and Fifteenth Machine Gun Battalion, Company A, remaining in the service until June 9, 1919, when he was discharged therefrom, and has since returned to the service of the City of Pittsburgh, as aforesaid; and

Whereas, Prior to entering the service he regularly supplied money to his wife, for her maintenance and support, said wife being dependent upon him for support and maintenance not only prior to and at the time of his entering the United States service, but up until the present time; and

Whereas, Prior to the time of entering the military service of the United States the said John K. Hyrnes did not comply with the requirements of the Act of Assembly of 1917 and the Ordinance of the City relating to half pay for soldier

dependents, in that in filing his affidavit he named his brother-in-law as dependent, with the intent of a convenient arrangement for use of his wife; and further states he did not receive the instructions forwarded advising proper form of affidavit, to be filed, but since leaving the said military service has filed a proper affidavit, naming his wife, Mopha Hyrnes, as his dependent; and

Whereas, There is payable under the law, during his absence, to his wife for support, as his dependent, the sum of eight hundred thirty dollars and sixty-seven cents (\$830.67); now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of John K. Hyrnes, for use of Mopha Hyrnes, in the sum of eight hundred thirty dollars and sixty-seven cents (\$830.67), being payment in full of one-half his salary payable to his wife as dependent during the period of his absence from his employment in the City of Pittsburgh, while in military service of the United States during the war with the Imperial government of Germany, and charge same to Code Account No. 50-M.

Passed November 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 451.

No. 517

Whereas, Mrs. Ottillie H. Kohler, of 204 Waldorf street, Twenty-sixth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa., had house sewer connection relaid and basement cellar repaired on account of sewer backing up and flooding cellar; and

Whereas, When main sewer was constructed contractor neglected to properly connect house connection to main sewer.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mrs. Ottillie H. Kohler, 204 Waldorf street, Twenty-sixth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa., for the sum of ninety-nine dollars and ninety-six cents (\$99.96) in payment of claim for repairs of basement cellar and connecting branch of main sewer in front of the said property and charge same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed November 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 452.

No. 518

Whereas, The Commonwealth Real Estate Company, in behalf of W. G. Jones, has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$300.00 for a piece of property located on Quarry street, Seventeenth ward, City, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the north side of Quarry street at the corner of lot No. 3 in Mary O. Phillips' Plan; thence extending westwardly 204.43 feet to a pin; thence northwardly 50 feet to a pin; thence eastwardly 100 feet to lot No. 3 in said plan; thence southwardly 22.12 feet to Quarry street, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver a deed for the afore-mentioned property to W. G. Jones upon the payment of \$300.00 to the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed November 10, 1919.
Approved November 12, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 452.

No. 519

Whereas, The War Camp Community Service, which has been maintaining the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club of Pittsburgh, which was established by the Mayor and Council of Pittsburgh, will cease activity on October 31st; and

Whereas, The Public Safety Building is now admirably fitted up for club purposes and the City of Pittsburgh has no immediate need for it; and

Whereas, The American Legion is in need of central headquarters, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to enter into arrangements with the officers of the American Legion whereby the American Legion may use it for their headquarters, under proper supervision, until such time as the City of Pittsburgh needs it for some other purpose.

Passed November 10, 1919.
Approved November 12, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 452.

No. 520

Whereas, The annual convention of the American Society for Municipal Improvements will be held in New Orleans, La., November 11th to 14th, inclusive, and

Whereas, The papers which will be read and discussed at this convention relate to public works and are of vital

importance and of great educational value; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Works and the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Engineering are hereby authorized to attend the said convention and to represent the City of Pittsburgh, and the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the said Director and Chief Engineer, in payment of their necessary expenses incurred in attending said convention and charge same to Appropriation, Code Account No 1414-B, Miscellaneous Service.

Passed November 10, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved November 12, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 452

No. 521

Whereas, Owing to the high prices of various materials needed, and

Whereas, It will require additional money for the purchasing of these materials, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums to-wit:

- \$ 200 00 from Code Account 1681, Wages, temporary employees, Schenley Park, to Code Account 1682, Supplies, same division
- 200 00 from Code Account 1681, Wages, temporary employees, Schenley Park, to Code Account 1684, Materials, same division
- 100 00 from Code Account 1681, Wages, temporary employees, Schenley Park, to Code Account 1691, Materials, Golf Grounds
- 100 00 from Code Account 1712, Salaries, regular employees, North Side Conservatory, to Code Account 1692, Supplies, Schenley Stables
- 100 00 from Code Account 1742, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Zoo, to Code Account 1700, Materials, Schenley Park Stables
- 150 00 from Code Account 1702, Salaries, regular employees, Schenley Conservatory, to Code Account 1692, Supplies, Golf Grounds
- 150 00 from Code Account 1702, Salaries, regular employees, Schenley Conservatory, to Code Account 1702, Materials, same division

1,600.00 from Code Account 1704, Wages, regular employees, Schenley Conservatory, to Code Account 1707, Supplies, same division.

1,000.00 from Code Account 1721, wages, temporary employees, Small Parks, to Code Account 1707, Supplies, Schenley Conservatory.

1,100.00 from Code Account 1764, Wages, regular employees, Riverview Stables, to Code Account 1707, Supplies, Schenley Conservatory.

100.00 from Code Account 1742, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Zoo, to Code Account 1717, Materials, North Side Conservatory.

1,400.00 from Code Account 1736, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Stables, to Code Account 1756, Wages, regular employees, Riverview Park.

700.00 from Code Account 1742, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Zoo, to Code Account 1770, Wages, regular employees, West Park.

100.00 from Code Account, 1742, Wages, regular employees, Highland Park Zoo, to Code Account 1773, Supplies, West Park.

150.00 from Code Account 1712, Salaries, regular employees, North Side Conservatory, to Code Account 1774, Materials, West Park.

Passed November 10, 1919.
Approved November 13, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 453.

No. 522

Whereas, The Bureau of Electricity, Department of Public Safety, has charged the Department of Public Works with eleven hundred eighty-four dollars and seventy-two cents (\$1,184.72) as their proportionate share of increase for telephone service; and

Whereas, It is necessary that the Bureau of Electricity be reimbursed for this amount to meet the payment of telephone bills; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, aggregating eleven hundred eighty-four dollars and seventy-two cents (\$1,184.72), to Code Account No. 1173-B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Electricity, Department of Public Safety, to-wit:

From—

1402 B. Miscellaneous Services, General Office, Department of Public Works	\$ 10.66
1414 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works.....	46.21
1498 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Deed Registry, Department of Public Works.....	2.37
1522 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works	293.81
1569 C. Supplies, Bureau of City Property, Department of Public Works	39.10
1662 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.....	626.72
1673 D. Materials, Bureau of Light, Department of Public Works	30.80
1679 B. Insurance, Bureau of Parks, Department of Public Works	90.25
1682 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Parks, Department of Public Works.....	14.00
1801 C. Supplies, Bureau of Tests, Department of Public Works	18.96
1807 B. Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works.....	11.84
	\$1,184.72

Passed November 10, 1919.
Approved November 13, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 454.

No. 523

Whereas. There was used by the Bureau of Highways and Sewers lumber to the quantity of 120,166 feet for the reviewing stands erected for the parades of returned soldiers; and

Whereas, It was agreed that the price to be charged the Bureau for said lumber should be at the rate of \$20.00 per thousand feet, or a total of \$2,413.32; and

Whereas, There are not sufficient funds available in Appropriation No. 1541, Material, Boardwalks and Steps, to provide for the payment of the amount due.

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized to transfer the sum of \$2,413.32 from Appropriation No. 1556, Materials, Asphalt Plant, to Appropriation No. 1540, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps, to provide

for the payment of the said lumber used as aforesaid.

Passed November 10, 1919.
Approved November 13, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 455.

No. 524

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer various sums of money from certain code accounts of the Bureau of Light, Department of Public Works, amounting to \$3,850.00, to certain code account in the Bureau of Light, Department of Public Works, to-wit:

\$3,850.00 from Code Account No. 1673, Materials, to Code Account No. 1669, Wages of Regular Employees.

The above deficit in Code Account No. 1669 is due to the increase in C. U. W.

Passed November 10, 1919.
Approved November 13, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 455.

No. 525

Resolved, That the Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars from Appropriation No. 41, Refunds of Taxes and Water Rents, to Appropriation No. 156, City Hall Bond Fund.

Passed November 10, 1919.
Approved November 13, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 455.

No. 526

Whereas, There are not sufficient funds in the several code accounts to meet the payrolls for the Bureau of Tests and the bill rolls of the General Office, Department of Public Works, for the balance of the year; and

Whereas, There are available balances remaining in the various salary and wage code accounts in the Bureau of Parks and Miscellaneous Services Code Account, General Office, Department of Public Works; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, aggregating eleven hundred dollars (\$1,100.00) to-wit:

FROM—

Code Account 1402 B, Miscellaneous Services, General Office, D. P. W.	\$ 100.00
Code Account 1687 A1, Salaries, Schenley Nursery, Bureau of Parks	200.00
Code Account 1697 A3, Wages, Schenley Stables, Bureau of Parks	200.00
Code Account 1703 A1, Salaries, Schenley Conservatory, Bureau of Parks	300.00
Code Account 1721 A4, Wages, Small Parks, Bureau of Parks..	300.00
	\$1,100.00

TO—

Code Account 1406B C Supplies, Division of Accounting, Department of Public Works....	\$ 238.18
Code Account 1412 F Equipment, Photographic Division, Department of Public Works....	25.00
Code Account 1409 C, Supplies, Photographic Division, Department of Public Works....	75.00
Code Account 1798 A1, Salaries, Bureau of Tests, Department of Public Works.....	761.82
	\$1,100.00

Passed November 10, 1919.
Approved November 13, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 455.

No. 527

Whereas, Certain adjustments of appropriations in the Department of the Mayor are desirable in order that funds may be available for necessary use during the balance of the fiscal year; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following:

\$300.00 from Code Account No. 1019, Salaries, Regular Employees, Police Magistrates, to Code Account No. 1015, Miscellaneous Services, Mayor's Office;	
125.00 from Code Account No. 1019, Salaries, Regular Employees, Police Magistrates, to Code Account No. 1020, Miscellaneous Services; Police Magistrates;	
122.96 from Code Account No. 1019, Salaries, Regular Employees, Police Magistrates, to Code Account No. 1026, Equipment, Morals Court;	
126.73 from Code Account No. 1023, Salaries, Regular Employees, Morals Court, to Code Account No. 1026, Equipment, Morals Court;	

150.00 from Code Account No. 1023, Salaries, Regular Employees, Morals Court, to Code Account No. 1021, Supplies, Police Magistrates;

100.00 from Code Account No. 1023; Salaries, Regular Employees, Morals Court, to Code Account No. 1024, Miscellaneous Services, Morals Court;

967.93 from Code Account No. 1018B, Unpaid Bills, Bureau of Housing, Mayor's Office, to Code Account No. 1016, Supplies, Mayor's Office.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 456.

No. 528

Whereas, In making the equalization of salaries of firemen from July 9th, 1918, to January 22nd, 1919, there was an error made in the calculation of the payrolls, and as the account stands now Appropriation No. 1169-A, Equalization Fund, is overdrawn \$109.30; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of one hundred nine and 30/100 (\$109.30) dollars from Appropriation No. 1161, Salaries, Bureau of Fire, to Appropriation No. 1169-A, Equalization Fund, Bureau of Fire.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 457.

No. 529

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$150 from Code Account No. 1043, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1044, Supplies, Transit Commissioner.

Passed November 10, 1919.

Approved November 13, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 457.

No. 530

Whereas, On October 13, 1911, a contract was awarded by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh, in pursuance of proper legislative authority, to Jas. H. McQuade Company, a corporation, for the grading, regrading, repaving and otherwise improving Wabash

street, from Park way to South Main street; South Main street from West Carson street to Alexander street; Neptune street from Wabash street to Mill street, and the streets and alleys affected by the improvement of the same, in accordance with the provisions of an Ordinance of Councils, No. 10, Series 1911-1912, approved April 20th, 1911; and

Whereas, The work under the contract aforesaid was completed by the contractor and accepted by the Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, Under the contract aforesaid it was provided that all sheet asphalt pavements, asphalt block pavements and Portland cement pavements laid under said contract should be kept and maintained at the expense of said Jas. H. McQuade Company in accordance with the specifications for the maintenance of such pavements for the period of five years from and after acceptance; and

Whereas, During the progress of the work of said improvement the contractor notified the Department of Public Works that the asphalt block provided for under the contract aforesaid would not meet the specifications and protested against the use of same; and

Whereas, Within the period of five years from and after acceptance of said work in which the contractor was required to keep in repair and maintain the streets aforesaid, as set forth in the contract above mentioned, defects appeared in said paving, which could have been patched and temporarily repaired to last the five-year period at an expense of about \$1,000.00 to said contractor; and

Whereas, When the said defects appeared in said paving the Department of Public Works deemed it advisable to have the City of Pittsburgh do the work of repairing said streets and substitute more durable paving, likely to last fifteen or twenty years, at an expense of about \$7,000.00, rather than permit the contractor to patch said streets and make temporary repairs to same to meet the provisions of said contract; and

Whereas, No adjustment or settlement has been made between the City of Pittsburgh and said Jas. H. McQuade Company of the matters arising out of the provision of said contract requiring said contractor to keep said streets in repair, or has the City of Pittsburgh been reimbursed for any portion of the money so expended in repairing said streets as aforesaid; and

Whereas, The said Jas. H. McQuade Company has offered to pay into the treasury of the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$1,000.00 in full settlement of all claims and demands of the said City

of Pittsburgh against said Jas. H. McQuade Company arising out of said contract, or for or on account of the work of repairing said streets, or the money expended in doing said work; therefore, be it

Resolved, That upon the payment into the treasury of the City of Pittsburgh by Jas. H. McQuade Company of the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) said amount shall be accepted in full satisfaction of all claims and demands of the City of Pittsburgh against said Jas. H. McQuade Company arising out of the contract for the grading, regrading, repaving and otherwise improving Wabash street from Park way to South Main street; South Main street from West Carson street to Alexander street; Neptune street from Wabash street to Mill street, and the streets and alleys affected by the improvement of the same under Ordinance of Councils No. 10, Series 1911-1912, approved April 20th, 1911, and in full settlement of all claims and demands of the City of Pittsburgh against the said Jas. H. McQuade Company arising out of the work of repaving of said streets or money expended therefor by the City of Pittsburgh, and all liability of the said Jas. H. McQuade Company under said contract, as well as all liability of the surety upon the bond accompanying same, shall thereupon cease and determine absolutely. Provided, however, that said sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) shall be paid into the City Treasury by the said Jas. H. McQuade Company within fifteen days from date of approval of this resolution.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22.

Resolution Book 4, Page 457.

No. 531

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh, under Viewers' Proceedings at No. 561, January Term, 1919, Docket "A", graded, paved, curbed and adjudicated the damages by grade on Truro way, from Craig street to Melwood street, in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, The Board of Viewers assessed benefits of \$516.38 against the property of Charles E. Schuetz, which property is situate at the corner of Craig street and Truro way, having a frontage of fifty (50) feet on Craig street, extending back along Truro way a distance of one hundred (100) feet; and

Whereas, The cut along the property line of Truro way runs from one (1) foot to three and one-half (3½) feet, and Truro way having a grade of 14.11 per cent, running back along the property

of the said Charles E. Schuetz, leaving the line of the said property then being modified to a four (4) per cent grade to Melwood street; and

Whereas, The property along Truro way cannot be developed on account of the fourteen (14) per cent grade, and the property having already borne its full assessment for fifty (50) feet of frontage on Craig street for street improvement, the said Charles E. Schuetz's property has not been benefited in the value of \$516.38, but the said Charles E. Schuetz is willing to pay one-half the said benefit assessment, to-wit, \$258.00; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Solicitor is hereby empowered and ordered to satisfy the said assessment upon the payment of \$258.00.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 458.

No. 532

Whereas, A meter has been installed at premises of Joseph H. Cohen, 67 Hofers way, Third ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and

Whereas, It appears that the flat rate for five quarters for water used in said premises would be \$24.70, and meter readings at the current rates for the five quarters show a use of water in the sum of \$188.66, an increase in the charge of the water for said five quarters of \$163.96; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owner of the said property; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh be and are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said Joseph H. Cohen on account of said charge for water in the sum of \$81.98, being one-half of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 459.

No. 533

Whereas, Mrs. Minnie M. Wehner has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$75.00 for a parcel of ground located and described as follows: Beginning on the easterly line of Moschell street at the southerly line of Wm. L. Lapsley's Plan of Lots; thence along said southerly line of said plan of lots south 18 degrees 45 minutes east for the dis-

tance of 103.05 feet to a point on the dividing line between properties now or late of the City of Pittsburgh and John Roth; thence along said dividing line south 49 degrees 15 minutes west for the distance of 137.48 feet to a point on the easterly line of Moschell street produced; thence along said line of Moschell street produced north 42 minutes east for the distance of 92 feet to the place of beginning.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to deliver a deed for the afore-mentioned property to Mrs. Minnie M. Wehner for the sum of \$75.00.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 460.

No. 534

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the American Lumber and Manufacturing Company for lumber for the Bureau of Bridges in the sum of ten hundred sixty-two dollars and eighty-one cents (\$1,062.81), payable from Code Account No. 1461.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 460.

No. 535

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without competitive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule.	Amount.	Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh.....	\$832.43	1160

Passed November 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 460.

No. 536

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Dr. Wm. W.

Blair for the sum of \$100.00 for professional services rendered Robert Pringle, a uniformed member of the Bureau of Police, who was struck in the eye by a thrown baseball while on duty at a baseball game played on the North Side Board of Trade grounds, and charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 461.

No. 537

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Burroughs Adding Machine Company in the sum of five hundred and thirty-nine (\$539.00) dollars in payment of a Burroughs Electric Duplex Machine with shuttle carriage, for use of the City Controller's office, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund.

Passed November 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 461.

No. 538

Whereas, John T. Clark, an auto truck driver employed in the First Division of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, on May 22nd, 1919, was severely burned by an explosion of gasoline in the bureau garage on Tunnel street, requiring his removal to Mercy Hospital and incapacitating him for a period of ten (10) weeks; and

Whereas, Under the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Act the said John T. Clark received from the City of Pittsburgh the sum of eighty (\$80.00) dollars, the maximum compensation allowed by law; but by reason of his inability to perform his duties as auto truck driver his actual loss in wages amounted to two hundred three dollars and fifty cents (\$203.50) after the allowance is made for the payment of eighty (\$80.00) dollars allowed by law.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the said John T. Clark in the sum of two hundred three dollars and fifty cents (\$203.50) for time lost as the result of injuries sustained

in the performance of his duty as an auto truck driver, and charge same to Appropriation No. 44.

Passed November 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 461.

No. 539

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Joseph H. Dye, District Commissioner of the Bureau of Police, for the sum of \$19.00 covering money spent by him in securing evidence against persons for keeping disorderly houses, and charge the same to Code Account No. 1158-M, Local Secret Service Fund, Bureau of Police.

Passed November 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 462.

No. 540

Whereas, Certain items of expenses were incurred in connection with the "Entertainment of the Royal Belgian Party," amounting in the aggregate to six hundred and sixty-five dollars and fifty-four cents (\$665.54); therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following and charge same to Code Account No. 1027, Celebrations, Civic and War Committee:

Liberty Flag and Decorating Co.....	\$ 17.25
McMahon Bros.	3.84
Pittsburgh Press Club.....	193.25
South Hills Publishing Co.....	14.50
Western Penna. Exposition Society	48.00
William Penn Hotel.....	388.70
	\$665.54

Passed November 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 462.

No. 541

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of A. W. McCloy Company in the sum of five hundred and

thirty-one dollars (\$531.00) for the purchase of twelve (12) special desks, the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1066.

Passed November 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 462.

No. 542

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Dr. C. R. McKinniss for the sum of thirty-two dollars and twelve (\$32.12) cents for advertisement and express charges, and charge same to Code Account 1319, Pittsburgh, City Home and Hospitals, Department of Charities.

Passed November 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 463.

No. 543

Whereas, On or about August 15, 1919, the City of Pittsburgh purchased from Joseph P. Reed a certain tract of land in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, upon which he had paid the 1919 City taxes in full, amounting to \$230.79; and

Whereas, On or about August 15, 1919, the City of Pittsburgh purchased from Joseph Wagman, Fannie Sakon and Mary Robins, heirs of the Wagman estate, a certain tract of land in the Fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, upon which said heirs had paid the 1919 City taxes in full, amounting to \$215.41; and

Whereas, The City has had possession and the use of said properties since the delivery of said deeds on or about August 15, 1919, for which reason the grantors claim to be entitled to a refund of the 1919 City taxes paid by them respectively, to-wit, one-third ($\frac{1}{3}$) of the amount of taxes paid; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of Joseph P. Reed in the sum of \$76.93, and in favor of Joseph Wagman, Fannie Sakon and Mary Robins in the sum of \$71.80, being a refund on one-third ($\frac{1}{3}$) of the 1919 City taxes paid by them respectively on properties purchased from them by the

City of Pittsburgh as aforesaid, and charge the same to Code Account No. 41, Refunding Taxes.

Passed November 17, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 463.

No. 544

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$5,000.00 from Code Account No. 1144, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to the various code account numbers in the Department of City Planning, as follows:

\$3,675.00 to Code Account No. 1107, Salaries;
200.00 to Code Account No. 1109, Supplies;
1,125.00 to Code Account No. 1112, Equipment.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 463.

No. 545

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer:

\$5,000.00 from Code Account No. 1074, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1075, Witness Fees, Department of Law;
500.00 from Code Account No. 1074, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1076, Supplies, Department of Law;
100.00 from Code Account No. 1074, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1078, Equipment, Department of Law;
500.00 from Code Account No. 1087, Purchase of Land, to Code Account No. 1086, Equipment—Division of Municipal Improvements, Department of Law.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 464.

No. 546

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, amounting in the aggregate to six hundred dollars (\$600.00) from certain code accounts of the Bureau of Engineering to certain other code accounts of the Bureau of Engineering, to-wit:

\$100.00 from Code Account No. 1421, Materials, Division of Surveys, to Code Account No. 1423, Supplies, Division of Surveys;
300.00 from Code Account No. 1424, Materials, Division of Surveys, to Code Account No. 1426, Equipment, Division of Surveys;
200.00 from Code Account No. 1461, Materials, Bridge Repairs, City Force, to Code Account No. 1463, Equipment, Bridge Repairs, City Force.

\$600.00 Total

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 464.

No. 547

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of \$300.00 from Code Account No. 1089, Miscellaneous Services, to Code Account No. 1090, Supplies, Bureau of Public Improvements, Department of Law.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 465.

No. 548

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer five hundred dollars (\$500.00) from Account No. 1642, "Salaries Regular Employees," to Account No. 1646, "Miscellaneous Services," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 465.

No. 549

Whereas, Additional equipment is needed in the Bureau of Infectious Diseases, Department of Public Health, for

which no appropriation was made, and

Whereas, The purchase of this equipment is in the interest of economy and efficiency; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of seven hundred (\$700.00) dollars from Appropriation No. 1226, Repairs, Tuberculosis Hospital, to Appropriation No. 1198, Equipment and Machinery, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, Department of Public Health.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 465.

No. 550

Whereas, It is necessary to increase the equipment code account in the Department of Supplies to complete a contract; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be authorized to transfer the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00) from Code Account C, Supplies, 1329, to Code Account F, Equipment, 1332, Department of Supplies.

Passed November 17, 1919.

Approved November 22, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 465.

No. 551

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall be and directed to expend a sum of money and directed to expend a sum of money not exceeding one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars in the matter of seeking information and obtaining evidence as to the methods pursued by agents or brokers engaged in the business of selling stock of corporations of various kinds in the City of Pittsburgh; and be it further

Resolved, That the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for the payment of claims incurred in said seeking information and obtaining evidence, not to exceed the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars, upon payrolls duly approved by the Director of the Department of Public Safety, the cost thereof to be charged to Code Account No. 1158, Item M, Bureau of Police.

Passed November 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 466.

No. 552

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Bruckman Lumber Company in the sum of two thousand one hundred and sixty-eight dollars and thirty-eight cents (\$2,168.38) to reimburse the said company for lumber used in the erection of reviewing stands for home-coming troops, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 1027, Special Reservations, Mayor's Civic and War Committee.

Passed November 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 466.

No. 553

Whereas, Clarence Crisman, chauffeur in the General Office, Department of Public Works, resigned his position October 31, 1919; and

Whereas, There is due him two weeks' vacation, which Mr. Crisman was to have taken during the month of August; and

Whereas, The street car strike at that time prevented him from taking the said vacation in August; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Clarence Crisman in the sum of \$61.25 and charge same to Code Account No. 1401-A, Salaries.

Passed November 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 466.

No. 554

Whereas, A half month's salary is now due David Davies for services as stenographer and clerk to the Mayor's Welcome Committee; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the said David Davies in the sum of seventy-five (\$75.00) dollars and charge the same to Appropriation No. 1027, Mayor's Welcome Committee.

Passed November 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 467.

No. 555

Whereas, In the month of March a warrant was drawn in favor of E. J. du Pont de Nemours & Company for \$15.05; said warrant was mailed to the said Nemours & Co. March 9th, 1919, and has not been received by said company; and

Whereas, Said warrant has not been paid, payment on the same having been stopped.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a duplicate warrant in favor of E. J. du Pont de Nemours & Company in the sum of \$15.05 in the place of warrant No. 31377, which has been lost or destroyed, and charge same to Appropriation No. 185-A.

Passed November 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 467.

No. 556

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Henry P. Haas Agency for ninety-eight dollars and seventy-five cents (\$98.75), covering fire insurance in the sum of ten thousand (\$10,000.00) dollars on the brick warehouse and contents, and the bins, of the Department of Supplies, at No. 9 Fan-court street, Pittsburgh, Pa., same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 42.

Passed November 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 468.

No. 557

Whereas, The sum of eight thousand seven hundred and fifty-five dollars and thirty cents (\$8,755.30) was specifically appropriated and set apart in the Contingent Fund to pay for advertising in connection with the "Special Bond Election"; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following organizations in the sum set forth to reimburse said organizations for advertising in connection with the said "Spe-

cial Bond Election," same to be charged to Code Account No. 42, Bond Election, Contingent Fund.

The Jewish Criterion.....	\$200.00
Rocereto's Band and Orchestra.....	154.00
Tribune Publishing Company.....	120.00
	\$474.00

Passed November 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 468.

No. 558

Whereas, William Kane was employed by the Mayor's Welcome Committee at a salary of \$100.00 per month to tabulate the number of men who entered the service of the U. S. Government as soldiers and sailors from the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, The said William Kane has been in the employ of the Mayor's Welcome Committee from September 15 to November 15, a period of two months, and has received no pay for his services; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the said William Kane in the sum of \$200.00 and charge the same to Appropriation No. 1027, Mayor's Welcome Committee.

Passed November 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 468.

No. 559

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of F. G. Kelsey in the sum of twenty-three dollars (\$23.00) to reimburse said person for premium on a fire and theft policy on a Ford automobile, same to be charged to Code Account No. 1045, War Garden Commission.

Passed November 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 469.

No. 560

Whereas, An underground leak in the water pipe of the Masonic Fund Society Building occurred and was not discov-

ered until the reading of the meter for the following quarter; the Bureau of Water located the leak and the owners had it repaired at once, and as is the practice, the Water Assessors charged the water at the flat rate and recommend the refunding of \$323.39.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Masonic Fund Society of the County of Allegheny in the sum of three hundred twenty-three and 39/100 (\$323.39) dollars on account of adjustment of water rates on property located on Fifth avenue, Fourth ward, City, and charge same to Appropriation No. 41.

Passed November 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 469.

No. 561

Whereas, The Volunteer Fire Association of Philadelphia has and has had in its possession the old Vigilant hand engine, owned at one time by the Volunteer Fire Company of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, The said Volunteer Fire Association has or is about to disband; and

Whereas, At the solicitation of ex-Chief Miles Humphreys, of the City Fire Department, they have offered to give this hand engine to the City of Pittsburgh if said City will defray the expense of bringing the engine to Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, Said engine should be in the possession of the City of Pittsburgh stored either in the Historical Society Building or in the Carnegie Museum as a relic of bygone days.

Resolved, That the City accepts said engine as a gift and hereby directs the Mayor to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of J. H. McElroy in payment of the expense entailed in the transportation of the engine from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh, as follows:

Freight	\$ 49.19
Repairs	27.00
Railroad fare of two men to Philadelphia and return.....	52.00
Hotel and meals.....	41.00
Truck service	10.00
Cleaning engine	5.00
Telegram	.55

Total.....\$184.74

And charge same to Appropriation No. 42.

Passed November 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 469.

No. 562

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of payment of the salary and expense bill presented by the Women's Employment Service, amounting to, in the aggregate, the sum of \$2,671.93, and charge to Appropriation No. 42-7.

Passed November 24, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 470.

No. 563

Resolved, That the lease between the heirs of Edwin Bindley, deceased, and the City of Pittsburgh for a tenancy-at-will for all those lots of ground numbered 125, 126, 127, 128 and 129 in the plan of lots in the Bindley Estate, situate on the corner of Vickroy and Magee streets, in the First ward of the City of Pittsburgh, from September 1st, 1919, at a monthly rental of twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars, shall be and the same is hereby approved, the said rent to be payable from Appropriation No. 1513. Miscellaneous Services, Stables and Yards, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Passed November 24, 1919.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 470.

No. 564

Whereas, A. Raphael Kernan offers the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$1,625.00 for lots Nos. 240-241 in Carnegie & Company's Plan, located on Stanton avenue, Tenth ward, City.

Beginning on the northwest side of Stanton avenue at the corner of lot No. 242 in said plan; thence extending along said Stanton avenue westwardly 44.95 feet to a pin; thence westwardly 71.67 feet to Poe alley; thence northwardly 78.82 feet to lot No. 242 in said plan; thence southeastwardly 105.30 feet to Stanton street, the place of beginning.

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver deed for the above-

mentioned property to A. Raphael Ker-
nan for the sum of \$1,625.00.

Passed November 24, 1919.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 471.

No. 565

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to transfer the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars from Code Account No. 1013, Item M, Council's Investigation Fund, to Code Account No. 1158, Item M, Bureau of Police.

Passed November 24, 1919.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 471.

No. 566

Whereas, The Women's Employment Service, Council of National Defense, received an appropriation of \$10,000.00 for the payment of their running expenses; and

Whereas, The City Solicitor decided that the appropriation was a legal one; and

Whereas, They expended \$2,671.93.

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby directed to transfer the sum of \$2,671.93 from Appropriation No. 52-M, Standardization Fund, to Appropriation No. 42-7, Women's Employment Service, Council of National Defense.

Passed November 24, 1919.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 471.

No. 567

Whereas, The money appropriated for supplying natural gas to the asphalt plants of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, has been expended and there is now due and owing therefor a sum of money approximating three thousand five hundred (\$3,500.00) dollars; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of three thousand five hundred (\$3,500.00) dollars from Appropriation No. 1533, Wages, Temporary Employees, Asphalt Plants to Appropriation No. 1555, Supplies,

Asphalt Plants, to be for the said natural gas used in operation of the asphalt plants.

Passed November 24, 1919.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 471.

No. 568

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) from Account No. 1642, "Regular Salaries," to Account No. 1648, "Materials," Filtration Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Passed November 24, 1919.

Approved December 2, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 472.

No. 569

Whereas, The following expenses were incurred by reason of the celebration of Armistice Day, November 11, 1919; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following organizations and charge the amounts designated to Code No. 43, Finance Fund.

American Legion Band and Orchestra	\$135.00
Rising and Radcliffe	40.00
	\$175.00

Passed December 8, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 472.

No. 570

Whereas, On June 21st, 1919, and July 11th, 1919, Dominick Sciulli was a resident of the City of Pittsburgh, residing at No. 41 Boundary street; and

Whereas, On June 21st, 1919, the said Dominick Sciulli's cellar was flooded by the clogging up of a sewer, causing the surface water to back up and flow into the above-mentioned property; and

Whereas, On or about July 11th, 1919, another rainfall occurred and the sewer backed up again, flooding the cellar and the first floor; and

Whereas, The employees of the City examined all the sewer holes they had knowledge of and found them in perfect condition, overlooking a sewer hole

in the alley adjoining the McNeill property, which was examined only after the second flood mentioned above, disclosing that the same was broken and the cause of the floods on or about June 21st, 1919, and July 11th, 1919; and

Whereas, Dominick McNeill presented an itemized claim for \$217.30, and is now willing and ready to settle his case against the City of Pittsburgh for \$110.00; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That in order to compensate Mr. Dominick McNeill for his damage and to settle the question of liability of the City of Pittsburgh, the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in the sum of \$110.00 in favor of Dominick McNeill, the same being in full settlement of all claims and demands against the City of Pittsburgh, and charge same sum of \$110.00 to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed December 8, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 472.

No. 571

Whereas, On August 30, 1919, Mrs. Anna Schneider resided at No. 75 Amanda street, Eighteenth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh had constructed and maintained a boardwalk along Amanda street; and

Whereas, On August 30th, 1919, at 7 o'clock P. M., Mrs. Anna Schneider, aged 65 years, while passing along the said boardwalk on Amanda street near Mt. Oliver street, on her way to the baker shop situate on Mt. Oliver street, tripped on a broken board in said boardwalk, breaking her arm and bruising her in and about the body generally; and

Whereas, The said Mrs. Anna Schneider had her arm in splints for eight weeks, had endured great pain, suffering and inconvenience, was unable to do any work and had incurred medical expenses amounting to fifty dollars; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That in order to compensate Mrs. Anna Schneider for her expenses, pain, suffering and inconvenience and to settle the question of liability of the City of Pittsburgh, the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mrs. Anna Schneider in the sum of \$200.00, the same being in full settlement of all claims and demands against the City

of Pittsburgh arising out of said accident, and charge the same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed December 8, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 473.

No. 572

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh during and for the years 1909 to 1919, inclusive, has inadvertently collected as water rent from the following named persons the several amounts opposite their respective names assessed against them for water purporting to be furnished to them by the City of Pittsburgh, but in truth furnished by the South Pittsburgh Water Company at their several properties located on Lillian street, Eighteenth ward, City of Pittsburgh, to-wit:

Lillian Street	No.	Name	Amount
	102	I. Mehringer	\$ 91.11
	638	Morris Schwer	
		H. F. Brobeck	104.48
	640	C. C. McCullough	117.61
	722	Jas. A. Griffith	82.26
	724	M. A. Sheppard	73.38
	722	Lillie J. Carson	70.10
	726	Kath. Schmidt	
		Jacob Schmidt	159.32
	742	F. Andregg	106.88
	808	Jas. A. Griffith	130.56
	810	A. T. Griffith	97.37
	814	A. A. Willig	54.99

Total \$1,176.12
And

Whereas, The total amount so inadvertently collected by the City of Pittsburgh as aforesaid is \$1,176.12, which moneys are properly payable to the South Pittsburgh Water Company and is due, owing and unpaid to said company; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the South Pittsburgh Water Company in the sum of \$1,176.12, being water so furnished as aforesaid, and deliver the same to the South Pittsburgh Water Company, upon the South Pittsburgh Water Company's first executing and delivering to the City of Pittsburgh a duly authorized release in full of such claim, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Tax and Water Rents.

Passed December 8, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 474.

No. 573

Whereas, It is necessary to secure ventilators for the office of the Department of Public Works; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) from Code Account No. 1672, "Supplies," Bureau of Light, to Code Account No. 1572, "Equipment and Machinery," Bureau of City Property.

Passed December 8, 1919.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 474.

No. 574

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be, and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to transfer the sum of \$7.70 from Code Account No. 1144, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1146, Item A, Wages, Temporary Employees, Bureau of Police.

Passed December 9, 1919.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 475.

No. 575

Whereas, It was necessary to make certain repairs at the Diamond Market, for which no appropriation had been made, and various other code accounts are exhausted in which funds for the proper operation during the remainder of the year are necessary; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfers from one code account to others in the Bureau of City Property.

FROM:

Code Account 1560—Salaries, General Office	\$ 50.60
Code Account 1563 — Repairs, General Office	300.00
Code Account 1565 — Decorations	300.00
Code Account 1569—Supplies, City County Building.....	9,000.00
Code Account 1575—Repairs, North Side City Hall.....	800.00
Code Account 1576—Salaries, Regular Employees, Diamond Market	1,100.00

Code Account 1589—Supplies, North Side Market	1,000.00
Code Account 1619—Salaries, Regular Employees, Comfort Stations	270.00
Code Account 1624—Supplies, Foster Homestead	172.00
	\$12,992.60

TO—

Code Account 1567—Wages, Regular Employees, City-County Building	\$ 850.00
Code Account 1567½—Wages, Temporary Employees, City-County Building	4,377.60
Code Account 1577—Wages, Regular Employees, Diamond Market	240.00
Code Account 1586—Wages, Regular Employees, North Side Market	780.00
Code Account 1595 — Wages, Regular Employees, South Side Market	540.00
Code Account 1613—Wages, Regular Employees, Wharves and Landings	595.00
Code Account 1583—Repairs, Diamond Market	1,000.00
Code Account 1580—Supplies, Diamond Market	2,900.00
Code Account 1588—Miscellaneous Services, North Side Market	1,380.00
Code Account 1597—Supplies, South Side Market	330.00
	\$12,992.60

Passed December 9, 1919.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 475.

No. 576

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) from Appropriation No. 1069, Miscellaneous Service (Advertising Delinquent Taxes), to the following appropriations:

To Appropriation No. 1072, Equipment, Department Collector of Delinquent Taxes..	\$1,000.00
To Appropriation No. 1070, Supplies, Department Collector of Delinquent Taxes	500.00
	\$1,500.00

Passed December 9, 1919.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 476.

No. 577

Whereas, The Mayor and Council authorized the employment of assistant counsel for the City in the matter of assisting in and supervising the preparation of all ordinances and all other proceedings relating to the election for the increase of indebtedness of the City of Pittsburgh in the sum of \$21,000,000.00, and the City Solicitor selected for said purpose the firm of Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, of New York City, and said firm has rendered all necessary service in this connection, and will continue such assistance as may be necessary until said bond issue is fully completed; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of said firm for the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, as retainer in said employment, and from time to time pay the said firm a further compensation of seventy-five (75c) cents per thousand for all bonds actually sold under said authorized issue, and charge same to Appropriation No. 43, Finance Fund.

Passed December 8, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 476.

No. 578

Whereas, The funds in Code Accounts 1801-C, Supplies, 1802-D, Materials, and 1804-F, Equipment and Machinery, Bureau of Tests, are practically exhausted; and

Whereas, There are more than sufficient funds in 1800-B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Tests, to meet the bill rolls for the remainder of the year 1919; and

Whereas, This amount can be used to advantage in the above-mentioned code accounts; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the following sums, amounting in the aggregate to \$160.00, from Code Account 1800-B, Miscellaneous Services, to the following Code Accounts as divided:

- \$ 35.00 to Code Account 1801-C, Supplies,
- 5.00 to Code Account 1802-D, Materials,
- 120.00 to Code Account 1804-F, Equipment and Machinery.

\$160.00

Passed December 8, 1919.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 476.

No. 579

Whereas, Due to the unusual prevalence of diphtheria the item "Supplies," Division of Transmissible Diseases, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, is about exhausted; and

Whereas, Sufficient money has been saved in other codes to meet expenditures for the balance of the year; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of twenty-five hundred (\$2,500.00) dollars to Code Account 1206, Supplies, Division of Transmissible Diseases, from the following code accounts: Three hundred (\$300.00) dollars from Code 1194, Salaries, Regular Employees; twelve hundred (\$1,200.00) dollars from Code Account 1204, Wages, Temporary Employees, Bureau of Infectious Diseases, and one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars from Code Account 1281, Salaries, Regular Employees, Division of Dairy Inspection, Bureau of Food Inspection, all in the Department of Public Health.

Passed December 8, 1919.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 477.

No. 580

Whereas, The appropriations for Supplies, Cleaning Highways, and Repairs, Buildings, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works, will not be sufficient to meet the requirements for the remaining portion of the current year; and

Whereas, Code Account No. 1526, Equipment, Cleaning Highways, will permit of the transfer of a sufficient sum therefrom to meet demands; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to transfer from Appropriation No. 1526, Equipment, Cleaning Highways, the sum of money below set forth:

\$600 00 from Appropriation No. 1526, Equipment, Cleaning Highways, to Appropriation No. 1523, Supplies, Cleaning Highways.

350.00 from Appropriation No. 1526, Equipment, Cleaning Highways, to Appropriation No. 1520, Repairs, Buildings, Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

Passed December 8, 1919.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 477.

No. 581

Resolved, That the Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) from Code Account No. 1491, General Repaving, Bureau of Engineering, 1919, to Code Account No. 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, and applied to the credit of item, "The reconstruction of railing on retaining wall on the south side of South Eighteenth street near Josephine street," as authorized by Ordinance No. 122, approved May 2nd, 1918, and recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 29, Page 407.

Passed December 8, 1919.

Approved December 11, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 478.

No. 582

Whereas, The Board of Water Assessors have recommended a rebate of \$86.84 on the bill for water rent on property of Elizabeth Meixner at 1639 Tustin street on account of the building being torn down and the meter removed.

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors be and they are hereby authorized and directed to exonerate the property of Elizabeth Meixner at 1639 Tustin street, First ward City in the sum of \$86.84 as per recommendation of the Board of Water Assessors.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 478.

No. 583

Whereas, Mrs. Mary Christe, owner of the property at 2423 Westmar street, Twenty-seventh ward, Pittsburgh, was assessed for water as follows:

Meter reading October, 1919.....\$41.58
Meter reading January, 1919..... 52.52
Meter reading April, 1919..... 67.56
Meter reading July, 1919..... 57.96
amounting in all to \$219.62. The board

of Water Assessors have granted her an exoneration of \$59.87; and

Whereas, She believes she is entitled to further exoneration, so as to fix her water rents at a flat rate basis, viz: \$188.86; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors shall be and they are hereby authorized and directed to exonerate the water rates charged on the premises at 2423 Westmar street, in the sum of \$64.50, as per recommendation of the Water Assessors.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 478.

No. 584

Whereas, At No. 17, August Term, 1905, M. L. D., wherein the City of Allegheny, now City of Pittsburgh, appears as plaintiff, and Jacob Blank appears as defendant, a certain judgment in the sum of thirty (\$30.00) dollars, with interest, is entered by the construction of a certain sewer constructed on Solar street, in the Twenty-fourth ward, City of Pittsburgh (formerly Twelfth ward of the City of Allegheny); and

Whereas, Jacob Blank, by receipt dated January 27th, 1905, in the sum of thirty (\$30.00) dollars, paid for said sewer assessment of the property specially benefited and assessed against the said Jacob Blank; said receipt signed and given by Craig Smith, Assistant Solicitor of said City of Allegheny, a copy of which is as follows:
"No. 2086.

City of Allegheny, Jan. 27, 1905.

RECEIVED from Jacob Blank
Assessment.....\$30.00 (thirty and no...../100
dollars)

Interest
Cost
Commission.....

Total.....\$30.00

On account of Solar street sewer as per margin.

CRAIG SMITH,
Assistant Solicitor.
A. B. S."

And

Whereas, There is no other property of Jacob Blank on said Solar street, and it appears that the above lien has been assessed in duplicate; now be it

Resolved, By the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, that the City Solicitor be authorized and directed to enter satisfaction of the lien filed at No. 17 August Term, 1905, M. L. D., and all subsequent proceedings of scire facias, if

any may be entered for the same, and that the costs of said satisfaction be charged to the City of Pittsburgh.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 479.

No. 585

Whereas, John F. Heger is the owner of a lot situate at the northeasterly corner of Spencer street and Lincoln avenue, having a frontage of 150 feet on Spencer street and extending back in a northerly direction 30 feet, which said property has been assessed the sum of six hundred (\$600.00) dollars for the grading, paving and curbing of Spencer street;

Whereas, Almost the entire frontage of this property on Spencer street abuts on the Spencer Street Bridge, and is not benefited in the sum of six hundred (\$600.00) dollars; and

Whereas, This property is now being partially filled, giving John F. Heger, the owner of said property, some frontage on Spencer street; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That on the payment of two hundred (\$200.00) dollars by the said John F. Heger, the City Solicitor is hereby directed to satisfy and adjust the said assessment for the grading, paving and curbing of Spencer street at proceedings filed to No. 377 April Term, 1919, and is hereby directed not to file any liens on account thereof.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 479.

No. 586

Whereas, Theodore Betts, of 1506 Rutherford avenue, has offered the City of Pittsburgh the sum of \$550.00 for lot No. 328, Rutherford avenue, Nineteenth ward, City, beginning on the west side of Rutherford avenue at a point 290.04 feet north of the corner of Rutherford avenue and Goldstrom street; thence extending northwardly 30 feet to lot No. 329; thence westwardly 100 feet to a pin; thence southwardly 30 feet to lot No. 327; thence eastwardly 100 feet to Rutherford avenue, the place of beginning; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to execute and deliver a deed for the above-mentioned

property to Theodore Betts for the sum of \$550.00.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 480.

No. 587

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized empowered and directed to transfer the following sums of money from Code Accounts hereinafter specified to certain other Code Accounts, to-wit:

From	To	Amount
1140	1142	\$ 160.00
1014	1173	144.70
1283	1173	235.14
1180	1173	1,300.00
1180	1133	2,500.00

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 480.

No. 588

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to transfer certain sums of money from certain Code Accounts in the Department of Public Safety and its several bureaus, to certain other Code Accounts, as hereinafter specified, to-wit:

From Code Account 1126, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, General Office, Department Public Safety, to Code Account 1130, Item B, Miscellaneous services, General Office, Department Public Safety	\$ 300.00
From Code Account, 1161, Item A-1, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Code Account 1163, Item B, Miscellaneous Services, Bureau of Fire	3,000.00
From Code Account 1162, Item A-3, Wages, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Code Account 1164, Item C, Supplies, Bureau of Fire.....	3,000.00
From Code Account 1161, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Code Account 1166, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Fire.....	6,000.00
From Code Account, 1161, Item A, Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of Fire, to Code Account 1168, Item F, Equipment, Bureau of Fire.....	5,000.00

From Code Account 1180, Item
A, Salaries, Regular Em-
ployees, Bureau of Building
Inspection, to Code Account
1181, Item B, Miscellaneous
Services, Bureau of Building
Inspection 300.00
Passed December 15, 1919.
Approved December 18, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 480.

No. 589

Resolved, That the City Controller
shall be and he is hereby authorized
and directed to transfer the sum of
\$1,800.00 from Appropriation No. 1054,
Salaries, Regular Employees, Bureau of
Accounting Revision, to Appropriation
No. 43, Finance Fund.

Passed December 15, 1919.
Approved December 18, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 481.

No. 590

Resolved, That the City Controller be
and he is hereby authorized and directed
to transfer \$120.00 from Code Account
1083, Miscellaneous, to Code Account
1078, Equipment, and \$100.00 from Code
Account No. 1083 to Code Account No.
1086, Department of Law.

Passed December 15, 1919.
Approved December 18, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 481.

No. 591.

Whereas, By a resolution of Council
various bureaus of the Department of
Public Works were authorized to grant
vacations to day men when such vaca-
tions did not interfere with the regular
work of the bureau; and

Whereas, The work by the employees
of the asphalt plants by reason of
weather conditions is lessening, thereby
permitting the granting of vacations to
the employees thereof; and

Whereas, There are not sufficient
funds in the appropriation to pay for
such vacations, but there is an unex-
pended balance in Appropriation No.
1552, Salaries, Regular Employees,
Asphalt Plants, by reason of lost time,
which may be transferred without im-
pairing said appropriation; therefore,
be it

Resolved, That the City Controller
shall be and he is hereby authorized and
directed to transfer the sum of two
thousand three hundred and fifty
(\$2,350.00) dollars from Appropriation
No. 1552, Salaries, Regular Employees,
Asphalt Plants, to Appropriation No.
1553, Wages, Temporary Employees,
Asphalt Plants.

Passed December 15, 1919.
Approved December 18, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 481.

No. 592

Whereas, Certain funds are necessary
to furnish equipment required in the
Department of Supplies in their equip-
ment code account; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be
authorized to transfer the sum of two
thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars from the
unexpended portion of the amount re-
served for the use of the Department
of Supplies in the purchase of Govern-
ment foods, as per Resolution No. 397,
approved August 5th, 1919, to Code Ac-
count P-1332, in the Department of
Supplies.

Passed December 15, 1919.
Approved December 18, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 482.

No. 593

Resolved, That the City Controller be
and he is hereby authorized and directed
to make the following transfers of ap-
propriations, to-wit:

FROM
Code Account No. 52-M, Stand-
ardization Fund \$1,500.00
TO
Code Account No. 1094, Salaries,
Temporary Employees, De-
partment of Assessors..... 1,500.00
FROM
Code Account No. 1093, Salaries,
Regular Employees..... 400.00
Code Account No. 1095, Miscel-
laneous Service 150.00
Code Account No. 1099, Equip-
ment and Machinery..... 50.00
TO
Code Account No. 1094, Salaries,
Temporary Employees..... 400.00
Code Account No. 1096, Supplies. 200.00
Passed December 15, 1919.
Approved December 18, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 482.

No. 594

Whereas, Through an error certain payments for salaries and wages were made from Appropriation No. 170-B in excess of the amount appropriated.

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer \$632.22 from Appropriation No. 170-A, Grade Crossings, to Appropriation No. 170-B, Salaries, Elimination of Grade Crossings.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 483.

No. 595

Whereas, In order to continue certain work of repairs to boardwalks and steps and repairs to highways, it is necessary to provide additional funds, which may be obtained by the transfer of unexpended balances remaining in the code accounts hereinafter shown to the appropriations for Materials, Boardwalks and Steps, and Materials, Repairing Highways, Bureau of Highways and Sewers, Department of Public Works.

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfers in the various Code Accounts in the Bureau of Highways and Sewers:

From Code Account No. 1507, Salaries, Division Offices, to Code Account No. 1531, Materials, Repairing Highways	\$1,500.00
From Code Account No. 1507, Salaries, Division Offices, to Code Account No. 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps	1,300.00
From Code Account No. 1532, Wages, Temporary Employees, Repairing Sewers; to Code Account 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps	200.00
From Code Account No. 1543, Wages, Temporary Employees, Cleaning and Repairing Sewer Drops; to Code Account No. 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps	2,000.00
From Code Account No. 1534, Wages, Temporary Employees, Bridges; to Code Account No. 1541, Materials, Boardwalks and Steps	500.00

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 483.

No. 596

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer four hundred dollars (\$400.00) from Account No. 1652, "Wages Regular Employees," to Account No. 1654, "Miscellaneous Services," Mechanical Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 483.

No. 597

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to transfer one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150.00) from Account No. 1636, Wages Regular Employees, to Account No. 1638, "Supplies," Accounting Division, Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 484.

No. 598

Whereas, There being only a balance of three thousand two hundred eighteen dollars and twenty-one cents (\$3,218.21) remaining in Appropriation 1320, Supplies, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, and an estimated amount of twelve thousand six hundred thirty-seven dollars and seventy-five cents (\$12,637.75) needed for the balance of the year; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to transfer nine thousand five hundred dollars (\$9,500.00) from Code Account 1316, Salaries, Regular Employees, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, to Code Account 1320, Supplies, Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, Department of Charities.

Passed December 15, 1919.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 484.

No. 599

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the following persons and firms in payment of claims contracted for by the Department of Public Safety without compet-

itive bids, and charge the amounts to the appropriation items shown below:

Schedule	Amount	Appropriation No.
Animal Rescue League of Pittsburgh	\$824.18	1160
Dispatch Publishing Company	57.60	1147
Leader Publishing Company	60.48	1147
Neeb-Hirsch Publishing Company	33.60	1147
Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph	67.20	1147
Pittsburgh Gazette Times	67.20	1147
Press Publishing Company	82.50	1147
Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.		
Approved December 18, 1919.		
Resolution Book 4, Page 484.		

No. 600

Whereas, In connection with the execution of a contract between Frank Donatelli and the City of Pittsburgh, for the construction of a 36-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street and private properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co., from a point about 275 feet northeast of Foster street to the Allegheny River, it became necessary for the said Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co. to do certain work amounting to \$303.01; and

Whereas, Said work consisted of placing stringers beneath the tracks, removing the same, adjusting the tracks to grade, etc., on the line of the said relief sewer; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co. for the sum of three hundred three dollars and one cent (\$303.01) for placing stringers beneath their tracks, removing same, adjusting tracks to grade, etc., on the line of the 36-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street and private properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co., from a point about 275 feet northeast of Foster street to the Allegheny River, and charge the same to Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 485.

No. 601

Whereas, J. H. Clark, registered plumber, of 715 North Dallas avenue, East End, Pittsburgh, was given a contract by Elizabeth Hield to make a sewer connection at 7527 Rosemary street; and

Whereas, The sewer records on file in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, show the sewer branch for this property; and

Whereas, J. H. Clark, after excavating at the point shown by the plans, failed to find sewer branch, the said measurements having been checked by an inspector of the Division of Public Utilities; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of J. H. Clark, registered plumber, of 715 North Dallas avenue, East End, Pittsburgh, Pa., for the sum of nine dollars and thirty-two cents (\$9.32) in payment for claim for sewer branch at 7527 Rosemary street, charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 485.

No. 602

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Doubleday-Hill Electric Company in the sum of five hundred thirty dollars and eighty-eight cents (\$538.88) for the furnishing of hard-drawn copper wire to the Bureau of Electricity, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1175.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 486.

No. 603

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of E. Frey & Son in the sum of seventy-five (\$75.00) dollars for one (1) dozen Eglentine bits for use in the Bureau of Police, the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1149.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 486.

No. 604

Whereas, In the installation of new screen and grating doors at the South Side Market it was necessary to perform certain items of extra work not included in the contract; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Chas. G. Hanny Company in the sum of \$199.20 and charge same to Appropriation No. 1601-G, Structural and Non-Structural Improvements to the South Side Market, in payment for extra work.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 486.

No. 605

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Thos. C. Jenkins Company in the sum of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00), or so much of the same as may be necessary for the payment of groceries furnished on order No. 17315, of the Department of Supplies, dated December 2nd, the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1220-C, Supplies, Department of Charities.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 487.

No. 606

Whereas, The Miller & Kennedy Company, registered plumbers, of 5723 Broad street, East End, Pittsburgh, Pa., was given a contract by A. C. Moffitt to make a sewer connection at 5723 Broad street, East End; and

Whereas, The sewer records on file in the Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works, show the sewer connection extended to the curb line; and

Whereas, The Miller & Kennedy Company, after excavating at the point shown by the plans, failed to find sewer

connection, said measurements having been checked by an inspector of the Division of Public Utilities; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Miller & Kennedy Company, registered plumbers, of 5723 Broad street, East End, Pittsburgh, Pa., for the sum of one hundred thirty-eight dollars and forty-two cents (\$138.42) in payment of claim for extending the sewer connection from the main sewer to the curb line at 5723 Broad street, charging same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 487.

No. 607

Whereas, The sum of eight thousand seven hundred and fifty-five dollars and thirty cents (\$8,755.30) was specifically appropriated and set apart in the Contingent Fund to pay for advertising in connection with the Special Bond Election; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Frank McComb in the sum of \$869.60 to reimburse him for streamers and banners furnished in connection with the said "Special Bond Election," same to be charged to Code Account No. 42, Bond Election, Contingent Fund.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 487.

No. 608

Whereas, Music was furnished for various patriotic affairs during the 1918 war period; and

Whereas, No provision was made for the payment of same; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the Controller to countersign, a warrant for V. D. Nirella in the amount of \$518.00 and charge same to Code Account No. 1783, Music and Entertainments, Bureau of Parks, in payment for the above service.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 488.

No. 609

Whereas, It was necessary to lay a 6' water line on Howley street from Main street to Friendship avenue, and the City did not have the labor to do the work; and

Whereas, The M. O'Herron Company had the contract to grade, curb and pave the herein-mentioned street; we asked them to submit a bid; and

Whereas, We received only one bid, that of the M. O'Herron Company, for one dollar and seventy-five cents (\$1.75) per foot for a distance of 737 feet, or a total bid amounting to twelve hundred eighty-nine dollars and seventy-five cents (\$1,289.75), which was considered fair, and we asked them to do the work; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the M. O'Herron Company for the sum of twelve hundred eighty-nine dollars and seventy-five cents (\$1,289.75), said amount to be in full payment for all labor work necessary to lay the above-mentioned water line, and charge same to Appropriation No. 190.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 488.

No. 610

Whereas, It was necessary to lay a 24' water line on W. Carson street from the Point Bridge to South Main street to the mill district and the West End; and

Whereas, The City was unable to do this work, due to its lack of workmen, in time to prevent the holding up of the street improvement; and

Whereas The M. O'Herron Company had the contract to grade, curb and improve the street in question, arrangements were made with them to furnish the labor, to excavate and backfill trench for the herein before-mentioned water line, at cost plus 15 per cent; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the M. O'Herron

Company for the sum of four thousand three hundred fourteen dollars and three cents (\$431.03), and charge the same to Appropriation No. 190, this amount to be in full payment for all labor work and materials furnished necessary to excavate and backfill trench for the before-mentioned water line.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 488.

No. 611

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of M. Oppenheimer & Company in the sum of eight hundred (\$800.00) dollars for two hundred (200) pair of pants for the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals, the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1320-C, Supplies, Department of Charities.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.
Resolution Book 4, Page 489.

No. 612

Whereas, Due to the improvement of Exeter street from Greenfield avenue West it was necessary to lower six (6") inch water line; and

Whereas, The City was unable to do this work, due to its lack of workmen, in time to prevent the holding up of the street improvement; and

Whereas, The Matthew Ott & Company had the contract to grade, curb and pave the herein mentioned street, we asked them to submit a bid; and

Whereas, We received only one bid, that of Matthew Ott & Company, for one dollar and ten cents (\$1.10) per lineal foot for a distance of two hundred eighty feet (280'), or a total of three hundred eight dollars (\$308.00), which was considered fair, and we asked them to do the work; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Matthew Ott & Company for the sum of three hundred eight dollars (\$308.00), said amount to be in full payment for all labor work necessary to lower the above-mentioned water line, and charge same to Appropriation No. 190, Bureau of Water.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 489.

No. 613

Whereas, In connection with the execution of a contract between Frank Donatelli and the City of Pittsburgh, for the construction of a 36-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street and private properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co., from a point about 275 feet northeast of Foster street to the Allegheny River, it became necessary for the said Pennsylvania Railroad Co. to do certain work, amounting to \$621.84; and

Whereas, Said work consisted of placing stringers beneath the tracks, removing the same, adjusting the tracks to grade, etc., on the line of the said relief sewer; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. for the sum of six hundred twenty-one dollars and eighty-four cents (\$621.84) for placing stringers beneath their tracks, removing same, adjusting tracks to grade, etc., on the line of the 36-inch relief sewer on Thirty-eighth street and private properties of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co. from a point about 275 feet northeast of Foster street to the Allegheny River, and charge same to Code Account No. 1476-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Sewers, Bureau of Engineering.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 490.

No. 614

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Pittsburgh Paint Supply Company in the sum of one thousand seven hundred forty-nine dollars and seven cents (\$1,749.07), for the furnishing of pure raw linseed oil to the Bureau of Engineering, Division of Bridges, same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1468.

Passed December 15, 1919 by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 490.

No. 615

Whereas, The August Steigerwald estate has installed a water meter on the premises of property owned by said estate, situate in the Twenty-fourth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, known and numbered as 1524-1526 East street; and

Whereas, The said meter was installed and placed in service on or about January 5th, 1919; and

Whereas, The said Steigerwald estate paid the water service as per meter rate from January 5th, 1919, and has continued to use said water service as per meter since said time; and

Whereas, The City Treasurer has collected the said meter rate; and

Whereas, The City Treasurer has collected also the flat rate assessed against said premises amounting to two hundred and four and 04/100 (\$204.04) dollars, making a double payment for service of water; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Katherine Steigerwald, Executrix of the estate of August Steigerwald, deceased, in the sum of two hundred and four and 4/100 (\$204.04) dollars, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes and Water Rents.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 491.

No. 616

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of A. R. Van Horn for the sum of five hundred fifteen dollars and forty cents (\$515.40) for extra work done on contract for reconstruction of railing on retaining wall on the south side of South Eighteenth street, near Josephine street, and charge same to Code Account No. 1454-E, Repair Schedule, Division of Bridges, Bureau of Engineering, 1919.

Passed December 15, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 491.

No. 617

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Rising & Radcliffe for the sum of \$679.00 for printing 150 copies of the report of the Committee on Standardization, and charge same to Appropriation No. 52-M, Standardization Fund.

Passed December 16, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 491.

No. 618

Whereas, William Stone, of Reedsdale street, Twenty-second ward, Pittsburgh, Pa., on March 6th, 1919, while undergoing a physical test for patrolman in the City of Pittsburgh, sustained a broken leg, which necessitated his removal to the Allegheny General Hospital, where he was confined from March 6th to May 31st, and was attended by Dr. A. A. Bornscheuer; and

Whereas, By reason of said injury the said William Stone incurred a hospital bill amounting to \$329.75 and a doctor's bill in the sum of \$100.00; and

Whereas, Said injury was caused by no fault of the said William Stone, but was purely accidental; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of William Stone in the sum of \$429.75 in payment of the hospital and doctor bills incurred on account of said accident, upon the execution and delivery by the said William Stone to the City of Pittsburgh of a release of all claims for damages sustained by him by reason of said accident, and charge same to Appropriation No. 44, Workmen's Compensation Fund.

Passed December 16, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 18, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 492.

No. 619

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Carnegie Steel Company in the sum of six hundred forty-seven and 96/100 (\$647.96) dollars for fifty (50) 5" H-beams, the same to be chargeable to and payable from

Code Account No. 1461-D, Materials, Bridge Repairs, City Force, Bureau of Engineering.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 492.

No. 620

Whereas, Blaine C. Curry was employed by the City of Pittsburgh as physical director in the Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works, and on August 1st, 1917, enlisted in the United States Army for service in the war then existing between the United States and Germany; and

Whereas, The said Blaine C. Curry became a sergeant in the Forty-first Training Battery at Camp Taylor, Kentucky, and was discharged from the service on November 28th, 1918, again assuming his employment as aforesaid in the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, Prior to his entering the service of the United States Army, and as well as up until the present time, the said Blaine C. Curry regularly contributed to the support of his mother, Mrs. Emma Curry, of Punxsutawney, Pa., who is and has been dependent upon him for her support and maintenance; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That application having been made and affidavit filed of the above facts, and it appearing that one-half the salary of Blaine C. Curry, as an employee of the City of Pittsburgh, was not paid his dependent, his said mother, because of his ignorance of the law in such case, the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in the sum of \$742.95 to the order of Mrs. Emma Curry in full of one-half of the wages of the said Blaine C. Curry, payable to her as his dependent during the period of his absence from the employment of the City of Pittsburgh in the service of the United States Army, and charge the same to Code Account No. 50.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 493.

No. 621

Whereas, Salary for the last half of November is now due David Davies for services as stenographer and clerk to the Mayor's Welcome Committee; therefore, be it

No. 624

Whereas, In the installation of general repairs at the South Side Market it was necessary to have the contractor perform certain extra work not included in the contract; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the B. A. Groah Construction Company in the sum of \$350.80, and charge same to Appropriation No. 1599-B, Repairs to the South Side Market, in payment for said work.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 494.

No. 625

Whereas, Michael Knell, a patrol wagon driver, ran his machine into the automobile of G. F. Groff, of 2825 Linwood street, North Side, which was parked in front of St. Peter's Church, Sherman avenue and Ohio street, on Sunday morning, February 23, 1919, about 11:30 o'clock, and damaged the machine of Mr. Groff to the extent of \$139.00; and

Whereas, The said patrol wagon driver was accused of drunkenness and convicted before the Police Trial Board on said charge in connection with this accident; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of G. F. Groff in the sum of \$139.00, being amount paid for repairing said automobile damaged as aforesaid, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 495.

No. 626

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Kaufmann's in the sum of six hundred sixty-five dollars and fifty cents (\$665.50) for forty-three (43) mackinaw coats and one hundred (100) pairs pants for the use of the Pittsburgh City Home and Hospitals at Mayview, Pa., same to be

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the said David Davies in the sum of seventy-five (\$75.00) dollars, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 1027, Mayor's Welcome Committee.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 493.

No. 622

Whereas, David C. Davies is employed by the Civic and War Committee as a stenographer-clerk at the rate of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150.00) per month, and pay is now due for the first half of the month of December, and

Whereas, The said portion is necessary in order to properly complete the files and records of the said committee; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of David C. Davies in the sum of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) in full payment of the said salary and charge to Code Account No. 1027, Special Reservation, Civic and War Committee.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 494.

No. 623

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mrs. A. Glenn for \$169.20 and charge the same to Code Account No. 1126, Salaries, Regular Employees, Department of Public Safety, general office, for 47 days' service as multigraph operator in the Department of Public Safety during the months of October and November at the rate of \$3.60 per day.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 494.

chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1320, Supplies, City Home and Hospitals, Mayview

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 495.

No. 627

Whereas, Meters have been installed on the premises of David Kellerman at 1722-28 Pike street, Second ward; and

Whereas, David Kellerman paid the flat rates for the full year and is entitled to a refund of \$322.38; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of David Kellerman in the sum of \$322.38 on account of adjustment of water rates from flat to meter charge at 1722-28 Pike street, and charge to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding Taxes and Water Rents.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 495.

No. 628

Whereas, On October 18th, 1919, Mr. William J. Morris resided at No. 2329 Atwood street, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and

Whereas, Steps were constructed and maintained by the City of Pittsburgh on Chauncey street, connecting Center avenue with Malone and Wylie avenues; and

Whereas, On the evening of October 18th, 1919, Mr. William J. Morris, while walking on the Chauncey street steps, fell through the same precipitating to the ground about eight feet, by reason of the absence of a tread or step in said steps; and

Whereas, As a result of said fall he bruised his right leg, damaged his suit and overcoat, was put to medical expense, and lost one week's wages, and also had to hire a taxicab to take him home; and

Whereas, Mr. William J. Morris presented a claim for \$115.00, but is willing to settle the case for \$64.40; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That in order to compensate Mr. William J. Morris for his expenses, loss of time, pain and suffering, and to settle the question of the liability of the City of Pittsburgh, the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized

and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mr. William J. Morris in the sum of \$64.40, the same being in full settlement of all claims against the City of Pittsburgh, and charge the same to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 496.

No. 629

Whereas, In the installation of plumbing repairs to the South Side Market it was necessary to have the contractor furnish certain items of work not included in the contract; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of McFadden & Craig, plumbers, in the sum of \$70.44, and charge same to Appropriation 1599-E, Repairs to the South Side Market, in payment for said work.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 496.

No. 630

Whereas, In the installation of electric wiring in repairs to South Side Market it was necessary to have the contractor furnish certain items of work not included in the contract; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Ochiltree Electric Company in the sum of \$167.02 and charge same to Appropriation 1599-E, Repairs to the South Side Market, in payment for said extra work.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 497.

No. 631

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Painter-Dunn Company for the sum of one hundred

forty-eight dollars and thirteen cents (\$48.13) for repairing automobile used by District Chief Robert McKinley, in the Bureau of Fire, and charge the same to Code Account No. 1166, Item E, Repairs, Bureau of Fire.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 497.

No. 632

Whereas, William G. Staab is employed as a sub-hoseman in the Bureau of Fire of the City of Pittsburgh, being located at Engine Company No. 52, and on September 6, 1918, was drafted into the United States Army for service in the war then existing between the United States and Germany; and

Whereas, The said William G. Staab became a private in the First Ordnance Supply Company, Camp Rairtan, Metuchan, N. J., and was discharged from the service on the 27th day of February, 1919, again resuming his employment as aforesaid in the City of Pittsburgh; and

Whereas, Prior to his entering the service of the United States, as well as up until the present time, the said William G. Staab regularly contributed to the support of his mother, Mrs. Mathilda Staab, at No. 2715 Shadeland avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., who is, and has been, dependent upon him for her support and maintenance; and

Whereas, The application of the said William G. Staab for one-half his wages during the term of his military service to be paid to his dependent mother, Mrs. Mathilda Staab, was rejected for the reason that he lacked thirteen days of being in the employment of the City of Pittsburgh three months, he having been employed by the City of Pittsburgh on the 19th day of June, 1918, and drafted into the service of the United States Army on the 6th day of September, 1918; and

Whereas, There does not appear to be anything in the Act of Assembly providing for the payment of said dependent's claim which was intended to take into account the provisions of the Civil Service Commission acts or the rules of the Commission requiring a probationary period of employment; and

Whereas, The City has been liberal in its interpretation of the application of this law on all other cases heretofore passed, including that of sub-patrolmen and sub-firemen, as evidenced by the passage of Ordinance No. 421, approved October 16, 1917; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the application having been made and affidavit filed of the above facts, and it appearing that one-half the wages of the said William G. Staab, as an employee of the City of Pittsburgh, was not paid his dependent, his said mother, the Mayor shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mrs. Mathilda Staab in the sum of \$292.50, being one-half the wages of the said William G. Staab, payable to her as his dependent during the period of his absence from the employment in the City of Pittsburgh in the service of the United States Army, and charge the same to Code Account No. 50; and be it further

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of William G. Staab in the sum to which he would be entitled to in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 229, approved July 23, 1919, granting half increase to city employees while in the service of the United States, and charge same to Code Account No. 50.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 497.

No. 633

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Western Union Telegraph Company for telegraph service during baseball series for the Bureau of Recreation in the sum of one hundred and ninety-five dollars (\$195.00) chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 1807.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 498.

No. 634

Whereas, Catherine Duke, by purchase from Mrs. B. B. Brown, by deed dated December 3, A. D. 1896, recorded in the office of the Recorder for the County of Allegheny, in Deed Book, Vol. 954, Page 137, became the owner of

All that certain lot of ground situate in the Twenty-fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh, formerly the Second ward of the City of Allegheny, County of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania, be-

ing lot number thirty-eight in the plan of Richard Ashworth, and known as number thirty Lane alley, and having a front of twenty-six and one-half feet on Lane alley and a depth of one hundred and forty feet, more or less, and a width in the rear of forty-seven feet and six inches.

The said lot being purchased subject to the two following mortgages, to-wit: Mortgage to Bertha S. Gardner, dated February 24th, A. D. 1894, recorded in Mortgage Book, Vol. 683, Page 646, in the sum of two thousand dollars; and the second mortgage, dated May 12th, A. D. 1894, recorded in Mortgage Book, Vol. 705, Page 123, in the sum of three hundred dollars, both of said mortgages having been assigned of record to Fred E. Steel, of Montpelier, Vermont, and both of which mortgages still remain due and unpaid, with interest thereon, until the present day; and

Whereas, Subsequent to the date of the said mortgages and the assignment thereof to the said Fred E. Steel, the taxes levied and assessed against the said property were unpaid and became delinquent, and liens having been duly entered thereon, the said property was, on execution issued out of the Court of Common Pleas for the said County of Allegheny at Lev. Fa. No. 19 of April Term, 1908, D. T. D., on June 29th, 1912, sold by the Sheriff of Allegheny County to the City of Pittsburgh for the sum of \$39.14. See Deed Book, Vol. 1804, Page 279; and

Whereas, The said Catherine Duke, the owner of the said described premises, at the time of the levy of the said taxes and their sale thereon to the said City of Pittsburgh, has executed and delivered to the said Fred E. Steel a deed of quit claim thereto, and the said Fred E. Steel, in order to protect his interest therein, as represented by the principal debt of said mortgages, is desirous of paying to the City of Pittsburgh all of the taxes due and unpaid on the said described premises upon the execution and delivery to him of a good and sufficient deed therefor; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Council of the City of Pittsburgh, that the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh be and he hereby is authorized and directed to execute and deliver to the said Fred E. Steel, of the City of Montpelier, Vermont, a good and sufficient deed for the above described premises upon the payment by the said Fred E. Steel to the said City of all claims and demands that the said City of Pittsburgh may have against the said lot of ground.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 498.

No. 635

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Shepherd Engineering Company, for machinery parts furnished the Aspinwall Pumping Station, in the sum of ten hundred forty-one dollars and seventy-one cents (\$1,041.71), the same to be chargeable to and payable from Code Account No. 146, Bonds.

Passed December 22, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 499.

No. 636

Whereas, A meter has been installed at premises of Florence Sullivan, 2497 Forbes street, Fourth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and

Whereas, It appears that the flat rate for a quarter for water used in said premises would be \$6.00 and meter readings at the current rates for the quarter ending July 11th, 1919, show a use of water in the sum of \$42.48, or an increase in the charge of the water for said quarter of \$36.48; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owner of the said property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors if the City of Pittsburgh be and are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said Florence Sullivan on account of said charge for water in the sum of \$18.24, being 50 per cent of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 500.

No. 637

Whereas, A meter has been installed at premises of Henry Lawrence, 2318 Second avenue, Fourth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and

Whereas, It appears that the flat rate for a quarter for water used in said premises would be \$12.06, and meter readings at the current rates for the quarter ending October 11th, 1919, show a use of water in the sum of \$29.16, or an increase in the charge of the water for said quarter of \$17.10; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owner of the said property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh be and are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said Henry Lawrence on account of said charge for water in the sum of \$8.55, being 50 per cent of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 500.

No. 638

Whereas, A meter has been installed at premises of John L. McCarthy, 53 S. Seventeenth street, Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and

Whereas, It appears that the flat rate for five quarters for water used in said premises would be \$165.80, and meter readings at the current rates for the five quarters show a use of water in the sum of \$242.96, or an increase in the charge of the water for said five quarters of \$77.16; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owner of the said property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh be and are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said John L. McCarthy on account of said charge for water in the sum of \$38.58, being one-half of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 501.

No. 639

Whereas, As the result of litigation, the right of possession and control in the City of Pittsburgh was established over certain properties above Seventeenth street, South Side; and

Whereas, The City is authorized by Act of Assembly to make temporary leases for said premises; and

Whereas, It is necessary, in order to fix a reasonable and proper rental thereon, that an appraisalment be made to inform and assist Council in determining the amount of rental to be provided in making said leases; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the selection of appraisers for said purpose by the City Solicitor, to-wit, Messrs. W. H. Heselbarth, Robert Coyle and Frederick W. Patterson, be hereby authorized and affirmed. The compensation for said services is hereby fixed at five hundred (\$500.00) dollars each, and the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars is hereby appropriated for the payment of said compensation, the same to be charged to Code Account No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 501.

No. 640

Whereas, H. D. W. Jarvis is the owner of premises at No. 1139-41 Pennsylvania avenue, Twenty-first ward, on which water rent from September 10, 1910, until April, 1911, amounting to \$359.20, by reason of the death of the tenant, who was bound under her agreement to pay the water rent; and

Whereas, The owner of the building had no notice until a short time ago, and now desires to settle the bill, but believes it to be unreasonably excessive; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh be and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said H. D. W. Jarvis on account of said charges for water in the sum of two hundred seventy dollars and twenty cents (\$270.20) for the period between September 19th, 1910, and May 1st, 1912.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 501.

No. 641

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to transfer the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars from Code Account No. 1144, Item A-1, Salaries, Bureau of Police, to Code Account No. 1156, Item F, Equipment, Bureau of Police.

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 502.

No. 642

Whereas, The following code accounts are insufficient to cover bills accumulated and which will accumulate until December 31st; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers from various code accounts to others in the Bureau of City Property, as follows:

FROM

C. A. 1569—Supplies, City-County Building\$ 2,772.47

TO

C. A. 1580—Supplies, Diamond Market\$ 950.00

C. A. 1583—Repairs, Diamond Market 500.00

C. A. 1610—Repairs, Weigh Scales 149.33

C. A. 1623—Repairs, Comfort Stations 1,000.00

C. A. 1625½—Equipment, Foster Homestead 172.14

\$ 2,772.47

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 502.

No. 643

Resolved, That the City Controller shall be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) from General Fund Code Account No. 1671, "Miscellaneous Services," Bureau of Light, to the following code accounts, to-wit:

Code Account 1403, "Supplies," Director's Office, Department Public Works\$ 25.00

Code Account 1405, "Equipment," Director's Office, Department Public Works 1,250.00

Code Account 1406, "Salaries," Division of Accounting, Department Public Works 75.00

Code Account 1406D, "Equipment," Division of Accounting, Department Public Works 190.00

Code Account 1409, "Supplies," Photographic Division, Department Public Works 25.00

Code Account 1497, "Salaries," Bureau of Deed Registry, Department Public Works 200.00

Code Account 1672, "Materials," Bureau of Light, Department Public Works 1,000.00

Code Account 1751, "Supplies," Riverview Park Zoo, Department Public Works 10.00

Code Account 1783, "Miscellaneous Services," Bureau of Parks, Department Public Works 125.00

\$3,000.00

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 502.

No. 644

Whereas, In order to provide for the payment of registration of motor vehicles operated for the asphalt plants and for the payment of certain repairs to locomotive crane at the North Side plant it is necessary to transfer certain sums of money to the respective code accounts out of which these expenditures must be paid.

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from Code Account No. 1558, Equipment, Asphalt Plants, the following sums of money to code accounts hereinafter specified.

From Code Account No. 1558, Equipment, Asphalt Plants, to Code account No. 1554, Miscellaneous Services, Asphalt Plants\$300.00

From Code Account No. 1558, Equipment, Asphalt Plants, to Code Account No. 1557, Repairs, Asphalt Plants 400.00

\$700.00

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved December 29, 1919.

Resolution Book 4, Page 503.

No. 645

Resolved, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to make transfer of funds from and to appropriation accounts of the Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, as scheduled below:

FILTRATION DIVISION

\$1,750.00 from Appropriation No. 1642, "Salaries Regular Employees," to Appropriation No. 1641, "Wages Regular Employees."

1,100.00 from Appropriation No. 1647, "Supplies," to Appropriation No. 1644, "Wages Regular Employees."

200.00 from Appropriation No. 1647,
"Supplies," to Appropriation
No. 1649, "Repairs."

DISTRIBUTION DIVISION

\$1,000.00 from Appropriation No. 1661,
"Wages, Temporary Employ-
ees," to Appropriation No. 1644,
"Wages Regular Employees."

\$800.00 from Appropriation No. 1661,
"Wages, Temporary Employ-
ees," to Appropriation No. 1666,
"Equipment and Machinery."

Passed December 22, 1919.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Resolution Book 4, Page 503.

No. 616

Whereas, in connection with the ex-
ecution of the contract between the
City of Pittsburgh and the M. O'Herron
Company for the grading, paving and
curbing of McCandless street, from
Stanton avenue to Fifty-third street,
it was necessary to do certain extra
work which was not included in the
contract and specifications for said im-
provement, and could not be allowed
under the terms of said contract gov-
erning the allowance of extra work
and the prices of material, amounting
to about \$2,094.53, as per bill accom-
panying final estimate; now, therefore,
be it

Resolved, That the said extras, as
herein set forth, certified by the Depart-
ment of Public Works, be approved and
the City Controller is authorized and
directed to charge the same as part of
the cost of said improvement.

Passed December 29, 1919, by a two-
thirds vote.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Resolution Book 4, Page 504.

No. 617

Whereas, It was necessary to do cer-
tain work upon the contract held by
the M. O'Herron Company for the im-
proving of West Carson street, from a
point 1,221.91 feet west of Point Bridge
to a point 181 feet east of Point Bridge,
amounting to \$25,919.66, as per bills ap-
proved by the Director of the Depart-
ment of Public Works; now, therefore,
be it

Resolved, That the said extras, as
herein set forth, certified by the Depart-
ment of Public Works, be approved and

the City Controller is authorized and
directed to charge the same as part of
the cost of said improvement.

Passed December 29, 1919.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Resolution Book 4, Page 504.

No. 618

Whereas, It was necessary to do cer-
tain extra work upon the contract held
by the M. O'Herron Company for the
G. J. & C. of Wapello street, between
Davis avenue and Aquatic way, amount-
ing to \$969.00, as per bill approved by
the Director of the Department of Pub-
lic Works; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said extras, as here-
in set forth, certified by the Depart-
ment of Public Works, be approved and
the City Controller is authorized and
directed to charge the same as part of
the cost of said improvement.

Passed December 29, 1919, by a two-
thirds vote.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Resolution Book 4, Page 505.

No. 619

Whereas, Resolution No. 450, approved
October 8th, provides for the rental of
a steam shovel for extinguishing the
coal mine fire on Hobart street for a
period not exceeding ten (10) days;
and

Whereas, After this period of ten (10)
days it was found necessary that more
work should be done and it was deemed
advisable to keep this steam shovel for
a longer period than provided in said
resolution; and

Whereas, James H. McQuade & Sons
Company were the lowest responsible
bidders on this work, and as their steam
shovel was on the work for a period of
twelve (12) days at sixty-seven (\$67.00)
dollars per day, which was two (2)
days more than provided for in Reso-
lution No. 450, and which amounts to
one hundred thirty-four (\$134.00) dol-
lars; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is
hereby authorized and directed to issue,
and the City Controller to countersign,
a warrant in favor of James H. Mc-
Quade & Sons Company for the sum of
one hundred thirty-four (\$134.00) dol-
lars, chargeable to Code Account No.
1491-E, General Repaving, Division of
Streets, Bureau of Engineering.

Passed December 29, 1919, by a two-
thirds vote.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Resolution Book 4, Page 505.

No. 650

Whereas, Mark M. Grobstein is now, and prior to July 21, 1917, was a stenographer-clerk in the Bureau of Tests, Department of Public Works of the City of Pittsburgh, and on July 21, 1917, left the City to enlist in the United States military service, becoming a member of the Detachment Q. M. Corps at Camp Meade, Md., subsequently being transferred therefrom to the Headquarters Troop, Eleventh Division, returning from the service in June, 1919, having been discharged therefrom, and is at present in the service of the City of Pittsburgh, as aforesaid; and

Whereas, Prior to entering the service he regularly supplied money to his father, for his maintenance and support, said father being dependent upon him for support and maintenance not only prior to and at the time of his entering the United States service, but up to the present time; and

Whereas, Prior to the time of entering the military service of the United States, the said Mark M. Grobstein was not aware of the necessary steps to be taken in connection with the requirements of the Act of Assembly of 1917 and the Ordinance of the City relating to half pay for soldier dependents, and had not received the instructions advising proper form of affidavit, he having filed his claim by letter from camp shortly after entering the service; but since leaving the military service has filed a proper affidavit, naming his father, Noah Grobstein, as his dependent; and

Whereas, While the said Mark M. Grobstein was in the military service of the United States his position was abolished by being omitted from the General Ordinance of 1918 and 1919, and upon his return the said position was re-created by Ordinance, approved June 12th, 1919, he being reappointed thereto on June 17th, 1919; and

Whereas, The Legal Department of the City of Pittsburgh has advised that "from the fact that Mr. Grobstein's position was abolished shortly after his having left the same and re-created upon his return to the City, it would seem to be an apparent injustice to deprive him of the benefit of the military service act during the time his position was abolished, and would appear to be a discrimination, so far as other employees of the Department are concerned who left the City's service leaving dependents and whose positions were not abolished during the years 1918 and 1919;" and

Whereas, There is payable under the law, during his absence, to his father for support, as his dependent, the sum of ten hundred forty-nine dollars and thir-

ty-eight cents (\$1,049.30); now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mark M. Grobstein, for use of Noah Grobstein, in the sum of ten hundred forty-nine dollars and thirty-eight cents (\$1,049.38), being payment in full of one-half his salary payable to his father as dependent, during the period of his absence from his employment in the City of Pittsburgh, while in the military service of the United States during the war with the Imperial Government of Germany, and charge same to Code Account No. 50-M.

Passed December 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Resolution Book 4, Page 505.

No. 651

Whereas, The detectives in the Bureau of Police broke into the home of Mrs. Ellen C. Monahan, 225 Sheridan avenue, and are alleged to have broken some of her household goods; and

Whereas, The Department of Public Safety allowed Mrs. Monahan the sum of \$16.50 as the result of this damage, but she claims she was injured to the extent of \$49.50; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Mrs. Ellen C. Monahan in the sum of \$33.00 for damages to household goods by detectives who broke into her home at 225 Sheridan avenue in search of evaders of the law, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 42, Contingent Fund.

Passed December 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 5, 1920.

Resolution Book 4, Page 506.

No. 652

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of W. R. Reynolds, a Lieutenant in the Bureau of police, for the sum of \$988.33, for lost time from March 9, 1919, to October 9, 1919, by reason of injuries received while in the performance of his duties in Schenley Park on September 7, 1918, when

he was struck by an automobile, and charge the same to Code Account No. 44-M, Workmen's Compensation.

Passed December 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 5, 1920.
Resolution Book 4, Page 507.

No. 653

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Saint James African Methodist Episcopal Chapel for the sum of \$58.40, refunding amount of taxes paid by it for the years 1917 and 1919 on its church property, and charge same to Appropriation No. 41, Refunding City Taxes.

Passed December 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 5, 1920.
Resolution Book 4, Page 507.

No. 654

Whereas, Martin Sorg, electrical engineer at the Pittsburgh City Home, Mayview, on January 6th, 1919, fell in going to his work and broke his leg, both bones in the right leg; and

Whereas, The house in which he lives he rents from the City, paying \$30.00 per month, and his wages are \$6.20 per day; and

Whereas, By reason of this injury M. Sorg lost ninety-eight (98) days' time, amounting in all to \$471.20; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Martin Sorg in the sum of \$471.20, and charge the same to Appropriation No. 44-M.

Passed December 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 5, 1920.
Resolution Book 4, Page 507.

No. 655

Whereas, An order was issued for insurance for two Economic boilers at the North Side Market in the amount of \$92.64. This bill has never been paid; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in

favor of W. J. Tener & Co., special agents for the Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company, in the amount of \$92.64, same to be paid from Code Account No. 1588, Miscellaneous Services, North Side Market.

Passed December 29, 1919, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 5, 1920.
Resolution Book 4, Page 508.

No. 656

Whereas, A meter has been installed at premises of Patrick J. McInerney, 27-29 Soho street, Fourth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge rate for six quarters for water used in said premises would be \$69.72, and meter readings at the current rates for the six quarters show a use of water in the sum of \$265.68, or an increase in the charge for the water for said six quarters of \$195.96; and

Whereas, It appears that the charge for water would work a great hardship upon the owner of the said property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Water Assessors of the City of Pittsburgh be and are hereby authorized and directed to issue an exoneration to the said Patrick J. McInerney on account of said charge for water in the sum of \$97.98, being 50 per cent of the excess of meter rate over the former flat rate.

Passed December 29, 1919.
Approved January 5, 1920.
Resolution Book 4, Page 508.

No. 657

Whereas, The Civic Club of Allegheny County and the Soho Bath Association have been offered the money to erect a community House on the lot owned jointly by them and the City of Pittsburgh.

Resolved, That the consent of the City of Pittsburgh shall be and is hereby granted to the Civic Club of Allegheny County and the Soho Bath Association to erect a brick building to be used by the Soho Bath Association as a community house on the lot at 2408 Fifth avenue, owned by the City of Pittsburgh and the Civic Club of Allegheny County, jointly.

Passed December 29, 1919.
Approved January 5, 1920.
Resolution Book 4, Page 509.

No. 658

Whereas, Eliza Zilliox paid her City taxes for the year 1919 on property on Howard street, amounting to \$64.76; and

Whereas, The City of Pittsburgh, in the widening and improvement of said Howard street, took Mrs. Zilliox's property, and she should therefore be reimbursed for the amount of said City taxes; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Eliza Zilliox for \$64.76, refunding amount of City taxes on property on Howard street which was taken for street purposes, and charge same to Code Account No. 41, Refunding Taxes.

Passed January 2, 1920, by a two-thirds vote.

Approved January 12, 1920.

Resolution Book 4, Page 509.

No. 659

Whereas, The detective force is on duty all the time, and members of the force are called on from time to time to leave their homes and go directly to the place where some violation of the law has been committed and have not time to report at the office before answering the call; and

Whereas, It has been required by custom and law not to pay any street car fares of any of the employees unless the employee has first reported to the office; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the members of the detective force shall be and are hereby declared entitled to all car fares from the time they start from their homes, and the Controller is hereby authorized and directed to issue warrants for said purposes.

Passed January 2, 1920.

Approved January 12, 1920.

Resolution Book 4, Page 509.